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## FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING SEPTEMBER, 1917.

REVIEW of the SEA-BORNE TRADE and NAVIGATION of BRITISH INDIA for the month of SEPTEMBER, 1917, and for the six months ended September, 1917

## FOREIGN COMMERCE.

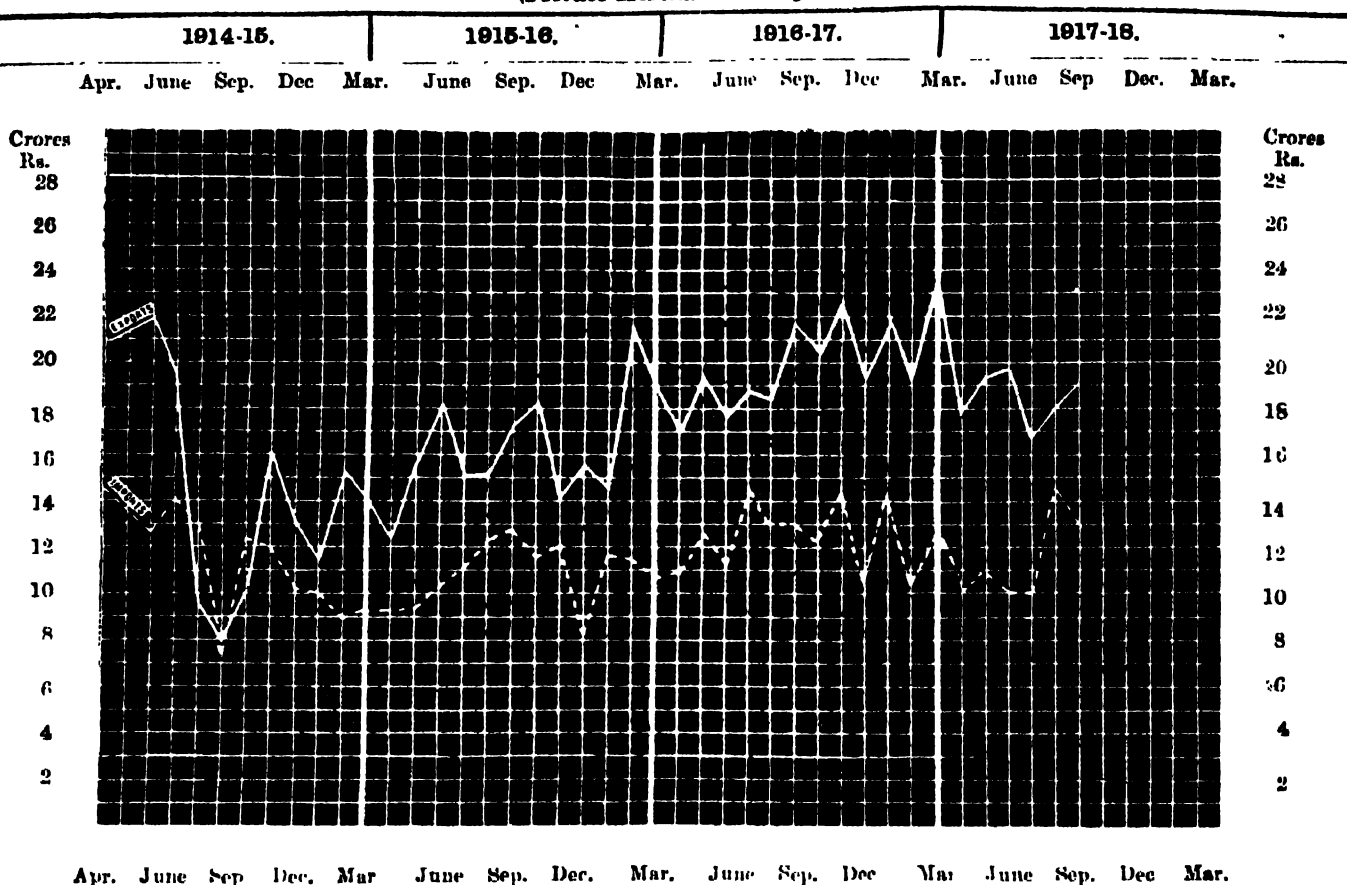
## FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING SEPTEMBER, 1917.

The trade returns of British India for September, 1917, as compared with those of the preceding month, showed decreases in total imports and re-exports, but exports showed an increase. The total imports of merchandise were valued at R13 crores, the exports, including those of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance on Government account, at R19 crores, and the re-exports at nearly R40 lakhs. Imports decreased by 11 per cent, and re-exports by 28 per cent, while exports increased by 8 per cent. As compared with September, 1916, imports showed a decrease of 1 per cent, exports of 10 per cent, and re-exports of 51 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to September, 1917, is appended below:—

## MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO SEPTEMBER, 1917.

(Private Merchandise only)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R3,53 lakhs in August, 1917, and R6,31 lakhs in September, 1917. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during August and September, of the years 1915, 1916, and 1917, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods:—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
August . . .	R(lakhs) 12,42	R(lakhs) 15,23	R(lakhs) 12,87	R(lakhs) 18,60	R(lakhs) 14,51	R(lakhs) 18,04 (a)	R(lakhs) 2,81	R(lakhs) 5,78	R(lakhs) 3,53
September . . .	12,86	17,38	13,05	21,72	12,91	19,22 (a)	4,47	8,67	6,31

(a) Include the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account

**Comparisons with August, 1917.**—As compared with August, 1917, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under cotton machinery (+R8 lakhs), precious stones and pearls, unset (+R10 lakhs), silk, raw (+R9 lakhs), cotton piece goods, coloured, printed, etc. (+R51 lakhs), and woollen piece goods (+R9 lakhs), but *decreases* under kerosene oil (—R33 lakhs), other kinds of mineral oil (—R9 lakhs), hardware (—R11 lakhs), iron or steel sheets and plates (—R10 lakhs), paper (—R9 lakhs) and cotton piece goods, grey (—R83 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under linseed (+R10 lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,90 lakhs), and jute manufactures (+R1,15 lakhs), but *decreases* under grain, pulse, and flour (—R18 lakhs), raw jute (—R11 lakhs), raw wool (—R29 lakhs), opium (—R15 lakhs), hides, tanned (—R37 lakhs), and cotton twist and yarn (—R59 lakhs).

**Comparisons with September, 1916.**—As compared with September, 1916, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under chemicals (+R16 lakhs), iron or steel sheets and plates (+R9 lakhs), cotton piece goods, white (+R56 lakhs), and coloured, printed, etc. (+R89 lakhs), and woollen piece goods (+R14 lakhs), but *decreases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (—R29 lakhs), motor cars and motor cycles (—R15 lakhs), cotton piece goods, grey (—R62 lakhs), and kerosene oil (—R26 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under grain, pulse, and flour (+R1,17 lakhs), castor seed (+R9 lakhs), lac (+R19 lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,27 lakhs), opium (+R21 lakhs), and hides, tanned (+R9 lakhs), but *decreases* under raw hides (—R14 lakhs), raw skins (—R13 lakhs), groundnut seed (—R9 lakhs), linseed (—R67 lakhs), rapeseed (—R12 lakhs), raw jute (—R1,39 lakhs), rubber, raw (—R13 lakhs), skins, tanned (—R39 lakhs), cotton twist and yarn (—R63 lakhs), cotton piece goods (—R23 lakhs), and jute manufactures (—R11 lakhs).

#### VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in September, 1916 and 1917, as compared with August, 1916 and 1917, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows:—

	August 1916 R(lakhs)	September 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)	August 1917 R(lakhs)	September 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)
<b>IMPORTS</b>						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	2,33	2,52	+ 19	1,95	1,97	+ 2
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	95	1,01	+ 9	1,12	81	—31
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	9,12	9,35	— 7	11,26	9,89	—1,37
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	17	11	—3	18	24	+ 6
	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	12,87	13,05	+ 18	11,51	12,91	—1,60
	—	—	—	—	—	—

EXPORTS	August 1916 R(lakhs)	September 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)	August 1917 R(lakhs)	September 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	5,42	5,92	+ 50	6,44	6,43	—1
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	5,55	8,00	+ 2,45	5,34	6,62	+ 1,28
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	6,71	6,82	+ 11	5,56	5,60	+ 4
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	19	18	—1	14	17	+ 3
Total	17,87	20,92	+ 3,05	17,48(a)	18,82(a)	+ 1,34

### COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (AUGUST, 1917).†

#### I.—Imports.

##### AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF FOODSTUFFS.

Sugar.

The imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in September, 1917, increased by R2 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The quantity of Sugar, 16 D. S. and above, imported in September, 1917, increased slightly to 31,323 tons from 31,237 tons in the preceding month (August, 1917), but the value decreased to R1,06 lakhs from R1,10 lakhs. In the six months ended September, 1917, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 154,965 tons, valued at R5,20 lakhs, as against 173,812 tons, valued at R5,66 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The imports of salt in September, 1917, amounted to 26,623 tons as against 22,874 tons in the preceding month.

Salt.

##### A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MINERAL OIL AND AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF RAW SILK.

Mineral oil.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in September, 1917, decreased by R31 lakhs. The quantity of mineral oil imported in September, 1917, decreased to 2 million gallons, from over 8 million gallons, in the preceding month. The value of these imports was over R11 lakhs, as against R53 lakhs, in the preceding month. The quantity of kerosene oil imported decreased to 555,249 gallons from 5,786,679 gallons. Imports of raw silk increased to 278,251 lbs from 213,202 lbs in the preceding month.

Raw silk.

##### A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF COTTON PIECE GOODS.

Cotton goods.

The value of the imports of Manufactured articles decreased by R1,37 lakhs. The imports of cotton piece goods, including fents, in September, 1917, decreased to 116 million yards, valued at R4,70 lakhs, from 1,61 million yards, valued at R4,97 lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods decreased by 28 million yards to 33 million yards, but white goods increased by 2 million yards to 58 million yards, and coloured, printed, or dyed by 9 million yards to 51 million yards. In the six months ended September, 1917, the total imports of cotton piece goods amounted to 815 million yards, valued at R24 crores, as against 1,080 million yards, valued at nearly R23½ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The imports of iron or steel sheets and plates decreased in September, 1917, to 5,205 tons, valued at R32 lakhs, from 8,316 tons, valued at R42 lakhs, in the preceding month.

Iron or steel sheets and plates.

(a) Include the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

† Comparison is made with the previous month and not with the corresponding month of last year, owing to the present abnormal circumstances brought about by the war.

**II.—Exports.****A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO.**

The exports of Food, drink, and tobacco decreased in September, 1917, by R1 lakh, as compared with the preceding month. The exports of grain, pulse, and flour showed a decrease in September, 1917, and amounted to R 4,62 lakhs, as against R4,80 lakhs in the preceding month. In the six months ended September, 1917, the value of the exports amounted to nearly R27 crores, as against over R15 crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Grain, pulse, and flour.

**AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW COTTON AND A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW JUTE.**

The value of the exports of Raw materials increased by R1,28 lakhs. The shipments of raw cotton advanced in September, 1917, to 38,070 tons, valued at R1,38 lakhs, from 22,529 tons, valued at R2,48 lakhs, in the preceding month. In the six months ended September, 1917, the exports amounted to 191,860 tons, valued at R19,76 lakhs, as against 246,366 tons, valued at R17,74 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw Cotton.

The exports of raw jute in September, 1917, decreased to 5,567 tons, valued at R13 lakhs, from 10,114 tons, valued at R24 lakhs, in the preceding month. In the six months ended September, 1917, the exports amounted to 81,836 tons, valued at R2,24 lakhs, as against 167,621 tons, valued at R4,89 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw Jute.

**AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF JUTE MANUFACTURES.**

The value of the exports of manufactured articles increased by R4 lakhs. The exports of jute manufactures were valued in September, 1917, at R3,69 lakhs as against R 2,54 lakhs in the preceding month. In the six months ended September, 1917, the value of the exports amounted to nearly R17 crores, as against R22 crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Jute manufactures.

**SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER, 1917.**

The summary of the results for the six months ended September, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915 and 1916, is as follows:—

	1915		1916		1917		ACTUAL NET EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise (private)	65.80	94.03	75.38	1,13,51(a)	68.61	1,11,47(b)	28.23	38.16	42.66
Treasure (private)	7.51	1.47	6.42	2.30	14.68	76	-6.04	-4.12	-13.92

In the six months ended September, 1917, exports, including re-exports, were less by R2,04 lakhs or 2 per cent than in 1916, but higher by R17,45 lakhs or nearly 19 per cent than in 1915. In the same period imports were less by R6,52 lakhs or 9 per cent than in 1916, but higher by R3,01 lakhs or nearly 5 per cent than in 1915. The net excess of exports over imports in these six months was nearly R43 crores, as compared with R38 crores in 1916 and R28 crores in 1915. The total value of merchandise decreased by R8,56 lakhs, or nearly 5 per cent, to R180 crores.

(a) Includes the value of wheat exported on Government account.

(b) Includes the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.



## CHIEF INCREASES AND DECREASES.

Comparing the values of the imports and exports during the six months ended September, 1917, with those in the corresponding period of 1916, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

## I.—Imports.

Increases		Decreases	
R		R	
(thousands)		(thousands)	
Class II	{ Cotton (raw) . . . . . 7.23	Class III	{ Copper, wrought . . . . . 8.45
	{ Silk . . . . . 25.42		{ Cotton, coloured piecegoods . . . 1,49.76
	{ Wood (timber) . . . . . 9.52		{ Silk, piecegoods . . . . . 14.25
Class III	{ Chemicals . . . . . 10.08		{ Woollen piecegoods . . . . . 35.22
	{ Dyeing and tanning substances . 26.94	Class IV	{ Matches . . . . . 31.34
	{ Iron or steel sheets and plates . 19.09		{ Articles imported by post . . . 71.20

Increases		Decreases	
R		R	
(thousands)		(thousands)	
Class I	{ Ale, beer, and porter . . . . . 8.30	Class III	{ Bars, channel (steel) . . . . . 12.83
	{ Biscuits and cakes . . . . . 33.27		{ Paper (excluding pasteboard) . . . 28.21
	{ Canned and bottled provisions . . 20.28		{ Stationery . . . . . 9.61
	{ Sugar, 16 D S. and above . . . 45.51		{ Railway carriages and wagons . . . 34.82
Class II	{ Salt . . . . . 26.66		{ " materials for construction . 43.11
	{ Kerosene oil . . . . . 30.27		{ Machinery, etc.—prime movers, etc. 13.69
	{ Boots and shoes . . . . . 18.42		{ Textile machinery (cotton) . . . 17.28
Class III	{ Motor cars and motor cycles . . . 50.90		{ " (jute) . . . . . 21.40
	{ Drugs and medicines . . . . . 18.07		{ Cotton, twist and yarn . . . . . 40.84
	{ Hardware . . . . . 26.42		{ " grey piecegoods . . . . . 1,04.90
	{ Paints and colours . . . . . 12.33		{ Haberdashery and millinery . . . 25.37
	{ Earthenware and porcelain . . . 10.11		{ Tea-chests . . . . . 20.11
	{ Iron or steel—pipes and fittings, . 14.05	Class IV	{ Toys and requisites for games . . 9.72
	{ Oast . . . . .		{ Horses . . . . . 17.51

## II.—Exports.

Increases		Decreases	
R		R	
(thousands)		(thousands)	
Class I	{ Grain, pulse, and flour . . . . . 11,23.46	Class II	{ Lac . . . . . 53.02
			{ Mica . . . . . 16.10
			{ Groundnut seed . . . . . 11.78
			{ Cotton (raw) . . . . . 2,02.17
			{ Hemp (..) . . . . . 16.10
		Class III	{ Indigo . . . . . 24.70
			{ Opium . . . . . 39.95
			{ Hides, tanned . . . . . 28.10
			{ Cotton, twist and yarn . . . . . 73.10
			{ " piecegoods . . . . . 44.41

Increases		Decreases	
R		R	
(thousands)		(thousands)	
Class II	{ Coal, coke, etc. . . . . 26.74	Class II	{ Jute (raw) . . . . . 2,65.08
	{ Hides (raw) . . . . . 1,39.73		{ Silk (..) . . . . . 16.31
	{ Skins (..) . . . . . 40.00		{ Wool (..) . . . . . 53.45
	{ Castor seed . . . . . 5.92		{ Teakwood . . . . . 10.41
	{ Copra or coconut kernel . . . . . 57.42		{ Manures . . . . . 10.14
	{ Cotton seed . . . . . 21.28	Class III	{ Skins, tanned . . . . . 79.13
	{ Linseed . . . . . 2,45.09		{ Myrobalans . . . . . 19.42
	{ Rapeseed . . . . . 39.43		{ Oilcakes . . . . . 21.54
	{ Sesamum seed . . . . . 5.63	Class IV	{ Jute manufactures . . . . . 5,17.27
			{ Bran and pollards . . . . . 17.46

**Imports of Foreign Merchandise.**

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the six months ended September, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916:—

Principal Articles	Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (-) in the six months ended September, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	₹ (thousands)	₹ (thousands)	(thousands)	₹ (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes) . . .	—	—	81,06	73,01	—	—8,05
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars) . . .	—	—	1,24,57	70,42	—	—54,15
Chemicals . . . . .	—	—	1,07,09	1,17,17	—	+10,08
Coal, coke, and patent fuel . . . tons	19	16	7,10	4,69	—3	—2,41
Drugs and medicines . . . . .	—	—	81,47	63,40	—	—18,07
Dyeing and tanning substances . . .	—	—	28,07	55,01	—	+26,94
Fruits and vegetables . . . . .	—	—	19,01	19,25	—	+27
Glass and glassware . . . . .	—	—	79,82	74,98	—	—4,84
Hardware . . . . .	—	—	1,59,29	1,32,87	—	—26,42
Instruments, apparatus, etc. . . . .	—	—	1,01,99	88,95	—	—13,04
Liquors . . . . . gals	2,646	1,553	1,37,12	1,13,97	—1,033	—23,15
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery . . . . .	—	—	3,41,15	2,52,71	—	—88,44
Matches . . . . . gross	4,857	6,597	47,49	78,83	+1,740	+31,34
Metals, iron and steel . . . . . tons	152	87	4,81,14	4,01,78	—65	—79,40
„ copper . . . . . cwts	14	15	14,89	21,77	+1	+6,88
Oils—mineral . . . . . gals	45,500	32,358	2,25,43	1,89,55	—13,117	—35,88
Paper and pasteboard . . . . .	—	—	1,21,05	91,79	—	—29,26
Provisions and oilman's stores . . .	—	—	1,59,76	80,66	—	—79,10
Railway plant and rolling-stock . . .	—	—	1,15,87	31,72	—	—84,15
Salt . . . . . tons	245	139	96,74	70,08	—106	—26,66
Spices . . . . . lbs	67,375	62,837	86,11	75,11	—4,538	—10,97
Stationery . . . . .	—	—	41,15	31,54	—	—9,61
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above . . . cwts	3,476	3,099	5,65,90	5,20,48	—377	—45,51
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . „	13	17	5,78	13,01	+5	+7,23
„ twist and yarn . . . lbs	16,809	8,659	2,09,84	1,69,00	—8,150	—40,84
„ grey piecegoods . . . yards	481,702	309,636	9,02,74	7,97,75	—172,066	—1,04,99
„ white „ . . . „	346,679	273,296	7,09,57	7,13,69	—73,383	+3,52
„ coloured „ . . . „	227,243	217,809	6,93,23	8,42,99	—9,433	+1,49,76
„ other sorts of manufac- tures . . . . .	—	—	2,15,33	1,79,87	—	—35,46
Silk, raw . . . . . lbs	815	1,087	41,77	67,19	+272	+25,42
„ manufactures . . . . .	—	—	1,41,38	1,51,42	—	+10,04
Woollen manufactures . . . . .	—	—	78,54	1,08,31	—	+29,77

## Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the six months ended September, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916:—

Principal Articles	Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the six months ended September, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Chemicals—saltpetre . . . cwt's	285	277	56,79	53,85	—8	—2,94
Coal, coke, and patent fuel . . tons	483	189	43,90	17,16	—294	—26,74
Coir . . . . . cwt's	264	219	30,96	27,45	—25	—3,51
Dyes, indigo . . . . . "	9	15	61,84	86,04	+ 6	+ 24,20
„ myrobalans . . . . . "	744	445	45,04	25,62	—209	—19,42
Grain, pulse, and flour . . . value	—	—	15,38,72	26,67,18	—	+ 11,28,46
Hides, raw . . . . . cwt's	435	271	3,45,67	2,05,94	—164	—1,39,73
Skins, raw . . . . . "	285	221	2,85,73	2,45,64	—64	—40,09
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed—						
Hides { Private . . . . . "	117	12	2,03,29	12,90	—135	—1,90,39
Government . . . . . "	18	173	23,54	2,42,03	+ 155	+ 2,18,49
Total . . . . . "	165	185	2,26,83	2,54,93	+ 20	+ 28,10
Skins . . . . . "	89	31	2,13,19	1,84,06	—58	— 79,13
Total Hides and skins, tanned or dressed (including cow hides on Government account) . . . . . "	254	216	4,40,02	3,88,99	—38	—51,03
Lac—shell . . . . . "	181	132	1,09,30	1,66,06	—49	+ 56,76
Manures . . . . . tons	28	13	25,24	15,10	—15	—10,14
Mica . . . . . value	—	—	27,37	49,47	—	+ 16,10
Castor oil . . . . . gals.	1,074	1,157	16,22	19,85	+ 83	+ 3,63
Coconut oil . . . . . "	1,354	1,376	26,82	28,77	—18	+ 1,95
Oilcakes . . . . . cwt's	1,119	632	47,66	26,12	—517	—21,54
Opium . . . . . "	6	6	81,09	1,21,04	...	+ 39,95
Seeds—total . . . . . "	9,875	5,143	8,36,01	4,57,16	—4,792	—3,78,85
Castor . . . . . "	1,018	879	78,02	72,10	—139	—5,92
Copra . . . . . "	411	110	77,15	19,73	—301	—57,42
Cotton seed . . . . . "	570	19	22,03	75	—551	—21,28
Groundnuts . . . . . "	1,442	1,530	1,20,16	1,31,94	+ 88	+ 11,78
Linseed . . . . . "	4,576	1,490	3,81,04	1,35,95	—3,086	—2,45,09
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . cwt's	4,927	3,837	17,73,67	19,75,84	—1,090	+ 2,02,17
„ twist and yarn . . . lbs	77,379	75,398	3,41,70	4,14,80	—2,041	+ 73,10
„ piece goods . . . yards	92,404	89,951	1,79,91	2,24,32	—2,453	+ 44,41
Hemp, raw . . . . . cwt's	272	258	57,44	73,54	—14	+ 16,10
Jute, raw . . . . . tons	168	82	4,89,07	2,24,01	—86	—2,65,06
„ manufactures . . . value	—	—	21,80,32	16,63,05	—	—5,17,27
Wool, raw . . . . . lbs	28,444	19,321	2,23,55	1,70,10	—9,123	— 53,45
Wood, teak . . . . . cubic tons	14	7	26,00	15,59	—7	—10,41
„ other timber . . . . . "	1	1	70	69	...	—1

## TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of September, 1917, as compared with those of August, 1917, are stated below :—

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS, INCLUDING RE-EXPORTS	
	August, 1917	September, 1917	August, 1917	September, 1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	5.44	3.51	5.65	7.05
Bombay	4.42	6.00	5.58	6.16
Sind	1.30	1.39	3.33	2.88
Madras	1.64	1.26	1.69	1.61
Burma	1.71	75	1.79	1.52
Total	14.51	12.91	18.04(b)	19.22(b)

Under imports, Bombay showed an increase of 36 per cent and Sind of 7 per cent, while Bengal showed a decrease of 35 per cent, Madras of 23 per cent, and Burma of 56 per cent. Under exports, Bengal showed an increase of 25 per cent and Bombay of 10 per cent, while Sind showed a decrease of 13 per cent, Madras of 5 per cent, and Burma of 15 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (August, 1917).

## BALANCE OF TRADE.

India's Balance of Trade during the six months ended September, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916, is shown in the appended table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise and treasure on private account only, as well as the value of wheat, tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account :

	Six months, April to September, 1916	Six months, April to September, 1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports *	1,13,51(a)	1,11,47(b)
Imports	75,33	68,81
Excess of Exports over Imports	38.18	42.66
Net Imports of Gold *	5.33	12.76
„ „ „ Silver *	—1.21	1.16
Net Imports of Treasure *	4.12	13.92
Net Exports of Merchandise and Treasure*	34.06	28.74
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	10,28.1	29,21.2
Sterling bills on London sold in India	...	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	11	64.5
Interest on Enfaced Rupee paper	14.9	14.3
Average rate of exchange	September (1916) d. 16.109	September (1917) d. 16.91(c)

In the six months ended September, 1917, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R42,66 lakhs, as against R38,18 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, and the net imports of treasure on private account

\* Merchandise and treasure exclusive of Government transactions (other than "wheat," "tanned cowhides" and other articles of national importance" in the case of exports of merchandise).

(a) Include the value of wheat exported on Government account.

(b) Include the value of wheat and tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

(c) Approximate.

were R13,92 lakhs, as against R4,12 lakhs last year. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R28,74 lakhs, as against R34,06 lakhs in 1916.

The amount of Council Bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the six months ended September, 1917, was over R29,24 lakhs, of which R2,02 lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, over R10,93 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and about R16,29 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the six months ended September, 1916, the amount was about R10,28 lakhs, of which R99 lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R3,06 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and about R6,23 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the six months ended September, 1917, the amount of Council Bills paid was about R5,40 lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R56,100 represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and R65 lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the six months, April to September, 1917, while in the corresponding period of 1916, R21½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and R32½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

MOVEMENTS OF GOLD AND SILVER (PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT).

In the month of September, 1917, the imports of gold were valued at R2,40½ lakhs and the exports at over R4½ lakhs, as against nearly R7,16½ lakhs and about R1,000 respectively in August, 1917. Of the imports, gold bullion was valued at R1,05 lakhs, as against R1,52½ lakhs in the preceding month, while sovereigns and other British gold coin were valued at over R37½ lakhs, as against R3,91½ lakhs.

The imports of silver were valued at nearly R1,97 lakhs, of which R1,89½ lakhs were on Government account, as against nearly R2,15 lakhs on both private and Government account in August, 1917. The exports of silver were valued at approximately R31 lakhs, of which R11 lakhs were on Government account, as against about R28 lakhs, both on private and Government account in the preceding month.

DECLARED VALUE PER UNIT OF SELECTED ARTICLES.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during September, 1915, 1916, and 1917, are noted below :—

		SEPTEMBER						SEPTEMBER					
		1915		1916		1917		1915		1916		1917	
<i>Imports</i>		R	A. P.	R	A. P.	R	A. P.						
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwt	15	9 5	16	11 8	16	15 5						
Cotton, twist and yarn	lb	0	14 4	1	4 2	2	3 6						
" grey piecegoods	yard	0	2 5	0	3 2	0	4 3						
" white	"	0	2 10	0	3 4	0	4 3						
" coloured	"	0	3 7	0	5 5	0	6 0						
<i>Exports</i>								R	A. P.	R	A. P.	R	A. P.
Indigo	cwt							355	11 7	630	11 3	583	2 3
Cotton, raw	"							25	11 4	38	0 6	57	8 7
Jute, raw	bale							50	6 11	52	7 6	41	9 4

As compared with the corresponding month of the previous year (September, 1916), under imports, the declared unit value of sugar rose in September, 1917, by 1 per cent, of cotton, twist and yarn by 76 per cent, and of cotton piece goods, grey by 34 per cent, white by 37 per cent, and coloured by 25 per cent. Under exports, raw cotton showed an increase of 51 per cent, while indigo showed a decrease of 8 per cent, and raw jute of 21 per cent.

## CUSTOMS REVENUE.\*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal articles in September, 1917, as compared with August, 1917, and September, 1916 and 1913:—

	September 1913 (pre-war month)	September 1916	August 1917	September 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in September, 1917, as compared with		
	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	August 1917 R (thousands)	September 1916 R (thousands)	September 1913 R (thousands)
<b>IMPORT DUTY</b>							
<i>Special duties</i>							
Arms . . . . .	56	79(a)	50(a)	29(a)	—21	—50	—27
Liquors . . . . .	10,37	10,38	10,53	9,17	—136	—1,21	—1,20
Petroleum . . . . .	3,83	1,78 (b)	5,13(b)	2,78(b)	—2,35	+1,00	—1 05
Silver bullion and coin . . . . .	10,26	53	3,72	63	—3,69	+19	—9,61
„ manufactures . . . . .	—	21	14	27	+13	+6	—
Sugar . . . . .	11,67	11,87(c)	9,73(c)	10,48(c)	+75	—89	—1,19
Tobacco . . . . .	2,51	1,61	6,19	7,84	+1,65	+3,23	+5 73
<i>Duty at 2½ per cent</i>							
Machinery . . . . .	—	83	1,00	55	—54	—28	—
Metals—iron and steel . . . . .	99	1,71	1,89	1,34	—51	—33	—39
„ alloy plant, etc. . . . .	—	24	27	11	—16	—11	—
<i>Duty at 7½ per cent</i>							
Articles of food, etc., excluding sugar . . . . .	2,54	4,32	3,89	4,51	+62	+19	+1 97
Raw materials, etc. . . . .	1,16	4,00	3,46	3,85	+39	—21	+2,39
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—							
„ Cotton manufactures . . . . .	20,10	13,90	39,02	37,92	—1,10	+24,02	+17,82
„ Others . . . . .	20,53	24,49	28,79	23,98	—4,81	—51	+3,45
<b>Total (including other articles) . . . . .</b>	<b>55,61</b>	<b>81,98</b>	<b>1,16,81</b>	<b>1,04,55</b>	<b>—12,26</b>	<b>+22,57</b>	<b>+18,94</b>
<b>EXPORT DUTY (Total) . . . . .</b>	<b>6,48</b>	<b>20,27</b>	<b>26,20</b>	<b>24,78</b>	<b>—1,42</b>	<b>+4 51</b>	<b>+18, 0</b>

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the six months ended September, 1917, the import duties increased to nearly Rs.5,52 lakhs from Rs.4,78½ lakhs in the six months ended September, 1916, and the export duties rose to Rs.1,22½ lakhs from Rs.90½ lakhs. The grand total of gross Indian sea and land customs revenue (excluding salt) in the six months, April to September, 1917, amounted to about Rs.7,25 lakhs, as compared with over Rs.5,96 lakhs in the same period of last year.

## RAILWAY STATISTICS.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable index to the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April to 30th September, 1917, were Rs.37,25 lakhs, as against Rs.33,75 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, or an increase of Rs.3,50 lakhs.

\* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.

(a) Excludes the 7½ per cent duty on explosives.  
(b) „ „ „ petroleum.  
(c) „ „ „ confectionery.

## TRADE OF ADEN DURING AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER, 1917.

The grand total value of the imports and exports of merchandise, by sea into and from the port of Aden amounted to nearly Rs55 lakhs in the month of August and to nearly Rs48 lakhs in September, 1917. The value of the principal articles of imports and exports during August and September, 1917, was as follows:—

	August, 1917.		SEPTEMBER, 1917.	
	Imports Rs (thousands)	Exports Rs (thousands)	Imports Rs (thousands)	Exports Rs (thousands)
Cotton manufactures . . . . .	1,57	19,07	1,23	10,01
Hides and skins, raw . . . . .	1,43	3,23	5,11	6,40
Grain and pulse . . . . .	21	81	1,13	43
Coffee . . . . .	1,72	3,84	2,39	2,96
Coal . . . . .	4,57	—	—	—
Tobacco, unmanufactured . . . . .	1,40	2,12	57	1,21
Provisions . . . . .	36	23	66	16
Sugar . . . . .	7	—	13	—
Spices . . . . .	5	—	86	—
Salt . . . . .	—	1,01	—	50
Other articles . . . . .	1,84	8,14	7,74	6,03
<b>TOTAL VALUE . . . . .</b>	<b>16,22</b>	<b>55,45</b>	<b>19,53</b>	<b>27,73</b>

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## **PART III.**

**Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.**

### **Estate Major D. W. H. Humphreys, deceased.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Dashwood William Harrington Humphreys a Major in the 1-8th Gurkha Rifles, who died on active service on 17th February, 1917, Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to Joseph Carstairs Roberts Johnston of Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, are required to send in the same on or before 22nd November next to the said Messrs Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claim sent in subsequently will be recognized.

**J. C. R. JOHNSTON.**

**CALCUTTA,  
The 12th October, 1917.**

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### **LOST.**

The Allotment Letter No. 1002 Bom-1 of the 54 per-cent Loan of 1920 for Rs. 5,000 originally issued in the name of Bhikhabhai Nathubhai the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Allotment Letter and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

**Name of the Advertiser—BHIKHABHAI NATHUBHAI.**

**Residence—Mandal, Taluka Viramgam.**



**LOST.**

The Government Promissory Note No. 231691 of the 3½ per cent. Loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 100 (Rupees one hundred only) originally standing in the name of Jamshedjee Dadabhoy, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the Interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

The Public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—JAMSHEDJEE DADABHOY

Residence—Steamer Point, Aden.

No. 18161.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

(TELEGRAPHS.)

*Simla, the 29th October 1917.*

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Letter from the Director General of Posts and Telegraphs No. 710s-B.P., dated the 12th October 1917, embodying the Administration Report of the Posts and Telegraphs of India for the year 1916-17.

ORDERED that a copy of the letter be forwarded to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

C. E. LOW.

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

ANNUAL REPORT

ON

THE POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS OF INDIA

For the Year 1916-17.

*No. 710s.-B.P., dated Simla, the 12th October 1917.*

From—THE HON'BLE SIR WILLIAM MAXWELL, K.C.I.E., M.A.O., I.C.S.

*Director General of Posts and Telegraphs,*

To—THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

I have the honour to submit the 'Annual Report on the Posts and Telegraphs of India for the year 1916-17.

2. The administration was in the hands of Mr. C. H. Harrison up to the charge. 29th May 1916, and in my charge for the rest of the year.

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## POSTS.—General Remarks.

## General survey.

3. At the close of 1916-17 there were 96,260 postal officials, 19,409 post offices and 157,566 miles of mail lines. During the year 1,087 million articles, including 26½ million registered articles, were posted; stamps worth Rs. 3 crores 11 lakhs were sold for postal purposes; over 33 million money orders of the total value of Rs. 6 crores were issued; a sum of over Rs. 13½ crores was collected for tradesmen and others on value-payable articles; nearly 3½ million insured articles valued over Rs. 81 crores were handled; customs duty aggregating over Rs. 27 lakhs was realised on parcels and letters from abroad; pensions amounting to over Rs. 13½ lakhs were paid to Indian military pensioners; 16,873 lbs. of quinine were sold to the public. On the 31st March 1917 there were 1,647,419 Savings Bank accounts with a total balance of over Rs. 16½ crores and 26,519 Postal Life Insurance policies with an aggregate assurance of over Rs. 3 crores 71 lakhs. The total revenue and expenditure for the year, after making the various administrative adjustments, amounted to Rs. 4 crores 11 lakhs and Rs. 3 crores 54 lakhs, respectively.

## Field Post Office work.

4. The number of postal officials serving with the various Expeditionary Forces out of India rose during the year from 787 to 1,087. The staff of every unit deserve great credit for the manner in which they performed their duties in spite of many difficulties.

In Mesopotamia especially the maintenance of a reasonably efficient service taxed the Post Office severely, but I am glad to record that in his despatch of the 10th April 1917 the Army Commander commended the work of this Department in these words:—

“The Postal Service has been handicapped by the long distances to be covered and by the fact that other articles requiring carriage claimed precedence in order of urgency. It has had heavy mails to deal with and its duties have been well carried out.”

In order to ensure the correct delivery of correspondence for troops sent to India from the different Overseas Forces the Post Office undertook in August 1916 to maintain on the Card Index System an up-to-date record of the movements of all officers and men invalided from the front. A Returned Letter Office was established at Bombay and at the present time about 97 per cent. of the correspondence received for invalids are redirected to the addressees. The actual figures for July 1917 were 111,751 letters received and 108,555 letters redirected.

The “Post and Telegraph Comforts Fund” under the direction of Mrs. Harrison continued to provide special comforts for the members of the staff. Government recognised Mrs. Harrison’s excellent work in this connection by the award to her of the Kaiser-i-Hind Medal.

## Foreign Post.

5. The overland route *via* Marseilles was used for the conveyance of the letter mails, and the route *via* Gibraltar for the transmission of the parcel mails to and from the United Kingdom throughout the year.

The Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company’s mail steamer “Arabia,” which left Bombay on the 25th October 1916, was sunk in the Mediterranean by enemy action and none of the mails were saved.

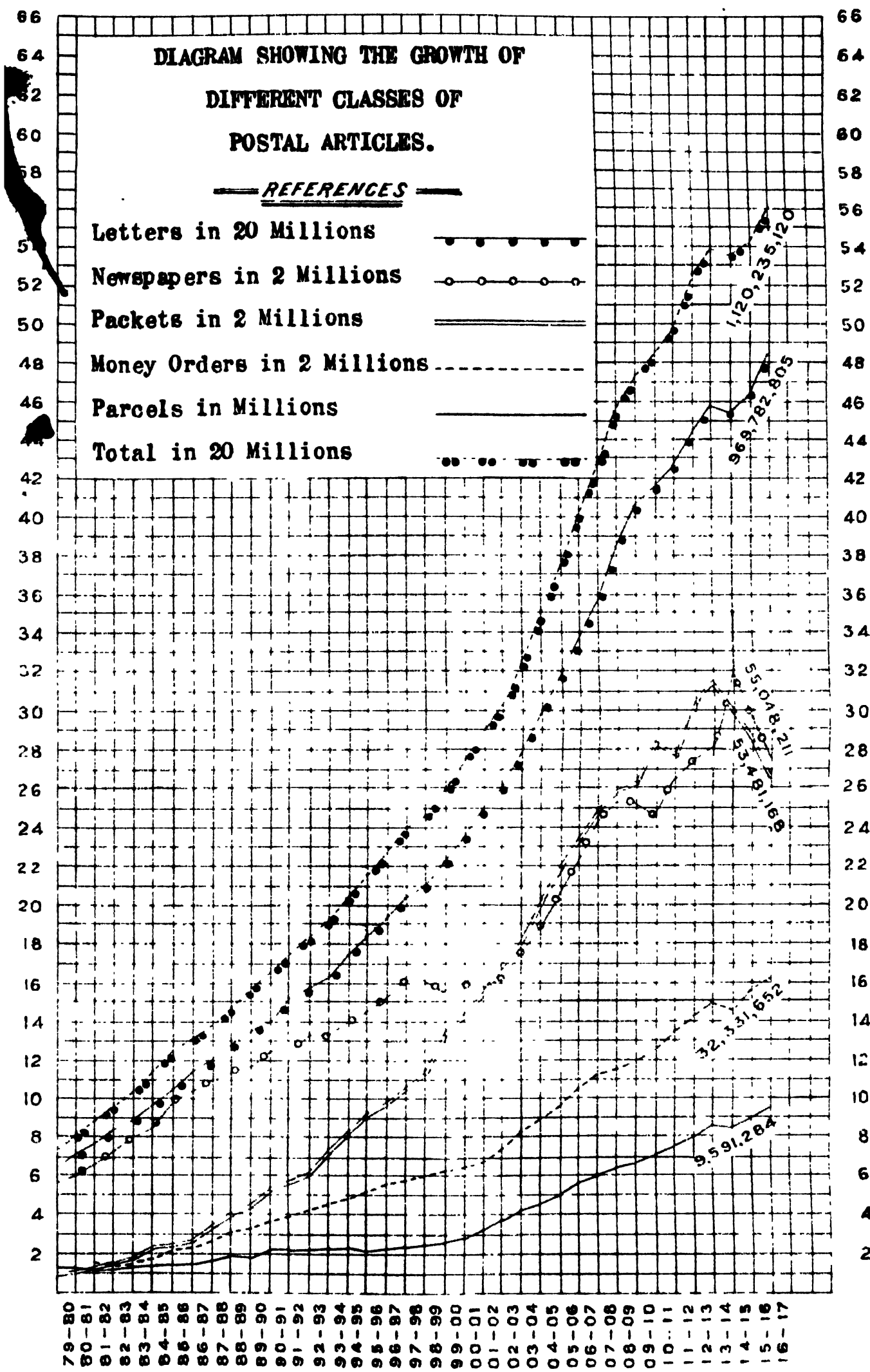
In spite of the difficulties referred to in my previous report, the British India Steam Navigation Company provided regular services on the three most important lines, *viz.*, the Calcutta-Rangoon (16 knots), Bombay-Karachi (15 knots) and Karachi-Basra (13 knots) and also on the Rangoon-Mergui line (10 knots). The Company also succeeded in carrying on seven other contract services though, of course, irregularly.

The aggregate amount that can be remitted by money order to the United States of America or Canada by a single individual to the same payee during a week was limited to £100.

The money order system was extended to the Philippine Islands and Ecuador.

## Increases of pay.

6. Increases of pay were granted during the year to 2 deputy postmasters, 357 sub-postmasters, 113 branch postmasters, 209 clerks and sorters, 603 postmen and village postmen, 654 runners and 482 other inferior servants.





7. Though the strain imposed on them by the War was greater than in the previous year, the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company were able to maintain their mail service to and from India efficiently. Out of 105 due sailings 103 were accomplished, 51 mails being received in India and 52 despatched to the United Kingdom.

Working of the P. & O. Contract

### Post Offices and Postal Communications.

8. There were 19,409 post offices and 49,763 letter-boxes at the close of the year, or 81 post offices and 79 letter-boxes more than in the preceding year. The number of post offices in charge of school-masters and other extra-departmental agents practically remained unaltered.

Post offices, letter-boxes and village postmen. (Appendix I, page 21.)

9. The total length of all mail lines by road, rail, river or sea was 157,566 miles, as detailed below:—

Postal communications. (Appendix I, page 21.)

	Runners.	Railway.	Mail carts, horses, camels, etc.	Steamers.	Motor cars.
Mileage at close of 1916-17 .. ..	91,337	34,924	11,958	18,406	741
Increase ( + ) or decrease (—) .. ..	+ 1,072	+ 347	+ 161	+ 1,826	+ 155

The marked decrease in the steamer mileage was due mainly to the temporary discontinuance of the subsidiary services between Bombay and the ports on the Persian Gulf. The figure 741 represents an annual travel of about seven hundred thousand miles by motor car.

### Postal Articles and Postage Stamps.

10. The total number of postal articles of all kinds, excluding money orders, transmitted during the year is estimated at 1,087 millions, being 36 millions more than in the preceding year, as detailed below:—

Statistics of postal articles. (Appendix II, page 22.)

Classes of postal articles	1916-17.	Increase ( + ) or decrease (—)	Percentage of increase ( + ) or decrease (—).
<i>Articles of the letter mail.</i>			
Paid unregistered letters .. ..	416,227,827	+ 13,010,070	+ 3.23
Unpaid letters .. ..	25,136,950	565,635	+ 2.21
Registered letters and packets (including insured and value payable). .. ..	20,166,708	682,764	+ 3.50
Postcards .. ..	509,800,270	+ 31,343,527	+ 6.55
"Registered" newspapers .. ..	55,048,211	—4,533,138	—7.61
Ordinary unregistered packets .. ..	47,915,557	—4,179,316	—8.02
Total .. ..	1,074,295,523	+ 35,758,272	+ 3.44
<i>Articles of the parcel mail.</i>			
Registered parcels .. ..	6,741,439	+ 692,454	+ 11.45
Unregistered parcels (including value-payable unregistered packets). .. ..	6,860,506	+ 24,582	+ .36
Total .. ..	13,607,945	+ 717,036	+ 5.56
GRAND TOTAL .. ..	1,087,903,468	+ 36,475,308	+ 3.47

The diagram on the adjoining leaf shows graphically the growth of postal traffic in its principal branches since 1879-80.

11. It is computed that out of the total of 1,121 million articles and money orders which were posted 99.76 per cent. were actually delivered or paid, as compared with 99.78 per cent. out of a total of 1,083 millions in the preceding year.

Delivery work.

Work of Dead Letter  
Offices.  
(Appendix III,  
page 23.)

## 12. The following details show the work done by Dead Letter Offices :—

	1915-16.	1916-17.
Postal articles received in Dead Letter Offices .. .. .	10,134,834	12,252,680
Redirected to addressees .. .. .	40 per cent.	43 per cent.
Redirected to senders .. .. .	39 per cent.	36 per cent.
Finally treated as undeliverable .. .. .	2,319,718	2,557,392

In Bengal, Madras and Bombay alone 156 articles without address, many containing money or valuables, were posted every day on an average. In articles opened by the five larger Dead Letter Offices, cheques, hundis, currency notes, bills of exchange, coins and other property of the nominal value of over 11 lakhs of rupees were found, and the great majority of these were successfully redirected to the addressees or the senders.

Foreign correspond-  
ence.

13. For the reasons stated in my previous report, statistics of correspondence sent to and received from foreign countries during the year were not kept.

Foreign parcels.

14. The total number of parcels despatched by the foreign post from this country was 513,596 as compared with 440,709 during the previous year, and the number received was 760,240 as compared with 570,513 in 1915-16. There was thus an increase of 16·54 per cent. in the number of export parcels and of 33·26 per cent. in the number imported.

The parcels sent to and received from the United Kingdom numbered 184,506 and 594,163 as compared with 164,989 and 436,893, respectively, during 1915-16. In addition to these 1,645 parcels were sent and 28 were received through the medium of the P. and O. Company.

Postage stamps.

15. The aggregate value of stamps issued for sale from treasuries was :—

Ordinary postage stamps and postal stationery ..	Nearly Rs. 4 crores 55 lakhs— increase about 16½ lakhs.
Service postage stamps and postal stationery ..	Nearly Rs. 63 lakhs—increase about 1½ lakhs.

The varieties of ordinary postage stamps and postal stationery issued in the largest quantities from the Central Stamp Depôts were as follows :—

	Number issued in	
	1915-16	1916-17
	(in millions)	
½ anna single postcard .. .. .	220½	231½
½ anna adhesive stamp .. .. .	154½	156½
¼ anna adhesive stamp .. .. .	116	105
1 anna adhesive stamp .. .. .	87	89
½ anna reply postcard .. .. .	89	80½
Small ½ anna envelope .. .. .	71	78

The total number of stamp booklets issued from the Central Stamp Depôts was 3,286,925 as compared with 2,850,622 in 1915-16, the increase being 15·3 per cent. Trade advertisements were printed on the covers and interleaves of a number of these booklets.

In addition to postage stamps, non-judicial and court-fee stamps are sold in many post offices but, except in Burma, postmasters act as private vendors of these stamps which do not form part of the Post Office balance. In Burma, where such stamps are kept by postmasters in the same way as postage stamps, the sales during the year amounted to Rs. 91,666 as against Rs. 90,955 in 1915-16.

### Insured and Value-payable Post.

Insurance business

16. The number of insured letters and parcels posted was 3,321,356 of the aggregate declared value of over 81 crores of rupees, being an increase of 235,002 or 7·08 per cent. in number and 9·86 per cent. in value. The insurance fees realised amounted to about 10½ lakhs of rupees.

Claims for compensa-  
tion.

17. The number of claims for compensation received in respect of insured articles was 275, of which 119 were admitted as well-grounded. The total amount paid as compensation was Rs. 25,375 as against Rs. 32,835 in 1915-16. Recoveries to the extent of Rs. 12,076 were, however, made so that the net loss to the Department was Rs. 13,299 as compared with Rs. 18,911 in the preceding year.

18. The total number of value-payable articles posted advanced from 8,653,213 to 9,819,015 and the aggregate amount specified for recovery rose from Rs. 12,92,58,531 to Rs. 13,68,66,943, an increase of 5.88 per cent. Value-payable business.

In Calcutta alone 2,434,305 value-payable articles were posted, and the Department realised for the tradesmen of that City a total sum of Rs. 3,25,67,381. The corresponding figures for the City of Bombay were 1,271,937 articles and Rs. 1,89,29,733 collected.

The number of value-payable articles despatched from India to Ceylon was 148,524, representing a total sum of Rs. 17,11,955, as compared with 150,098 articles valued at Rs. 15,11,126 in 1915-16.

### Money Orders.

19. The total number of money orders of all kinds, inland and foreign, issued was over 33 millions of the aggregate value of Rs. 63 crores as compared with 32 million money orders for Rs. 58½ crores in the preceding year. Money order business generally. [Appendix IV (a), page 24.]

20. More than 32 million inland money orders, ordinary and telegraphic, for a total sum of 57½ crores of rupees were issued, on which nearly 65½ lakhs of rupees was realised as commission. There was an increase over the previous year of 3.36 per cent. in number and of 6.72 per cent. in value. Inland money orders [Appendix IV (b) and IV (c), pages 25 and 26.]

21. The number of telegraphic money orders issued rose from 866,970 to 898,104 while their total value increased from Rs. 5 crores 76 lakhs to Rs. 6 crores 8 lakhs. The commission realised was Rs. 6,27,098 as compared with Rs. 5,95,726 in the preceding year. Telegraphic money orders [Appendix IV (b), page 26.]

22. In the sterling exchanges, which are in force with the United Kingdom and British Dominions and with foreign countries generally, the total number of money orders sent and received was 185,734 of the aggregate value of £1,372,316 as against 170,765 orders for £1,170,444 in the preceding year. Foreign money orders [Appendix IV (d), page 27.]

Foreign rupee money orders, which are exchanged with Ceylon, the Portuguese Settlements in India and countries and places in East Africa and the Far East, rose from 507,672 to 547,940 in number and from Rs. 2 crores 19 lakhs to Rs. 2 crores 67 lakhs in amount.

Remittances to India exceeded those from this country, the balance in India's favour being about £590,000 on sterling money orders and Rs. 2,29,00,000 on foreign rupee orders. In the case of the sterling money order exchanges the largest amounts were received from the United Kingdom (£279,176), Egypt (£237,365), Union of South Africa (£178,747), Italy (£106,748), France (£34,727) and New South Wales (£32,491) and in the case of the rupee exchanges from Ceylon (Rs. 114 lakhs), Federated Malay States (Rs. 50 lakhs), the Straits Settlements (Rs. 49 lakhs) and British East Africa (Rs. 18 lakhs).

23. The following figures show the year's transactions in British postal orders :— British postal orders.

	SOLD IN INDIA.			PAID IN INDIA.	
	Number.	Value.	Commission realised.	Number.	Value.
		£	Rs.		£
	281,009	177,688	17,317	296,230	126,150
Increase (+) or decrease (—)	—127,065	—102,165	—545	+108,895	+28,354



Nearly two-thirds of the orders sold were for 5, 10 and 20 shillings, although there are 41 denominations in all ranging from 6d. to 21 shillings. It may be noted that as many as 35,037 orders of the total value of £20,846 were sold in the field post offices with the Indian Expeditionary Forces in France and Mesopotamia.

Of the orders cashed 16,069 had originally been issued in India and their value aggregated £8,892.

### Post Office Savings Bank.

General results.  
(Appendix I,  
page 28.)

24. The number of active accounts was 1,617,419, representing a decrease of 78 per cent. The total balance at the credit of depositors rose from 15½ crores to over 16½ crores of rupees, or by 8.31 per cent. The average balance at the credit of a depositor was Rs. 100 as compared with Rs. 92 in 1915-16.

Transactions in Gov-  
ernment securities.

25. Investments in Government securities through the Post Office are shown in the following statement :—

	GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES.			INVESTMENT CERTIFICATE FOR FRACTIONAL AMOUNTS OF GOVERNMENT PROMIS- SORY NOTES.	
	(Nominal value.)			(Nominal value.)	
	Purchased.	Sold.	Held in custody of Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, on behalf of depositors.	Purchased.	Sold.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	24,09,300	7,66,000	2,04,21,600	68,799	2,19,684
Increase (+) or decrease (—)	+ 2,37,199	— 1,29,199	+ 34,51,000	+ 3,91,872	— 88,991
Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—)	+ 10.91	— 11.52	+ 20.35	81.43	28.83

Financial result of  
working the Post  
Office Savings Bank

26. An estimate of the financial result of working the Savings Bank is sub-joined in accordance with Resolution No. 2128, dated the 13th May 1902, of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department :

Receipts	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
	Rs.		Rs.
Interest at 3½ per cent. per annum on total balance at credit of depositors	55,72,053	Interest actually paid to depositors	45,47,318
		Estimated cost of managing the Bank.	5,78,309
Total	55,72,053	Total	51,25,618

### Miscellaneous Post Office Matters.

27. There was a deficit of Rs. 50,307 this year in the accounts of the Guarantee Fund owing to an unusual charge of Rs. 58,773 for converting 3½ per cent. Govern-ment Promissory Notes into the 4 per cent. Conversion Loan of 1916-17. The

Post Office Guar-  
antee Fund.  
Appendix VI,  
page 29.)

ordinary receipts and disbursements were, however, normal. The amount decreed against the Fund was Rs. 12,321 as compared with Rs. 15,099 in the previous year. A sum of Rs. 13,453 was paid in compassionate gratuities to deserving postal officials and their families as compared with Rs. 3,729 in 1915-16.

The balance of the Fund was Rs. 10,75,51 0.

28. The number of complaints made by the public was 81,531 as against 72,929 in 1915-16. Of the total number 36 per cent. were found to be justified as compared with 38 per cent. in 1915-16, while 37,671 or 46 per cent. proved to be groundless. In the remaining cases either no definite conclusion could be arrived at or the investigation had not been completed by the end of the year. Complaints by the public.

29. Compensation amounting to Rs. 2,409 was paid during the year in respect of inland uninsured registered letters, packets and parcels lost or damaged in course of transmission by post. Compensation for uninsured registered articles

30. The number of postal officials dealt with for criminal offences was 485, of whom 253 were convicted in Court and the remainder punished departmentally as against 491 offenders and 288 convictions in the preceding year. The defalcations and losses amounted to Rs. 47,758 as compared with Rs. 93,288 in 1915-16. By the end of the year adjustments had been effected to the extent of Rs. 33,406, of which only Rs. 4,784 was written off. Offences by postal officials (see para 21), (para 30)

31. The offences against the Post Office committed by persons not belonging to the Department included 23 cases of money order fraud involving a sum of Rs. 5,765 and two cases of fraudulent withdrawal from the Savings Bank of sums amounting to Rs. 1,499. There were 121 cases of the theft of Government money from mails and post offices in addition to highway robberies which are dealt with in the next paragraph. The total amount stolen was Rs. 23,769, of which Rs. 7,008 was recovered and Rs. 1,357 written off as totally lost, Rs. 12,404 remaining unadjusted at the close of the year. Offence by other persons

32. There were 27 cases of highway robbery, three of which were attended with murder. Highway robberies and murders

A runner carrying mails from Bhawanipatna to Belagiri in the Patna Native State in Orissa was hacked to pieces. The mail bags, from one of which a cash bag containing Rs. 25 had been extracted, were found beside his body. Of the five men who were prosecuted three were sentenced to transportation for life and two to rigorous imprisonment for ten years.

A postman at Benares was murdered while on his beat. Five men were charged but only one was convicted and he was sentenced to death. An extraordinary pension of Rs. 3 a month was granted to the widow of the deceased postman.

There were six cases of raids on mails in the districts of Localai and Chagui and the Native State of Kalat (Baluchistan Agency).

Of the total number of attacks 25 occurred in British Territory and two in Native States. The mail was entirely recovered in five and partly in 20 cases, the loss to Government up to the close of the year amounting to Rs. 1,194. Prosecutions were instituted in seven cases and convictions were obtained in all of them.

33. A mail guard and a mail ekke driver were drowned- the former on board a mail steamer which sank during a storm and the latter while attempting to cross a river in flood. A sub-postmaster was shot dead by robbers who raided a post office Other casualties.

in Baluchistan. Of other postal servants who met their death on duty one was bitten by a snake, another died from the effects of a carriage accident and a third was buried under a landslip caused by an earthquake.

**Post Office staff.**

34. On the 31st March 1917 the total number of postal officials was 96,260 as compared with 95,746 at the close of 1915-16. The figure includes 294 pensioned soldiers of the Indian Army and 112 women, of whom 98 were Europeans or Eurasians.

The number of officials dismissed was 498 as against 518 in the previous year and of this number 229 were postmen or village postmen.

**Buildings.**

35. The most important building completed during the year was the Administrative Office at Nagpur — a very fine structure — and among other projects finished were the post offices at Namkhana, Motihari, Shikarpur, Akyab, Prome, Insein, Maubin, Kamayut and Sanawar and the telegraph offices at Benares Cantonment and Bangalore. The office and residence of the Superintendent of post offices, Raipur, was also completed.

**Financial results of working the posts in Kashmir.**

36. The revenue obtained from post offices situated in the Kashmir and Jammu State was Rs. 2,69,115 as compared with Rs. 2,47,919 in 1915-16 and Rs. 2,40,773 in 1914-15, while the expenditure amounted to Rs. 2,86,054 as against Rs. 2,80,124 in 1915-16 and Rs. 2,59,689 in 1914-15, the actual deficit during the year being Rs. 16,939. The growth in expenditure was chiefly owing to increases in the cost of establishment.

**Non-postal Branches of the Post Office.****Post Office Insurance Fund.**  
[Appendices VIII (a), VIII (b) and IX, pages 31 to 33]

37. There were 1,739 new Life Insurance and Endowment Assurance policies of the aggregate value of Rs. 25,43,685 as against 1,676 for Rs. 20,86,352 in 1915-16. The number taken by pure Asiatics was 1,638 and two were obtained by women. Of the policies held by women one was surrendered during the year, and there are now 30 female policy holders in all.

Three new contracts for monthly allowances were entered into, the amount secured being Rs. 35-15-0.

Three Life Annuities were also purchased from the Post Office under Article 807 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The total sum realised on account of premia on old and new policies taken together amounted to Rs. 14,64,978 as compared with Rs. 14,40,355, representing the revised figure for the previous year. Claims to the extent of Rs. 8,96,850 were discharged as compared with Rs. 9,43,312 in 1915-16, while 604 policies for a gross sum of Rs. 6,04,134 lapsed or were surrendered or cancelled.

**Receipt of salt revenue.**

38. The Post Office acted as an agent for the receipt of salt revenue at certain selected offices in the Punjab and North-West Frontier, United Provinces, Bihar and Orissa, Bengal and Assam, and Central Circles. As shown by the following figures there was a marked decrease in this class of business :—

				1916-17.	1915-16.
Post offices authorised to receive salt revenue	..	Number		298	291
Indents received	.. .. .	..	..	1,871	4,028
Quantity of salt indented for	.. .. .	..	Maunds	528,290	1,202,749
Value of salt indented for	.. .. .	..	Rs.	7,64,580	14,65,543
Postal commission realised	.. .. .	..	Rs.	1,293	2,693

39. The Post Office obtained 16,873 lbs. of quinine for sale to the public during the year under report as compared with 16,136 lbs. in the preceding year. Sale of quinine.

40. The number of men of the Indian Army whose pensions were paid through the agency of the Post Office in the Punjab and North-West Frontier Province was 65,670 as compared with 54,965 in 1915-16, the amount disbursed being Rs. 43,55,347 as against Rs. 34,78,496 in the previous year. The Post Office received Rs. 32,665 as commission for this special service. Payment of Indian military pensioners.

#### Financial Results of the Post Office.

41. The Post Office accounts show the following results :—

Financial position of the Post Office. (Appendix A, page 34.)

—			Receipts.	Charges.	Surplus.
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1915-16	..	..	3,67,63,238	3,16,53,791	51,09,447
1916-17	..	..	3,93,37,391	3,17,21,057	76,16,334

After allowing for the sum of Rs. 9,26,449 charged against the Post Office in the Finance and Revenue Accounts of the Government of India and after making the usual adjustments, notably in connection with free services rendered by or to the Department, the net surplus was Rs. 56,39,292 as compared with Rs. 32,11,264 for the previous year. This amount is exclusive of any credit for the maintenance of unremunerative post offices and lines required for military or political purposes.

#### TELEGRAPHS - General Remarks.

42. At the close of the year under review the total number of telegraph officials was 10,931 of whom 151 were women. The number of telegraph offices was 10,740 of which 8,911 were open to the public. The latter comprised 194 departmental offices, 3,332 combined post and telegraph offices, 5,361 railway and 24 canal offices. General survey.

During the year 19,297,692 telegrams were transmitted over the lines of the Department, an increase of 1,167,944 over 1915-16.

The total number of signalling operations entailed in the transmission of all telegrams from the office of origin to the office of destination was 92,315,117, with an average of 4.78 operations per telegram as against 4.98 for 1915-16.

Owing to the need for conserving stocks, the construction of lines was necessarily curtailed and was practically confined to meeting urgent military and political requirements. The telegraph system was extended by 1,413 miles of line and 5,767 miles of wire and cable conductors, and consisted on the 31st March 1917 of 87,480 miles of line and cable and 343,187 miles of wire and cable conductors.

The number of instruments of all kinds rented from the Department was 32,588, of which 7,126 were in use on railways, 1,573 on canals and 23,889 on private lines.

The total receipts of the Telegraph Department amounted to Rs. 2 crores 8 lakhs and the working charges to Rs. 1 crore 37 lakhs as against Rs. 1 crore 86 lakhs and Rs. 1 crore 42 lakhs, respectively, for the previous year.

The chief items of revenue were :—

	Rs.
Fees on telegrams .. .. .	1,54,55,000
Claims from railways and canals .. .. .	30,20,000
Claims from guarantors .. .. .	1,03,000
Rent from telephone connections .. .. .	11,00,000
Royalties from telephone companies .. .. .	1,22,000

Statistics maintained by 74 of the principal offices showed that 30 per cent. of the telegrams handed in were transmitted within 10 minutes of acceptance and 48 per cent. within 20 minutes, also 65 per cent. of the telegrams received for delivery were sent out to the addressees within 10 minutes of receipt.

**Principal events.**

43. With effect from the 1st April 1916 a reduction of five annas a word was made in the rate for state telegrams exchanged between India and Mesopotamia, and from the same date reductions varying from two to four annas a word were made in the rates for state telegrams between India on the one side and Persia and Persian Gulf on the other.

On the 1st February 1917 deferred foreign telegrams were introduced between India and Mesopotamia at half the ordinary rates.

From the 1st September 1916 a telegraphic money order service was introduced between India on the one side and Mesopotamia and the Persian Gulf on the other. The telegraph charges for these advices are the same as for private telegrams.

With effect from the 1st December 1916 the unit charge for ordinary inland telegrams was raised from six annas to eight annas for 12 words or less, the charge for every additional word remaining at half an anna. The actual effect of the change was obscured by the decrease in telegraph business caused by the falling off in trade from about the same date, and it is not yet possible to judge whether the increase in rates has caused any appreciable reduction in the number of ordinary inland messages. At the end of the year the increase in the unit charge had resulted in a very small increase in the percentage of private telegrams containing not more than 12 words, with a corresponding decrease in the percentage of telegrams containing more than 12 words, and a slight reduction in the average number of chargeable words.

Certificates in telegraphy were granted to 67 soldiers and 560 post office clerks.

The Co-operative Credit Societies at various Central Telegraph offices have all done very good work. A Junior Co-operative Society which has been started at Bombay for the benefit of the delivery peons and line staff has made satisfactory progress.

A sum of Rs. 1,26,357 was disbursed to the members of the signalling establishment as overtime allowance for the disposal of work outside the ordinary hours of duty as compared with Rs. 60,864 in the preceding year. The increase was due partly to the growth in the total traffic, but mainly to the preponderance of lengthy state telegrams and to the replacement of the skilled telegraphists deputed on field service by less highly trained and experienced operators.

A sum of Rs. 1,87,255 was earned by telegraphists as "pie-money" or remuneration for messages disposed of in excess of certain standards, the corresponding amount for 1915-16 being Rs. 1,55,156.

The large amount of additional work imposed by the war on the Telegraph Branch of the Department continued throughout the year under review in nearly every section of the Branch.

The number of telegraph officials on field service in Mesopotamia and East Africa at the end of the year was 2,498, as detailed below—

Superior officers .. .. .	13
Deputy superintendents, telegraph masters, inspecting telegraphists, civil and military telegraphists, clerks and telephone operators ..	482
Sub inspectors, linemen and workmen .. .. .	2,003

The total value of telegraph stores issued departmentally in connection with the various Expeditionary Forces was Rs. 13,60,899 while stores worth Rs. 7,24,783 were sent direct to the Military Authorities and the Indo-European Telegraph Department. The telegraph staff of all grades continued to carry out their duties satisfactorily both in the field and in India.

#### Inland Telegrams.

44. The inland telegrams show an increase over the preceding year of 927,343 or about 6 per cent. in number and of Rs. 14,59,056 or about 14 per cent. in value. The disproportionate increase in value is due partly to the enhancement of the unit charge for ordinary telegrams and partly to the large number of lengthy state messages necessitated by military operations.

Inland telegrams.  
[Appendix XIV (1),  
page 42.]

State telegrams rose by about 25 per cent. in number and by about 11 per cent. in value.

Private telegrams increased by 7 per cent. in number and by 16 per cent. in value. The increase in number was confined to the first eight months of the year and there was an actual decrease in the total number of private telegrams of all classes during the concluding four months. This decline, though caused partly by the raising of the charge for ordinary telegrams, was due mainly to the slackening of trade which set in about the end of December 1916.

Press telegrams decreased by 20 per cent. in number and 19 per cent. in value. The diminution of this class of traffic was effected mainly by the circulation of casualty lists by post and by the reduction of the number of Government officials authorised to receive Reuter's summary and Indian News Agency telegrams.

The average value of a state telegram was Rs. 1.498 as compared with Rs. 1.346 in the previous year; of a private telegram Re. 0.611 as against Re. 0.566 in 1915-16; and of a press telegram Re. 0.795 in 1916-17 and Re. 0.778 in 1915-16.

45. The total number of inland telegraphic money orders was 922,759 yielding telegraph revenue to the amount of Rs. 4,48,114 as against 880,843 and Rs. 4,04,033, respectively, in the previous year.

Inland telegraphic money orders.  
[Appendix XIV (2),  
page 43.]

46. The total number of combined post and telegraph offices open on the 31st March 1917 was 3,332 with a staff of 4,724 signallers as against 3,288 offices and 4,833 signallers at the close of the preceding year. The net increase in the number of combined offices was 44 as compared with 89 in the previous year.

Combined post and telegraph offices.

Excluding free messages the number of telegrams sent from combined offices increased from 10,619,964 to 11,188,640 or by 5 per cent. The revenue rose from Rs. 59,34,410 to Rs. 63,05,568, or by 9 per cent., while the working charges were Rs. 16,18,552 as compared with Rs. 15,66,669 representing the revised figure for

the previous year. The number of telegrams delivered by these offices was 9,241,692 as against 8,923,733 during 1915-16.

Postal receiving  
offices.

47. In addition to the messages sent and received from combined post and telegraph offices, 73,721 telegrams were accepted by other post offices for transmission by post to telegraph offices and the revenue realised on them was Rs. 41,328. The corresponding figures for 1915-16 were 79,011 and Rs. 41,444.

The total number of telegrams received at post offices in the Persian Gulf for the Indo-European Telegraph Department was 180 as against 495 during the foregoing year, and the fees levied on them amounted to Rs. 884 as compared with Rs. 6,678 in 1915-16.

#### Foreign Telegrams.

Foreign telegrams  
generally.  
[Appendix XIV (3),  
page 43.]

48. The total number of foreign telegrams dealt with during 1915-16 to 1,715,185 containing 25,838,649 words in 1915-16 to 1,715,185 containing 25,838,649 words in 1916-17, the increase being 17 per cent. in the number of telegrams and 17 per cent. in the number of words. The total value was Rs. 34,36,794 as against Rs. 30,52,939 in the previous year, an increase of 12 per cent.

State foreign telegrams showed an improvement of 35 per cent. in number and 17 per cent. in words, but a falling off of 8 per cent. in value. This decline was due to the reductions in rates referred to in paragraph 43 of this report. The Bombay Office of the Eastern Telegraph Company, Ltd., rendered invaluable assistance in the disposal of the large number of state telegrams to and from Mesopotamia *via* India, and this Department is greatly indebted to Mr. H. A. Lynn Robinson, the Company's General Superintendent at Bombay, for his ready help and advice not only in connection with this traffic but on all occasions.

Private foreign telegrams paid at full rates diminished by 7 per cent. in number, 4 per cent. in words and 62 per cent. in value owing mainly to the more extensive use of messages of the deferred class.

Private foreign telegrams at deferred (half) rates advanced by 136 per cent. in number, 143 per cent. in words and 154 per cent. in value. The abnormal increase is chiefly due to the freer use of this cheaper class of telegrams on account of the prohibition of code language.

Week-end telegrams at one-fourth rates exchanged with soldiers, sailors and nurses serving with the Allied Forces rose by 239 per cent. in number, 232 per cent. in words and 208 per cent. in value.

Press foreign telegrams expanded by 25 per cent. in number, 15 per cent. in words and 7 per cent. in value.

Telegrams exchanged  
with Ceylon.

49. The total number of telegrams originating in India for delivery in Ceylon and *vice versa* was 252,089, an increase of 3 per cent. over the preceding year.

Telegraphic money  
order advices ex-  
changed with Ceylon,  
Mesopotamia and  
the Persian Gulf.

50. The number of telegraphic money order advices exchanged with Ceylon was 41,058 as against 42,661 in the previous year, an increase of 3 per cent.

There were 45 telegraphic money order advices exchanged with Mesopotamia and the Persian Gulf during the period from the 1st September 1916 to the 31st March 1917.

Interruptions of tele-  
graphic communica-  
tion with foreign  
countries.

51. There was no total interruption of cable communication with Europe *via* Suez during the year. The routes to Europe *via* Teheran and *via* Turkey have

remained interrupted since the 31st July 1914 and 2nd November 1914, respectively.

The route to China *via* Bhamo was totally interrupted from the 31st January to the 19th July 1916, and subsequently for 199 hours beyond India and 69 hours within India. During 1915-16 this route was interrupted beyond India for 69 hours and for 47 hours within India.

Direct communication with Australia *via* Madras was maintained throughout the year except on three days in February when there were interruptions on the Singapore-Madras cables.

Rs. 7,24,783

#### Wireless Telegraphy.

Telegraph Stations in India worked satisfactorily except during periods when their duties were interrupted. Working of wireless stations.

Several batteries were renewed, the work being carried out without any interruption of communication.

#### Telephones.

53. The expansion of the telephone system was not as great as would have been the case in normal times. In the latter part of the year it was necessary to impose restrictions on the supply of new connections, only such as were required for military or political purposes being allowed. Progress in provision of telephonic communication.

New public exchanges were opened at Waltair and Barrackpore, and the latter was connected to the Calcutta exchange by six trunks, thus meeting a long-felt want.

The Automatic Telephone system at Simla continued to give satisfaction and at one time during the season every available number on the switchboard was in use. As the extra hundred-line extension panel ordered last year did not arrive, a hundred-line Central Battery switchboard had to be installed to permit of new Government connections being established.

The overhead telephone wires in Bankipore were replaced by underground cables and the exchange formerly located in the old telegraph office was shifted to the new post and telegraph office in the New Capital.

The Calcutta Magneto Exchange was converted to a Central Battery system on the 15th September 1916 and a much prompter and more efficient service has resulted.

A considerable improvement was effected in the departmental telephone system at Bombay. A new exchange room was fitted up with two hundred-line switchboards and the heavier sections of line were replaced by aerial cable.

The Tavoy telephone system was extended, reconstructed and refitted during the year to meet the requirements of the wolfram mining operations.

The Indore telephone exchange was also refitted during the year.

54. The gross rental of all telephones provided by this Department, excluding those supplied to railways and canals, was Rs. 10,56,625 in 1916 as against Rs. 9,75,988 for the preceding year. There are now 226 telephone exchanges owned and maintained by Government, of which 56 are operated by this Department, and the number of connections at the end of 1916 was 6,511 as against 224 exchanges Telephone statistics.



with 5,890 connections on the 31st December 1915. There were also 1,115 offices connected to independent non-exchange circuits as compared with 1,107 in the previous year. The number of operators employed in the exchanges worked by the Department was 202.

Telephone exchanges established by companies.

55. At the end of 1916 the number of exchanges established by licensed telephone companies was 13 with 12,894 connections as compared with 13 exchanges and 10,766 connections at the close of the preceding year. The rental of these systems rose from Rs. 19,53,464 to Rs. 23,68,685. The restrictions referred to in paragraph 53 apply also to these systems and may adversely affect their extension during 1917.

#### Construction and Maintenance.

Line construction and maintenance.

56. Two copper wires for train control purposes were laid between the East Indian Railway between Naini and Sutna.

Three cables were laid across the Koladyne, Irrawaddy and Salween rivers, respectively, in Burma.

Cyclones of exceptional severity visited Bengal in September and Madras in November. The telegraph lines were extensively damaged on both occasions but communication was promptly restored.

Fitting and refitting of offices.

57. The refitting of the Lahore office and the first fitting of the new Central Telegraph office at Rangoon were in progress at the end of the year.

The telegraph offices at Benares City, Bangalore, Cuttack, Darjeeling, Imphal, Kharagpur, Ranchi and Saidpur were also refitted during the year.

#### Telegraph Stores and Workshops.

Telegraph Stores.

58. The value of the stock at the beginning of the year was Rs. 44,51,558, and stores to the value of Rs. 44,28,097 were received of which Rs. 17,15,462 represented the value of those imported from England ready for issue, Rs. 12,21,255 the value of articles transferred from the Workshops and Rs. 3,54,142 the cost of stores purchased in India. The issues during the year amounted to Rs. 47,00,729 of which Rs. 15,36,347 represented transfers to other Government Departments and sales to the public. The value of the stock in hand on the 31st March 1917 was Rs. 41,78,926.

Telegraph Workshops.

59. The Telegraph Workshops were very active throughout the year. The value of the outturn was Rs. 15,05,000 as compared with Rs. 14,73,000 representing the figure for 1915-16 which had not previously been attained.

The output of iron castings declined from 2,400 tons in 1915-16 to 1,500 tons in 1916-17 and the manufacture of galvanized steel tubes for telegraph poles from 126,000 to 75,200 owing to reduced demands.

Fifty-two masts varying in height from 55' to 254' were made during the year.

A new type of mast on original lines much cheaper than, and having other important advantages over, the existing type was designed in the Workshops and standardised during the year.

The instrument branch continued to work under heavy pressure throughout the year and 7,813 of the principal instruments were made. Large numbers were manufactured for the Army Department and among them were 1,564 field service telephones.

The number of instruments repaired increased from 13,098 in 1915-16 to 14,661 in 1916-17.

By working night and day the instrument machine shops were able to turn out, in addition to the instrument parts required, very considerable quantities of munitions.

The value of raw materials and stores consumed for all purposes was Rs. 12,23,500. Rs. 3,85,000 on account of local purchases.

During 1916-17 a traveller to foundry furnaces was erected, somewhat novel of handling foundry materials and proved economical.

#### Results of the Telegraph Department.

Accounts for the last three years show the following results :—

Financial position of the Telegraph Department. (4; *passim* XVII, page 47.)

	Receipts.	Revenue charges.	Surplus.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1914-15 .. .. .	1,70,59,931	1,40,66,947	29,92,987
1915-16* .. .. .	1,85,78,406	1,42,20,653	43,57,753
1916-17 .. .. .	2,07,82,482	1,36,74,010	71,08,472

\*Revised figures.

Revenue charges include gratuities, leave allowances paid out of India and the average capitalised value of pensions paid to telegraph officials, while the receipts include the *pro forma* value of news-free and concessional traffic. No credit is, however, taken for the services rendered by the Department in the care and maintenance of large quantities of mobilisation telegraph stores which are kept at the disposal of the military authorities at various centres; nor is any allowance made for the very heavy expenditure, both initial and recurring, that has been incurred in connection with the erection and upkeep of the various wireless stations for which there is practically no monetary return.

The capital account of the Department was increased by Rs. 30,14,201 during 1916-17 and amounted to Rs. 13,03,14,359 at the end of the year.

#### PERSONAL MATTERS.

61. The following officials of the Post Office and Telegraph Department have been mentioned in despatches for meritorious service in the field, in addition to those whose names were shown in the Annual Report for 1915-16 :—

##### POSTAL.

Mr. A. B. Thompson ..	..	Late Director, Postal Services, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force.
„ T. R. Hill .. ..	..	Assistant Director, Postal Services, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force.



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M. B. Ahmad Fakhriy . . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

**NAINI TAL.**

M. Faqir Ulla . . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

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### ENGLISH, GROUP A.

#### FIRST CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

Serial in order. No. of merit			
1	1	Ray, Kumudbandhu	... Presidency College
2	2	Ghosh, Jyotishchandra	... Ditto.

#### SECOND CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

3	3	Deyvarma, Sachindralal	... Non-Collegiate Student.
4	4	Ghosh, Brajendrakumar	... Presidency College
5	5	Nrineschandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
6	6		... Ditto.
7	7	Ray, Nripendraharis	... Presidency College.
8	8	Praphullanath	... Ditto.
9	9	Raha, Birendrakumar	... Ditto.
10	10	Majumdar, Girijakanta	... Presidency College.
11	11	Bandyopadhyay, Mohanlal	... Ditto.
12	12	Dasgupta, Niradranjan	... Ditto.
13	13	Abdur Rub Choudhury	... University Student.
14	14	Gangopadhyay, Anilbhushan	... Non-Collegiate Student.
15	15	Bandyopadhyay, Kirtishchandra	... University Student.
16	16	Chakrabarti, Pramathanath	... Dacca College.
17	17	Chattopadhyay, Amulyaratan	... University Student.
18	18	Dasgupta, Kshitishchandra	... Presidency College.
19	19	Pal, Bankimchandra	... University Student.
20	20	Sinha, Jogeschandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
21	21	Datta, Satyendrakumar	... Presidency College.
22	22	Sengupta, Satindranath	... University Student.
23	23	Das, Pabitrath	... Presidency College.
24	24	Gangopadhyay, Srischandra	... University Student.
25	25	Bandyopadhyay, Binodbihari	... Ditto.
26	26	Mukhopadhyay, Dhirendranath	... Presidency College.
27	27	Chaudhuri, Sisirkumar	... Non-Collegiate Student.
28	28	S. S. Gopalakrishnan	... Ditto.
29	29	V. Sayanna Sastri	... Ditto.
30	30	Mandal, Nanilal	... University Student.
31	31	Lahiri, Harischandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
32	32	Ghosh, Birajakanta	... Dacca College.
33	33	Sengupta, Kantichandra	... Presidency College.
34	34	Dasgupta, Narendranath	... University Student.
35	35	Ghosh, Rajendrakumar	... Non-Collegiate Student.
36	36	Chaudhuri, Durgakanta	... Ditto.
37	37	Dasgupta, Jitendranath	... Ditto.
38	38	Mukhopadhyay, Saurindranath	... Ditto.
39	39	Sarkar, Haridas	... University Student.

#### THIRD CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Bandyopadhyay, Prakaschandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Chaudhuri, Durgapada	... Presidency College.
3	3	Thakur, Vidyananda	... Non-Collegiate Student.

Serial In order  
No. of merit.

4	4	De, Birendrachandra	...	University Student.
5	5	Chattopadhyay, Abhayapada	...	Ditto.
6	6	Bagchi, Gopendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
7	7	Bandyopadhyay, Dhirendranath	...	Presidency College.
8		Sengupta, Pareschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
9	8	Mukhopadhyay, Nanigopal	...	Ditto.
10	9	Sengupta, Durgaprasanna	...	Ditto.
11	10	N. Ranga Swami	...	Ditto.
12	11	Majumdar, Dinanath	...	Ditto.
13	12	Mitra, Durgacharan	...	University Student.
14		Basu, Sisirkumar	...	Dacca College.
15	13	Majumdar, Jitendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
16		Sen, Nibaranchandra	...	Ditto.
17		Aditham Narayanamurti	...	University Student.
18	14	Bandyopadhyay, Manindramohan	...	Ditto.
19		Ghosh, Sureshchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
20	15	Basu, Satyakinkar	...	University Student.
21		Ghosh, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
22	16	Bandyopadhyay, Upendranath	...	Ditto.
23		Sahu, Bhutnath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
24	17	Bandyopadhyay, Bishnupada	...	Ditto.
25		Bhattacharyya, Bamanchandra	...	University Student.
26	18	Maitra, Dwijeschandra	...	Ditto.
27	19	Kanjilal, Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
28		Ray, Badrinarayana	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
29	20	Bandyopadhyay, Bidhubhushan	...	Presidency College.
30		Gangopadhyay, Girishchandra	...	University Student.
31	21	Guha, Bijaychandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
32		Dasgupta, Sachindrabhushan	...	University Student.
33	22	Majumdar, Brajanath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
34		Poddar, Radharanjan	...	Ditto.
35		Ray, Mrigankakumar	...	Ditto.
36	23	Bandyopadhyay, Rameschandra	...	University Student.
37		Law, Sailendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
38		Basu, Jitendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
39	24	Chattopadhyay, Surendranath	...	Presidency College.
40		Majumdar, Harinarayan	...	Dacca College.
41		Dasgupta, Asruman	...	University Student.
42	25	Gangopadhyay, Makhanlal	...	Ditto.
43		Sanyal, Saileschandra	...	Presidency College.
44	26	Dattachaudhuri, Debendranath	...	University Student.
45		Haldar, Sudhansukumar	...	Ditto.
46		Bandyopadhyay, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
47	27	" Maniklal	...	Ditto.
48		Chaudhuri, Satishchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
49		Ray, Pramodanath	...	University Student.
50	28	Sen, Saratkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
51	29	Basu, Sunilkumar	...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
52		Ray, Prabhuschandra	...	University Student.
53		Chakrabarti, Haripada	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
54	30	Das, Adwaitaprasad	...	University Student.
55		Mukhopadhyay, Tarapada	...	Ditto.
56	31	Das, Nisikanta	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
57		Gangopadhyay, Anulyakumar	...	Ditto.
58		Brahma, Nisikanta	...	University Student.
59	32	De, Rameschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
60		Ghosh, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
61		Ray, Pasupati	...	Ditto.
62	33	Basu, Jadabendra	...	University Student.
63		Dasgupta, Ramanimohan	...	Ditto.
64	34	Mukhopadhyay, Arindrajit	...	Ditto.
65		Palit, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
66	35	Bandyopadhyay, Harikumar	...	Ditto.
67		A. K. M. Abdul Latif	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
68	36	Chattopadhyay, Tulsidas	...	Ditto.
69		Datta, Anandakumar	...	Ditto.

		Chyay, Bilaschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
		ibhushan	...	Presidency College.
			...	Non-Collegiate Student.
71			...	Ditto.
72		( Ghosh, ...	...	Presidency College.
73	38	Sarkar, Saurendranath	...	University Student.
74	39	Pal, Panchanan	...	University Student.
75	40	Bose, H. T.	...	University Student.
76	41	Laha, Nirmalchandra	...	University Student.
77	42	Datta, Atulchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
78	43	Ghoshal, Anukulchandra	...	Ditto.
79	44	Hait, Ardhendubhushan	...	University Student.
80	45	Bhattacharyya, Umapada	...	Ditto.
81		Sen, Lakshmikanta	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
82	46	Abdur Rahman Khan	...	University Student.
83	47	Dasgupta, Manomohan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
84	48	De, Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
85	49	Chattopadhyay, Phanindranath	...	Presidency College.
86		Sarkar, Jatindramohan	...	University Student.
87	50	Nabinowaz Khan	...	Ditto.
88		T. Jagannadham	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
89	51	Taranath	...	University Student.
		ttacharyya, Narendranath	...	University Student.

## ENGLISH GROUP (B).

## SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ray, Subaschandra	...	University Student.
2	2	Chaudhuri, Saurindrakumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Saha, Kshetralal	...	Ditto.

## THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Bhattacharyya, Rameschandra	...	University Student.
2	2	Basu, Kshirodkanti	...	Ditto.

## SANSKRIT (A).

## SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Amitaranjan	...	University Student.
2	2	Chaudhuri, Jogendradas	...	Ditto.
3	3	Dasmahapatra, Syamsundar	...	Ditto.
4	4	Sanyal, Harendranarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
5	5	Chakrabarti, Jogendranath	...	University Student.

## THIRD CLASS.

1	1	Sengupta, Saratkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
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## SANSKRIT (B).

## FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Acharyya, Dhireschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
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## SANSKRIT (C).

## FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Bandyopadhyay, Anantaprasad	...	University Student.
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## PALI (A).

## FIRST CLASS.

Serial No. In order of merit.

1	1	De. Gokuldas	...	University Student.
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## ARABIC.

## SECOND CLASS.

1	1	Syed Muhibbullah	...	University Student.
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## THIRD CLASS.

1	1	Mohammad Ahidullah	...	University Student.
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## PERSIAN.

## FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Shakh Moazzam Hussain	...	University Student.
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## SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Abdul Mannan	...	University Student.
2	2	Deputy Lal Nigam	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Aziz Bakhsh	...	Ditto.

## LATIN.

## SECOND CLASS.

1	1	Chattopadhyay, Nalinimohan	...	Non-Collegiate Student
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## MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

## FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Brahma, Nalinikanta	...	University Student.
2	2	Sinha, Jadunath	...	Ditto.
3	3	Mitra, Susilchandra	...	Presidency College.
4	4	Ray, Bholanath	...	Scottish Churches College.

## SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	{ Basu, Birendranath	...	University Student.
2	1	{ Mukhopadhyay, Debnarayan	...	Presidency College.
3	2	Bhattacharyya, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
4	3	Biswas, Prasannakumar	...	University Student.
5	4	Ray, Sambhunath	...	Ditto.
6	5	Gangopadhyay, Pareshchandra	...	Presidency College.
7	6	" Herambanath	...	University Student.
8	7	Dasgupta, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
9	8	Biswas, Upendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
10	9	Ghosh, Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
11	10	Sen, Ramapada	...	University Student.
12	11	Bandyopadhyay, Siddheswar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
13	12	Majumdar, Nagendranath	...	Scottish Churches College.

Serial In order  
No. of merit

11	13	Mukhopadhyay, Bilaschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
15	14	Majumdar, Manibhushan	...	Presidency College.
16	15	{ Gupta, Aswinikumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
17		{ Sarkar, Tinkari	...	Ditto.
18	16	Majumdar, Susilkumar	...	Presidency College
19	17	Pan, Harakali	...	University Student.
20	18	Gangopadhyay, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
21	19	Ghoshal, Brindaban	...	Ditto.
22	20	Gupta, Surendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
23	21	Kundu, Dwijapada	...	Ditto
24	22	Pati, Ratnakar	...	Ditto.
25	23	Majumdar, Bimalranjan	...	University Student.
26	24	{ Bandyopadhyay, Radharaman	...	Ditto.
27		{ Sanyal, Kumudindunath	...	Ditto.
28	25	Bhattacharyya, Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
29	26	{ Ghosh, Kamalchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
30		{ Kanjilal, Bhupendranath	...	University Student.
31	27	Chattopadhyay, Bishnugopal	...	Ditto.
32	28	Dattachaudhuri, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
33	29	{ Thakur, Brajamohan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
34		{ Chakri, Kanailal	...	Scottish Churches College.
35		{ Chakri, Haripada	...	University Student.
36		{ Chakri, Tarakbrahma	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

## THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ray, Radhagobinda	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Basu, Dhirendranath	...	University Student.
3	3	Bhattacharyya, Bijaykumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
4	4	{ Sengupta, Umapada	...	Ditto.
5		{ Sinha, Ramendramohan	...	University Student.
6	5	Bandyopadhyay, Makhanlal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
7	6	Majumdar, Bijaygopal	...	Ditto.
8	7	Ghosh, Labanyabala	...	Ditto.
9	8	Munsi, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
10	9	{ Bhattacharyya, Dharanisankar	...	University Student.
11		{ Thakur Prasad Sinha	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
12	10	Gupta, Mahimaranjan	...	Ditto.
13	11	Sen, Bipinbibi	...	Ditto.
14	12	Mitra, Indrakanta	...	University Student
15	13	.. Rabindrakumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
16	14	Biswas, Sasibhushan	...	Ditto.
17	15	Ray, Anantakumar	...	University Student.
18	16	{ Bandyopadhyay, Bibhubilas	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
19		{ Datta, Nalinimohan	...	Ditto.
20	17	Bandyopadhyay, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
21	18	{ Chakrabarti, Praphullamadhav	...	University Student.
22		{ Ghosh, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
23	19	{ Joseph, Gnanamathoo	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
24	20	Ray, Surendranath	...	University Student.
25	21	Bandyopadhyay, Srischandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
26	22	Maitra, Dineschandra	...	University Student.
27	23	{ Bhattacharyya, Paresnath	...	Ditto.
28		{ Ghosh, Dhirendrachandra	...	Ditto.
29	24	.. Charuchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student
30	25	Mg. Shwe Hla	...	Ditto.
31	26	Chattopadhyay, Santoshkumar	...	Ditto.
32	27	Acharyya, Prasannakumar	...	University Student.
33	28	Bandyopadhyay, Niradbaran	...	Ditto.
34	29	{ Bhattacharyya, Nandalal	...	Ditto.
35		{ Chaudhuri, Jadabchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
36	30	{ Ghosh, Srischandra	...	Presidency College.

## HISTORY

## FIRST CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*Serial in order  
No. of merit.

1	1	Chattopadhyay, Sambhucharan	...	University Student.
2	2	Bhattacharyya, Sachchidananda	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	2	Mukhopadhyay, Janardanprasad	...	Ditto.

## SECOND CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Sinha, Khagendramohan	...	University Student.
2	2	Abdus Salam	...	Ditto.
3	3	Chakrabarti, Iswarchandra	...	Ditto.
4	4	Das, Narendraprasad	...	Ditto.
5	5	Datta, Susilkumar	...	Presidency College.
6	6	Sengupta, Ramnath	...	University Student.
7	7	Datta, Binaybhushan	...	Ditto.
8	8	Sengupta, Sailendubhushan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
9	9	Mohammad Quasim	...	University Student.
10	10	Ravchaudhuri, Abinaschandra	...	Ditto.
11	11	Chakrabarti, Purnendukisor	...	University Student.
12	12	Bhattacharyya, Kshitischandra	...	University Student.
13	13	Raha, Bijaykumar	...	Ditto.
14	14	Sarkar, Sureschandra	...	Presidency College.
15	15	Abdur Rahim Molla	...	University Student.
16	15	Chakrabarti, Ramanimohan	...	Presidency College.
17	16	Dattagupta, Lokendrakumar	...	Ditto.
18	16	Pakrasi, Sibeschandra	...	Ditto.
19	17	De, Satischandra	...	University Student.
20	18	Ray, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
21	19	Bhattacharyya, Upendrachandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
22	20	Chattopadhyay, Lakshmankumar	...	Ditto.
23	20	Sen, Charuchandra	...	University Student, Dacca.
24	21	Lahiri, Dakshinaranjan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
25	21	Lahiri, Ramkamal	...	University Student.
26	21	Dattagupta, Jnanranjan	...	Ditto.

## THIRD CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Das, Anukulchandra	...	University Student.
2	1	Deb, Praphullakrishna	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	2	Ghoshal, Sailendranath	...	Presidency College.
4	3	Mahammad Shafi	...	University Student.
5	4	Chattopadhyay, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
6	5	Das, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
7	5	Gangopadhyay, Sachindramohan	...	Ditto.
8	6	Datta, Sachindranarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
9	6	Sengupta, Kalisankar	...	University Student.
10	7	Chaudhuri, Baidyanath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
11	7	Saha, Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
12	8	Sen, Jogeschandra	...	University Student.
13	8	Sinha, Mathuraprasad	...	University Student, Patna.
14	9	Bandyopadhyay, Syamakanta	...	University Student.
15	10	Samaddar, Suklal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
16	11	Dasgupta, Amulyachandra	...	University Student.
17	12	Ray, Gopaldas	...	Ditto.
18	13	Gangopadhyay, Kasinath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
19	13	Mitra, Amulyakumar	...	University Student.
20	14	Chakrabarti, Abanikanta	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
21	15	Gupta, Jyotishchandra	...	University Student.
22	16	Sen, Bhabatosh	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

Serial No. In order of merit.

23	17	Bhadruri, Surendranath	...	University Student, Dacca.
24	18	Ghoshal, Madhusudan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
25	19	Ghosh, Mahendrakumar	...	Presidency College.
26		Sen, Paramesgopal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
27	20	Sinhasarma, Arunchandra	...	University Student.
28	21	De, Sureschandra	...	Presidency College.
29	22	Bandyopadhyay, Syamakanta	...	University Student, Dacca.
30	23	Mangalanand Pandey	...	University Student, Patna.
31	24	Gangopadhyay, Srischandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
32		Chaki, Satischandra	...	Presidency College.
33	25	Majumdar, Gurudas	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
34		Mukhopadhyay, Binodbihari	...	University Student.
35	26	Lakshman Prasad	...	University Student, Patna.
36	27	Bandyopadhyay, Bijaykrishna	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
37	28	Chaudhuri, Jnanendrachandra	...	University Student.
38		Shukhdeo Prasad	...	University Student, Patna.
39		Dasgupta, Prabharanjan	...	University Student.
40		Datta, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
41	29	Sen, Priyabrata	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
42		" Siddhartha	...	University Student, Patna.
43		" Sanyal, Mohinimohan	...	University Student.

### ECONOMY AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY (A).

#### FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ramachandra Ram Basavarsu	...	University Student.
2	2	Sengupta, Mohitkumar	...	Presidency College.

#### SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Nag, Kesabchandra	..	University Student.
2	2	Raychaudhuri, Dhireschandra	...	University Student, Dacca.
3	3	Nag, Sasimohan	..	Non-Collegiate Student.
4	4	Som, Kanadal	...	University Student.
5	5	Bhar, Ramchandra	...	Presidency College.
6	6	Bhattacharyya, Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
7	7	Ghosh, Dhirendrakumar	...	University Student, Dacca.
8	7	Majumdar, Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
9	8	Ghosh, Gaganchandra	...	Ditto.
10	9	Bandyopadhyay, Kumarkrishna	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
11	10	Sengupta, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
12	11	" Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
13	12	Nayak, Debanarayan	...	University Student.
14	13	Biswas, Surathbandhu	..	Non-Collegiate Student.
15	14	Das, Anangamohan	...	University Student.
16	14	Ghosh, Satyendrakisor	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

#### THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Das, Ambikacharan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2		De, Rameschandra	..	Ditto.
3	2	Basu, Binaybhrishan	...	University Student.
4	3	Sinha, Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
5	4	Sen, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
6	5	Ghosh, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
7	6	Chattopadhyay, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
8	7	" Kalipada	...	Ditto.
9	8	Gupta, Jatindranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
10	9	Dasgupta, Jahnabicharan	...	Ditto.
11	10	Chaudhuri, Satischandra	...	Ditto.

Serial No	In order of merit		
12	11	Saha, Rebatimohan	... University Student, Dacca.
13	12	Mitra, Praphullachandra	... Ditto.
14	13	Datta, Mahimechandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
15	14	Dalal, Kshetranath	... University Student, Dacca.
16		Gupta, Kalidas	.. Presidency College.

## POLITICAL ECONOMY AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY (B)

### FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ray, Sudhischandra	... Presidency College.
2	2	Misra, Shreckrishna	... University Student.

### SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Bhupatibhushan...	Presidency College.
2	2	Chakrabarti, Sureschandra	... University Student.
3	3	Thakurta, Ramanimohan	... Presidency College.
4		Roy, Sheo Pujan	... University Student.
5	4	Bhattacharyya, Bunkimchandra	... Presidency College.
6	5	Ghosh, Kisorilal	... Non-Collegiate Student.
7	6	Datta, Santibhushan	... Presidency College.
8	7	Md. Nurul Haq Chaudhury	... Ditto.
9	8	V. Muttukumaru	... Non-Collegiate Student.
10	9	Das, Satischandra	... Ditto.
11	10	Raghav Sharan Lal	... University Student.

### THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Basu, Jatindranath	... Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Syed Anwar Hossain	... University Student.
3	3	Niyogi, Bijaykumar	... Non-Collegiate Student.
4	4	Mukhopadhyay, Bagalananda	... Ditto.
5	5	Sachindranath	... University Student.
6		Ram Anugrah Narain	... Ditto.
7		Ray, Chandrasekhar	... Non-Collegiate Student.
8	6	" Bijaykrishna	... University Student.
9	7	Chakrabarti, Kshitishchandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
10	8	Chattopadhyay, Ramnrisinha	... Ditto.
11	9	Basu, Nikhilechandra	... Ditto.

## PURE MATHEMATICS.

### FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Goswami, Srischandra	... University Student.
2	2	Sarkar, Jagatchandra	... Ditto.
3		Mukhopadhyay, Phanibhushan	... Ditto.
4		Biswas, Brajendrakumar	... Ditto.
5	3	Datta, Abanibhushan	... Ditto.
6	4	Ghosh, Sailendrkrishna	... Ditto.
7	5	V. Rangachari	... Ditto.
8	6	Sen, Bhutnath	... Ditto.
9	7	Chattopadhyay, Hiralal	... Ditto.
10	8	Sen. Dinesranjan	... Ditto.
11	9	Ataul Hakim	... Ditto.

## SECOND CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

Serial No.	In order of merit.		
1	1	Biswas, Hemantakumar	... University Student.
2	2	Pal, Dhirendrachandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Raychaudhuri, Manomohan	... University Student.
4	4	De, Jitendrachandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
5	5	Kundu, Sudhansubhushan	... University Student.
6	6	Ghosh, Manindranath	... Non-Collegiate Student.
7	7	Pal, Harendrachandra	... Ditto.
8	8	Saha, Jogendranath	... University Student.
9	9	Chakrabarti, Narendrachandra	... Ditto.

## THIRD CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Manilal	... Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Sen, Indrabhushan	... Ditto.
3	3	Pal, Nirmalchandra	... University Student.
4	4	Chattopadhyay, Panchudhan	... Ditto.
5	5	Dineschandra	... Ditto.

## MIXED MATHEMATICS.

## FIRST CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Chattopadhyay, Amalapada	... Presidency College.
2	2	Datta, Binodbihari	... Ditto.
3	3	Ray, Lalitkumar	... Ditto.

## PHYSICS.

## FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Bhattacharyya, Krishnaprasanna	... Presidency College.
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P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, CALCUTTA, the 18th October 1917.

## ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the M. Sc.  
Examination held in August 1917 :—

### PURE MATHEMATICS.

#### . FIRST CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

Serial In order No. of merit.			
1	1	Ghosh, Mohitmohan	... University Student, Calcutta.
2	2	Das, Kameswar	... Ditto.
3	3	Ghosh, Nripendranath	... Ditto.
4	4	Satyacharan	... Non-Collegiate Student.
5		Bhattacharyya, Sureschandra	... University Student, Calcutta
6	5	Mukhopadhyay, Charuchandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
7	6	De, Haricharan	... Ditto.
8	7	Sensarkar, Suryyakanta	... Ditto.
9	8	Mukhopadhyay, Bijaykumar	... University Student, Calcutta
10	9	Omdatul Islam	... Non-Collegiate Student.
11	10	Saha, Upendramohan	... University Student
12	11	Ray, Sudhindranarayan	... Ditto.
13	12	Pal, Gopeswar	... Ditto.
14	13	Gangopadhyay, Prabhaschandra	... Ditto.
15	14	Mukhopadhyay, Lalitmohan	... Ditto.
16	15	Ghosh, Jaminikumar	... Non-Collegiate Student.
17	16	Jharkhandi, Sibanath	... University Student, Calcutta

#### SECOND CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Narayanchandra	... University Student, Calcutta.
2	2	Sen, Sarojkumar	... Ditto.
3	3	Dhar, Gobinlal	... Ditto.
4	4	Sengupta, Pramathanath	... Ditto.
5	5	Chakrabarti, Susilkumar	... Non-Collegiate Student.
6	6	Das, Surathlal	... Ditto.
7	7	Syed Sultan Ahmad	... Ditto.
8	8	Biswas, Surendranath	... Ditto.
9	9	Das, Tejendranath	... Ditto.
10	10	Majumdar, Gokulkrishna	... Ditto.
11	11	Bandyopadhyay, Lalitmohan	... University Student, Calcutta.
12	12	Mitra, Nirmalchandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.

#### THIRD CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Kundu, Sasadhar	... University Student, Calcutta.
2	2	Mukhopadhyay, Jyotishchandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Bandyopadhyay, Anurupchandra	... University Student, Calcutta.
4	4	Datta, Saratchandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
5	5	Ghosh, Kumudbandhu	... Ditto.
6	6	Mukhopadhyay, Debnath	... University Student, Calcutta

### MIXED MATHEMATICS.

#### FIRST CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Das, Bhupendrachandra	... Presidency College.
2	2	Mukhopadhyay, Prankumar	... Ditto.
3	3	Chattopadhyay, Sarojkumar	... Ditto.
4	4	Ghosh, Abhayakali	... Ditto.
5	5	Chakrabarti, Hemantakumar	... Ditto.
6	6	Mallik, Dhrubacharan	... Ditto.
7	7	Ray, Dharanikanta	... Ditto.

## SECOND CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

Serial No.	In order of merit.		
1	1	Bhattacharyya, Girijapati	... Presidency College.
2	2	Haldar, Krishnaprasanna	... Ditto.
3	3	Ghosh, Satyendranath	... Ditto.

## THIRD CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Kundu, Amiyakumar	... Presidency College.
2	2	Datta, Asimkrishna	... Ditto.

## CHEMISTRY.

## FIRST CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Praphullachandra	... University Student, Calcutta.
		Haraparbatikumar	... Presidency College.

## SECOND CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Chattopadhyay, Rabindranath	... Presidency College.
2	2	Das, Radhakishen	... University Student, Calcutta.
3	3	Dasgupta, Hridiranjan	... Presidency College.
4	4	Kumar, Kalikumar	... Ditto.
5	5	Mukhopadhyay, Binaychandra	... University Student, Calcutta.
6	6	Ghosh, Kshitischandra	... Ditto.

## THIRD CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Munshi, Jitendranarayan	... Presidency College.
2	2	Gupta, Ireshchandra	... University Student, Dacca.
3	3	Ray, Anantakumar	... Presidency College.
4	4	Ghoshal, Tarapada	... Non-Collegiate Student.

## PHYSICS.

## FIRST CLASS.

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Guha, Bhabanicharan	... University Student, Dacca
2	2	Mukhopadhyay, Hariprasanna	... Ditto.
3	3	Datta, Purnachandra	... Ditto.
4	4	Chakrabarti, Brajendranath	... Presidency College.
5	5	Chaudhuri, Rabindranath	... Ditto.
6	6	Bandyopadhyay, Durgadas	... Ditto.

## SECOND CLASS

*(In order of merit.)*

1	1	Rudra, Sukumar	... University Student, Dacca.
2	2	Majumdar, Pramadacharan	... Ditto.
3	3	Raychandhuri, Durgacharan	... Presidency College.
4	4	Chakrabarti, Jitendranath	... University Student, Dacca
5	4	Sarkar, Arindam	... Presidency College.
6	5	Nag, Apurbachandra	... Non-Collegiate Student.
7	6	Ghosh, Phanindranath	... Presidency College.
8	7	Das, Lakshminath	... Ditto.
9	8	Bhaumik, Jogeschandra	... Ditto.



## THIRD CLASS.

Serial No. In order of merit.

De, Satischandra

... Presidency College

## PHYSIOLOGY.

## SECOND CLASS.

Bera, Dharanidhar

... Presidency College.

## THIRD CLASS.

Datta, Jatindranath

... Presidency College.

## GEOLOGY.

## SECOND CLASS.

Basu, Anilchandra

... University Student, Calcutta

## THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1 1 Mukhopadhyay, Sachikanta

... University Student, Calcutta

2 2 Sen, Bijaygopal

... Ditto.

## EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY.

## FIRST CLASS.

Basu, Girindrasekhar

... Non-Collegiate Student.

P. BRÜHL, Registrar

SENATE HOUSE, CALCUTTA, the 18th October 1917.

## TREASURE TROVE.

## NOTICES.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on the 21st June 1917, treasure consisting of Rs. 46-0-0

* Full rupees of the year	1862	16
"	1877	2
"	1878	2
"	1879	1
"	1882	2
"	1887	2
"	1891	1
"	1892	4
"	1893	1
"	1900	1
"	1901	2
"	1903	2
"	1904	1
"	1906	1
"	1906	5
"	1907	2
"	1916	1

Total Rs. 46

of the description noted in the margin\* was discovered in the wall of the house of Perumal Nayudu, when it was demolished for reconstruction in the village of Chinna Koliyur, Kallakurichi Taluk, South Arcot District, Madras Presidency.

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof, are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his office in Cuddalore on 4th March 1918, in order to have the matter enquired into and determined according to law.

J. K. LANCASHIRE,

Ag. Collector.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the undermentioned treasure was found on 21st February 1917, by Agoram and Govindan, while digging earth in S. F. No. 336-A (patta dry land) of Perunthottam village, Shiyali Taluk, belonging to Muhammad Naina Marakkayar, pattadar No. 1 of the village.

## DESCRIPTION OF THE TREASURE.

Name.	Weight in seers.	Value.	
		Rs.	A.
1. Ramar with arrow . . . . .	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	0
2. Lakshmanar with arrow . . . . .	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	0
3. Secthai . . . . .	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	0
4. Hanumar . . . . .	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	0
5. Krishnan . . . . .	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	7	0
6. Radha . . . . .	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	8
7. Rukmani . . . . .	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	8
8. Peedam . . . . .	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	6
		41	6

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at his office on Saturday, the 9th March 1918, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the undermentioned treasure was found by Krishnamurthi, son of Chinna Ratna Padayachi of Tirukkolakaval, Shiyali Taluk, while removing earth on 27th July 1917 in house No 172, North Street, Tadalankoil, belonging to Siva Chidambaram Pillai.

## DESCRIPTION OF THE TREASURE.

Name.	Weight.	Value.	
		Rs.	As.
1. Chombu . . . . .	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers	1	9
2. Twenty-two full sovereigns . . . . .	.....	330	0
3. Eight half sovereigns . . . . .	.. ..	60	0
		391	9

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof, are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at his office on Saturday, the 9th March 1918, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. R. HUGGINS

Collector

## NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS.

Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners

**BANK OF BENGAL.**

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 20th October 1917.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up . . . . .	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government Securities . . . . .	6,26,95,646	0 0
Reserve Fund <sup>Rs. A. P.</sup> 2,17,50,000 0 0			Other authorized Investments . . . . .	1,32,14,640	0 0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, <i>see below</i> . . . . .	67,50,000	0 0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	5,25,35,894	9 3
	1,50,00,000	0 0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	4,82,16,991	5 9
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments . . . . .	67,50,000	0 0	Bills discounted and purchased . . . . .	2,64,59,710	2 1
Public Deposits at Head Office 2,20,91,362 2 3			Balances with other Banks . . . . .	49,12,016	14 6
Public Deposits at Branches 1,18,56,270 13 2			Bullion . . . . .	.....	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . . . .	30,12,64,133	14 1	Dead Stock . . . . .	.....	4
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . . .	9,16,432	1 0	Stamps . . . . .	.....	
Sundries . . . . .	13,62,055	15 10	Sundries . . . . .	3,77,992	8 0
<b>RUPERS</b> . . . . .	<b>38,22,40,254</b>	<b>14 7</b>	<b>Rs. A. P.</b> . . . . .	<b>21,13,18,74</b>	<b>5 5</b>
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* 10,20,89,053 9 6		
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† 6,84,32,456 5 8		
			<b>RUPERS</b> . . . . .	<b>38,22,40,254</b>	<b>14 7</b>

\* Includes Sovs. &amp; † Sovs., value Rs 3,77,992 8 0

+ Do. do. do. .. 7,48,732 8 0

Rs. 11,26,725 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;  
Calcutta, 1st November 1917.

H. MITCHELL,  
Chief Accountant.  
Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.  
Percentage 50 19.

N. H. Y. WARREN,  
Secretary & Treasurer.

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## AJMER-MERWARA.

Catalogue of Books printed and published in Ajmer Merwara and registered under Act XXV of 1867, during the quarter which ended on the 30th September 1917.

Serial No.	Author and title, brief subject including the age of the book where the same is obscure, number of pages, publisher and place of publication, date given on the title page with the name of the era, where other than the Christian era, date of issue from the press or of publication, size, edition and price.	Printer and place of printing.	Number of copies.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	
1 32	<b>DHARMAMRIT SWATMABODH—</b> धर्मवृत्तस्वात्मबोध by Dhanna Lal Patni, Religious Principles, 34 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 12th March 1917. Demi 8vo. First edition.	Durga Prasad S. S. Jain Printing Press, Ajmer.	200	
39	<b>ANCH PRATIKRAMAN SUTRA—</b> पञ्चमातिक्रमसूत्र by Ramji Lal Lunia, Five Religious ceremonies of the Jains, published by the author at Ajmer on 22nd January 1917, 201 pages. Royal 16mo. First edition. <b>Gratis.</b>	Manager, Jain Sudharak Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
4 40	<b>SANDHYOPASNAM—</b> सन्ध्याोपासनम् by Dwivedi Kunna Lal Sharma, Morning and Evening Prayers, 11 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 26th February 1917. Royal 16mo. First edition. <b>Gratis</b>	Do.	100	
5 41	<b>LOYAH-BHI-HOLI HAI—</b> लो यह भी होलो है by Dwivedi Ram Chandra Sharma, Verses against evil singing on Holi occasion, 14 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 6th March 1917. Double foolscap 16mo. First edition. <b>Price 0-0-6.</b>	Do	1,000	
6 42	<b>SHRI JAMBU GUN RATNAMALA—</b> श्रीजम्बूगुण रत्नमाला by Shaavak Jethmalji Choradia of Jaipur, A biography of Swami Jambu in verses. Pages 84, published by Moti Lal Ranka at Ajmer on 9th March 1917. Royal 12mo. First edition. <b>Price 0-0-6.</b>	Do.	1,000	
7 43	<b>JAIN GAZAL GULCHAMAN BAHAR—</b> जैन गज़ल गुलचमन बहार by Chonthmalji Maharaj, verses on Jain Religion, 32 pages, published by Bhairon Lal Nocatna Bohra at Ajmer on 17th March 1917. Demi 16mo. First edition. <b>Gratis.</b>	Jain Sudharak Press, Ajmer	1,000	
7 43	<b>MAGEA-MARWARA-KA ITIHASA—</b> मगरामेरवाड़े का इतिहास by Mr. Sheoprasad Tripathi, History of Marwara, 99 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 12th April 1917. Demi 8vo. First edition.	Do.	1,000	

Catalogue of Books printed and published in Ajmer Merwara and registered under Act XXV of 1867, during the quarter which ended on the 30th September 1917—*contd.*

Serial No.	Author and title, brief subject including the age of the book where the same is obscure, number of pages, publisher and place of publication, date given on the title page with the name of the era, where other than the Christian era, date of issue from the press or of publication, size, edition and price.	Printer and place of printing.	Number of copies.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5
8 44	<b>SHRAVIKA DHARMA DARPAN—</b> श्रविका धर्मदर्पण by Kanwar Moti Lal Ranka, Advice to Jain Ladies, 18 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 3rd August 1917. Double foolscap 16mo. First edition. Price 0-1-6	Jain Sudharak Press, Ajmer.	1,200	
9 45	<b>SURYAVANSHI DHARMAVIRKA-CHARITRA—</b> सूर्यवंशी धर्मवीरका चरित्र by Chuni Lal Soni, a biography of King Kirtidhvaja, 8 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 19th April 1917. Demi 8vo. First edition. Gratis.	Do.	500	
10 46	<b>JAIN SHIKSHAN PATHMALA—</b> जैन शिक्षण पाठमाला by Kanwar Moti Lal Ranka, Lessons on Jain Literature, 60 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 15th July 1917. Double foolscap 16mo. First edition. Price 0-2-0	Do.	1,250	
11 47	<b>FAMILY PRACTICE OF HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINES,</b> by Dr. D. G. Sanghani, H. L. M. S., Medicines, 75 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 9th August 1917. Double foolscap 16mo. First edition. Price 1-0-0	Do.	500	
12 48	<b>GULCHAMAN BAHAR—</b> गुलचमन बहार by Noratanmal Bohra. Hymns, 20 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 17th August 1917. Super royal 16mo. Second edition. Price 0-0-9	Do.	3,000	
13 49	<b>JAIN SUBODH GUTKA—</b> जैन सुबोध गुटका by Raizada Seth Gopichand Amarchand Chhagu, Bhajans, 86 pages, published at Ajmer and Kishangarh by the author on 20th August 1917. Double foolscap 16mo. First edition. Price 0-2-6	Do.	500	
14 50	<b>SHRI NEMNATH CHARITRA—</b> श्री नमनाथ चरित्र by Chhotulal Jodhraj Nahar, Biography, 70 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 13th August 1917. Royal 12mo. First edition. Gratis.	Do.	1,000	

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1	2	3	4	5
16 51	<b>ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SHRI PASHUPATI NATH PANCHAYATI, GOUSHALA, SHAPURA</b> (Mewar) by Kanwar Sajjan Singh, Secretary of the Goushala, Annual Report, 31 pages, published by the author at Ajmer and Shapura on 2nd October 1917. Royal 12mo. First edition. <b>Gratis.</b>	Jain Sudharak Press, Ajmer.	250	
16 52	<b>MARGDARSHIKA—मार्गदर्शिका</b> by Pandit Shanker Lal, Motmid Alwar House, Mayo College, Ajmer, Key to Sanskrit Shighrabodhini Part I, 68 pages, published by the author at Ajmer on 20th August 1917. Demi Svo. First edition. <b>Price 0-8-0</b>	Vedic Press, Ajmer.	500	
17 53	<b>NIYAMAVALI—नियमावली</b> by Pandit Vidyadhar Sharma, Secretary, Marudeshiga Vidvatsamiti, Chooru. Rules and Regulations. 16 pages, published by the author at Ajmer and Chooru on 21st August 1917. 12 pages, Royal. First edition. <b>Gratis.</b>	Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	500	
18 54	<b>YAJURVEDA SAMHITA—यजुर्वेद संहिता</b> by Late Aryan Rishis, Wor-ship, 164 pages, published by the Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer, on 13th August 1917. Royal Svo. Third edition. <b>Price 0-11-0</b>	Vedic Press Ajmer.	1,500	
19 55	<b>SHRI ANUYOGHWAR SUTRA, PART I—श्री अनुयोगहारसूत्र प्रथमभाग</b> by Jain Muni Shri Upadhyayji Atma Raniji. Religion, 308 pages, published by Mr. Jhaver Chand Jadavji at Ajmer on 5th September 1917. Royal Svo. First edition. <b>Gratis.</b>	S. S. Jain Printing Press Ajmer.	1,500	
20 56	<b>THE DREAM PROBLEM</b> (A Symposium)—by Mr. Ram Narayan, L.M.S., Dreams, 371 pages, published by the author at Ajmer and Delhi on 1st October 1917. Cream Svo. First edition. <b>Price 5-0-0</b>	Scottish Mission Industries & Co., Ltd., Ajmer.	500	

## IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.

### NOTIFICATION.

Camp, the 23rd October 1917.

**No. 385-E.**—Mr. Narayan Vishnu Joshi, First Assistant to the Imperial Agricultural Bacteriologist, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-two days, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 27th August 1917.

J. MACKENNA,

Agricultural Adviser to the Govt. of India.

### COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

#### Notice under section 18 of Ajmer Talukdars' Loan Regulation (II of 1911).

Whereas by a Notice under Section 6 of the Talukdars' Loan Regulation (II of 1911) published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st July 1916, it was declared that Bhur Singh, son of Indar Singh, Bhumia of Dhal Village in the Ajmer-Merwara District, having applied for a loan under this Regulation was incompetent to transfer or create any charge on or interest in his property or any part thereof or to enter into a contract which might involve him in any pecuniary liability.

And, whereas it was further declared that all suits and proceedings in any Civil Court in respect of any claim against the said Bhur Singh, Bhumia of Dhal Village, shall be stayed, and no fresh suit or proceeding shall be instituted in respect of any such claim in any Civil Court.

Notice is hereby given that his application for a loan having been rejected under Section 13 of the Regulation, the said Bhur Singh, Bhumia of Dhal Village, is released from the disabilities imposed by the Notice abovementioned.

AJMER,

The 20th October 1917.

L. W. REYNOLDS, I.C.S.,

Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

### CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 29th October 1917.

**No. 9039-Home.**—On his services being placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner Delhi, Major J. M. Holmes, I.M.S., assumed charge of the office of Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, New Capital, Delhi, from Lala Dhanpat Rai Varma, on the forenoon of the 10th October 1917.

**No. 9041-Home.**—Major J. M. Holmes, I.M.S., Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, New Capital, assumed charge of the office of Health Officer, Notified Area Committee, Delhi, relieving Dr. K. S. Sethna, L.M.S., of the additional charge of Health Officer, Notified Area Committee, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 10th October 1917.

The 30th October 1917.

No. 9084-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th October 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs.	Chts.
Wheat . . . . .	9	4	Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked) . . . . .	12	5
Barley . . . . .	12	11	Maize . . . . .	14	5
Best sort . . . . .	3	0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál) . . . . .	11	0
Common sort . . . . .	6	0	Firewood . . . . .	40	0
Jowar (Andropogon sorghum) . . . . .	13	0	Salt { Wholesale . . . . .	...	
Andropogon sorghum) . . . . .	13	0		Retail . . . . .	
Maize (Zea mays Coracana) . . . . .	...		Gur . . . . .	16	0
Kunni (Setaria Italica) . . . . .	...		Cotton (unginned) . . . . .	...	

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 15th October 1917. (Vide paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82½ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.			ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Rice, unhusked . . . . .	...			Cotton seed . . . . .	3	3	0
,, husked . . . . .	6	4	0	Ghi . . . . .	62	0	0
Wheat . . . . .	4	3	0	Flour (Wheat) . . . . .	4	8	0
Barley . . . . .	3	0	9	Tobacco Leaf (dry) . . . . .	8	0	0
Oats . . . . .	...			Turmeric (unground) . . . . .	18	2	8
Jowar . . . . .	3	0	0	Salt (Dearness due to rain) . . . . .	3	6	5
Bajra . . . . .	3	0	0	Raw Hides (Cow) . . . . .	90	0	0
Maize . . . . .	2	10	8	Bran . . . . .	1	12	0
Gram . . . . .	3	1	8	Grass (dry) . . . . .	1	0	0
Arhar Dál . . . . .	3	8	0	Bhusa (white) . . . . .	1	1	8
Linseed . . . . .	6	0	0	Jowar Stalks (Dearness due to rain) . . . . .	1	6	8
Rapeseed (Sarshaf) . . . . .	5	0	0	Bengal Coal . . . . .	0	12	0
Poppy-seed . . . . .	...			Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand). . . . .	2	9	3
Til (jinjili seed) . . . . .	6	4	0	Plough Bullocks, per pair . . . . .	250	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur . . . . .	7	0	0	Sheep, per score . . . . .	80	0	0
Cotton (cleaned) . . . . .	...						



**No. 9088-Home.**—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending the 15th October, 1917, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Deaths registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	
P. S. Alipur . . . . .	44	60	...	1	..	44	...	14	...	...	1	...	12	10	22
Nangloi . . . . .	35	50	...	...	...	24	1	24	...	...	1	...	12	10	22
Najafgarh . . . . .	21	34	.	.	...	18	..	16	.	..	...	...	7	6	13
Subzimundi . . . . .	2	5	...	.	...	5	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Paharganj . . . . .	3	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...
Mehrauli . . . . .	48	58	1	1	...	29	...	24	...	...	3	1	11	10	21
Raisina . . . . .	14	15	...	...	...	11	...	4	.	...	...	...	5	2	7
Shahdara . . . . .	9	14	...	...	...	12	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
New Cantonment . . . . .	17	22	...	...	...	10	1	8	...	...	3	1	3	8	11
Total of the District . . . . .	193	258	1	2	...	153	2	92	...	.	8	2	52	47	99

**No. 9089-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 20th October, 1917, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17	
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.										Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
	Delhi . . . . .	225,471	145	148	293	84	96	180	...	...	...	87	7	66	1	19	...	37	32	69	67.67	41.52	
	Notified Area . . . . .	3,673	4	1	5	3	1	4	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	70.78	56.62	
	Total . . . . .	229,144	149	149	298	87	97	184	...	...	...	89	8	66	1	20	...	38	33	71	66.44	41.75	

The 31st October 1917.

**No. 9117-Home.**—Major J. M. Holmes, M.B., I.M.S., Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, New Capital, and Health Officer, Notified Area Committee, assumed charge of the duties of Superintendent, District Jail, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 22nd October 1917, from Mr. T. S. Farmer and Assistant Surgeon M. Munir-ud-din who relinquished charge of their executive and medical duties at the Jail respectively on the forenoon of the same date.

W. M. HAILEY,

Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

**REPORT OF DESERTION.**

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1104th Battery, 216th Brigade,  
Royal Field Artillery, dated at Delhi, this 24th day of October 1917

Number, Rank, and Name—209980, Driver A. Ferdinand.

Age—38 years.

Height—5 feet 6 inches.

Colour of—Complexion, almost black; hair, black (short curly), (Native style); eyes, dark brown.

Trade—Planter.

Date of enlistment—12th March 1917.

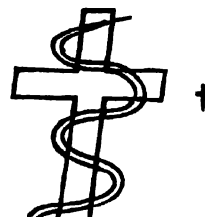
Place of enlistment—England.

Parish and County in which born—Colombo and is a Native.\*

Date of desertion or absence—Furlough completed 18th September 1917.

Place of desertion or absence—Kamptee.

Marks—Pigeon toed. Rather bow legged.



IN LOVING

MEMORY IN

MY WIFE.

On furlough.  
Just six months' service.

G. A. JOBLING, Major,

Commanding 1104th Battery, 216th Bde., R. F. A.



Relations address at present:—

93, Ferry Street,  
Hulftsdorp,  
Colombo,  
Ceylon.

† On both arms.

## UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BIHAR AND ORISSA.

### Revenue Department.

Memorandum of agreement made the twenty-fourth day of August One thousand nine hundred and seventeen between the Cape Copper Company, Limited, a Company registered in England and having its registered office in 9, Queen Street Place, London, E. C. (hereinafter called the 'Company') of the one part and the Secretary of State for India in Council (hereinafter called the "Secretary of State") of the other part.

Whereas the Company has applied to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bihar and Orissa in Council (hereinafter called the "Local Government") for the acquisition under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act") of the land described in the schedule hereto and delineated on the map\* hereunto annexed for the construction of the works of the Company and other works in connection with the Company's undertaking or business, a portion being already utilized and the remainder being intended to be utilized for the works and purposes in connection with the undertaking of the Company. And whereas the Local Government being satisfied by an enquiry held under its order under Section 40 of the 'said Act' that the acquisition is needed for the construction of the said works and that such works are likely to prove useful to the public has consented to the said acquisition pursuant to the provisions of the said Act on condition of the Company entering into such agreement as is hereinafter contained. Now these presents witness and it is hereby agreed and declared as follows:—

1. The Company shall and will provide for pay and reimburse to the Local Government in the manner hereinafter mentioned the entire cost of acquiring the said land pursuant to the provisions of the said Act including all compensation damages costs charges and expenses whatsoever which have been or may be paid or incurred in respect of or on account of such acquisition and all law costs and other expenses which have been or may be incurred by the

\* Not printed and published herewith, but may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Singhbhum.

Local Government upon or in respect of or incidental to such acquisition or any litigation arising thereout either in the original or in the appellate Courts and including the cost of the establishment and salary of the officer or officers of Government to be employed by Government in connection with and for the purpose of such acquisition. The monies which shall become payable by the Company as aforesaid shall be paid by the Company by the initial deposit with the Collector of half the estimated cost of acquisition within eight days after the publication in the official Gazette of the declaration prescribed by Section 6 of the said Act by payment to the Collector of the balance of the estimated cost of acquisition within one month after the said publication and by payment to the Collector on demand of any sums payable by the Company as aforesaid in excess of the estimated cost of acquisition. In these presents the term "Collector" shall include the persons included in such term by the said Act.

2. As and when any award as to any portion of the said land is made by the Collector such portion shall be transferred to the Company in manner hereinafter mentioned so soon thereafter as conveniently may be, provided that the money then in the hands of the Collector and paid by the Company as thereinbefore provided shall be sufficient to defray the compensation awarded in respect thereof and all costs of expenses in connection therewith.

3. The said land shall be transferred by the Secretary of State so as to vest absolute in the Company subject to the conditions contained in clauses 4 to 11 hereof.

4. The Company shall use the said land for the business or some of the business of mining and winning copper ore, of converting, concentrating and manufacturing copper and of manufacturing any bye-products of copper and for any other works and purposes necessary for or incidental to such business, and in particular shall erect on the said land or on any part thereof suitable works for the said business and for any other works and purposes necessary for or incidental to such business as aforesaid, within five years after the said land shall be delivered to the Company or within such further time as the Local Government shall allow.

5. The Company shall at all times during the said period of five years or any such extension thereof as aforesaid permit the Local Government or any officers deputed by that Government in that behalf to inspect all works of the Company upon the said land whether in course of construction or otherwise.

6. In case the Company—

(a) shall cease (of which fact the Local Government shall be sole judge) to carry on the business as hereinbefore described in clause 4 hereof, or (b) shall not erect upon the said land the works referred to in clause 4 hereof within the period therein mentioned—

Then it shall be lawful for the Local Government in case (a) at any time after such cessation in case (b) at any time within six calendar months after the expiry of the said period to enter upon and take possession of the said land or any part thereof in the name of the whole and thereupon the whole of the said land shall vest in the Secretary of State upon the following terms:

(1) The Secretary of State shall forthwith pay to the Company a sum equal to the amount of the compensation awarded under the said Act and paid by the Company in respect of the said land upon the acquisition thereof, including the amount awarded under Section 23 (2) of the said Act.

(2) The Company shall be at liberty at any time or times within twelve calendar months after the said land shall have been so vested in the Secretary of State or within such further period as the Local Government may consider reasonable and shall prescribe to enter upon the said land and pull down, remove and carry away all or any buildings, works and other property belonging to the Company and standing or being upon the said land. Any property of the Company which may remain upon the said land after the expiry of the said period may be sold by the Local Government either by public auction or otherwise as the Local Government think fit and the proceeds of the sale after the deduction of the expenses of and incidental to the sale shall be paid by the Local Government to the Company, but before exercising the power of sale hereinbefore mentioned the Local Government shall give to the Company at least one month's notice in writing of their intention in that behalf.

7. If at any time or times any part or parts of the said land not directly utilized for the business of the Company shall be necessary to be possessed by Government for purposes of revenue administration or for purposes connected with public health, safety or necessity (of which matter the Local Government shall be sole judge) the Company shall on being thereunto required by the Local Government transfer to the Secretary of State such part or parts of the said land as the Local Government shall specify to be necessary for the purposes aforesaid and in consideration of such transfer the Secretary of State shall pay to the Company a sum equal to the amount of compensation awarded under the said Act and paid by the Company in respect of the land the subject of the transfer upon the acquisition thereof for the Company including the amount awarded in respect thereof under Section 23 (2) of the said Act. The Local Government shall be sole judge of whether any part of the said land is directly utilized for the business of the Company.

8. The Company shall not sell or assign its rights and interest in any part or parts of the said land without the consent in writing previously obtained of the Local Government.

9. The Company shall recognize any public right of way existing over the said land at the time of the acquisition.

10. The Company shall recognize any local custom entitling the tenants of the villages Swaspur, Matigara and Tentuldanga to take wood for domestic or agricultural purposes from the said lands.

11. The Company shall permit the tenants of Swaspur, Matigara and Tentuldanga to graze their cattle on such part or parts of the said land as are not enclosed or fenced.

As witness the hand of Mr. Charles Olden on behalf of the Cape Copper Company, Limited, as their constituted attorney and Superintendent and the hand of the Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa in the Revenue Department for and on behalf of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bihar and Orissa in Council acting in the premises for and on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council the day and year above written.

The Schedule referred to—

All the following pieces of land situated in the villages of Matigara, Tentuldanga and Swaspur in Pargana Dhalbhum, Zila Singbhum, namely :—

First.—Plot No. I.—A piece of land measuring, more or less.

TENTUL DANGA.—109·63 acres situated in the village of Tentuldanga and bearing survey numbers 1, 51, 53, 55, 56, 57, 54, 59, 60, 62, 61, 66, 68, 86, 67, 69, 70, 75, 76, 77, 72, 74, 78, 73, 85, part 58, half 63.

Secondly.—Plot No. II.—A piece of land measuring more or less

MATIGARA.—240·26 acres, situated in the village of Matigara and bearing survey numbers 69, 63, 64, 60, 66, 67, 90, 78, 79, 80, 91, 92, 93, 91, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 107, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164.

Thirdly.—Plot No. III.—A piece of land measuring more or less.

SWASPUR.—22·39 acres situated in the village of Swaspur and bearing survey numbers 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 182, 183, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 209, 210, 217, 207, 214, 215, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, parts of 1 lots 238, 239.

Witness to the Signature of Charles Olden,

F. FRASER,

Chief Accountant,  
Cape Copper Co., Ltd.,  
Rakha Mines P. O.

CHARLES OLDEN,

Constituted Attorney and Superintendent,  
The Cape Copper Co., Ltd.,  
Rakha Mines

H. COUPLAND,

Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa.

J. L. CLAIR,

Stenographer, Cape Copper Co., Ltd.,  
Rakha Mines P. O.

Witness to the Signature of H. Coupland.

A. P. MIDDLETON,

Under Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa.

## IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

### Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 183 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee, No. 21, Kyaunggyi Street, Kemmendine, Rangoon, on the 19th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee.

CASE No. 184 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of Munshi Syed Ahmed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Munshi Syed Ahmed, Trader of No. 46, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Munshi Syed Ahmed.

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CASE No. 185 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of G. Ahwain, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by G. Ahwain of No. 11, Kyannggyi Street, Kemmendine, Rangoon, on the 19th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said G. Ahwain.

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CASE No. 186 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th October 1917.

In the matter of G. S. Charles, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by G. S. Charles, clerk, residing at No. 38, 48th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 22nd day of October 1917 against the said G. S. Charles.

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CASE No. 187 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of Mamidichetty Subbaraidoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mamidichetty Subbaraidoo, son of Mamidichetty Venkiah, residing at No. 26, Barr Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mamidichetty Subbaraidoo.

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CASE No. 188 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 23rd October 1917.

In the matter of Golugooru Pareddy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Golugooru Pareddy of No. 68, 10th Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Golugooru Pareddy.

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CASE No. 190 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th October 1917.

In the matter of Pacha Yenkiab, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Pacha Yenkiab, cooly, residing at No. 57, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Pacha Yenkiab.

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CASE No. 191 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th October 1917.

In the matter of Abdul Kader, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Abdul Kader of No. 2, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Abdul Kader.

(Illegible),  
Offg. Registrar.

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
532—1917	Narbbeshankar Chatarbhuj Trivedi.	Hindu	Grant Road, Bombay.	Clerk in the employ of Khimji Vishram.	19th	October	1917	22nd	October	1917.
534—1917	Manekji Darasha Patel	Parsi	Ditto	Sorter, Railway Mail Service	"	"	"	"	"	"
535—1917	Bala Kristna Pawaskar	Hindu	Jacob Circle, Bombay	Jobber in the Simplex Mills, Ltd.	23rd	"	"	"	"	"
536—1917	Lalji Laddha Thakar	"	Kawagully, Ghatkoper	Lately grain dealer in the name of Haridas Premji & Co., in partnership with Walji Peraj, Haridas Walji and Lakir Hamir and now manager of Bhagwandas Chaturbhuj, a grain dealer of Bombay.	"	"	"	"	"	"
537—1917	Abas Esmail Manon	Mahomedan	Kokee Molla, Bombay	Lately preparer of acids and dealers in acids and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
39—1917	Namdar Illahi Shaik	"	Chinchpogli, Bombay	Lately bullock cart keeper and bullock cart driver and now bullock cart driver.	"	"	"	"	"	"
538—1917	Bhalil Vrandavar Bhat	Hindu	Bhuleshwar, Cathedral Street, Bombay.	Lately cloth merchant and now unemployed	"	"	"	23rd	"	"
540—1917	Thakarsy Secji Sha	"	Gaundeji, Bombay	Lately dealer in grain and grocery and now servant in the employ of Corporal Hemraj.	23rd	"	"	"	"	"
541—1917	Tarachand Ganesh Sha	"	Bazar Gate, Bombay	Lately speculator in Jotta and American cotton and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
542—1917	Bhikoba Gaoaba Shirke and Parvatibai, widow of Rambhau Arjun Sindhe.	"	Sonapur Lane, Bombay	Lately doing business in partnership as butcher and now unemployed.	23rd	October	1917	23rd	October	1917
544—1917	Sagarmal Gulabchand Sha.	"	Mazagon . . .	Lately grocer and now hawker in sweet oil .	"	"	"	"	"	"
543—1917	Raisey Mulji alias Velji Sha	"	Lalwadi, Parel, Bombay	Lately building contractor in partnership with Piraji Malooji in the name of Piraji Malooji and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
545—1917	Laxumon Vithoo alias Vithoba Rao.	"	Mazagon . . .	Jobber in the Empress Edward Mills, Ltd. .	24th	"	"	24th	"	"
546—1917	Waman Bhawoo Chawan .	"	Dadar . . .	Lately rekla driver and now unemployed .	"	"	"	"	"	"
547—1917	Israel Joseph Nons .	Jewish	Belasio . . .	Motor driver . . .	"	"	"	"	"	"
548—1917	Narayan Sadaohiv Sawant .	Hindu	Bhoiwada, Parel	Formerly engine driver in Tata's Workshop, Lonavla and now unemployed.	"	"	"	26th	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 29th day of October 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

**IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.**

Dated the 29th October 1917.

Notice to Creditors of application for discharge [Section 44(1)].

In the matter of Insolvency of Ismail and Sipahdar, sons of Shalal, Pathan of Shahdara, Insolvents.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the abovenamed insolvents have applied to the Court for their discharge and that the Court has fixed the 17th day of November 1917 at 10 o'clock for hearing the application.

TOPAN RAM,  
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

**IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.**

No. 16 of 1917.

Mool Chand, son of Ganga Ram Mahesri, of Imli Mohalla, Ajmer,

Insolvent

*against*

	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Meeru Lal Sanwant Mall, Dargah Bazar, Ajmer . . . . .	305	0	0
2. Cheekar Mal Rai Mall, Diggi Bazar, Ajmer . . . . .	355	0	0
3. Chunni Lal Ratan Lal, Naya Bazar, Ajmer . . . . .	180	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>930</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

The applicant has filed an application under section 11 of Act III of 1917 (Insolvency Act) and the application will be heard on the 20th November 1917 at 10 A.M. The creditors are hereby informed that they must either appear in person or through an authorised agent at the appointed hour to oppose the application. In default of their appearance the application will be heard *ex parte*.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 19th day of October 1917.

APPLICATION No. 17 of 1917.

Rahim Bax, son of Mohamed Bax, Musalman, of Nasirabad, applicant . . . Insolvent  
*against*

	Debt.		
	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Thakur Fatch Singh, son of Thakur Hera Singh, Sub-Inspector of Police, Ajmer . . . . .	85	0	0
2. Chohylal, Mahajan, Cloth Merchant, Nasirabad . . . . .	65	0	0
3. Kishur Mal, son of Jeth Mal, Mahajan, of Nasirabad . . . . .	29	0	0
4. Ugar Singh, son of Ratan Lal, Mahajan, of Nasirabad . . . . .	19	0	0
5. Soondey Lal, Mahajan, of Nasirabad . . . . .	18	0	0
6. Karim Bax, son of Ahmed Bax, Butebee Mohalla, Beawar . . . . .	283	12	0
7. Chitor Mal, son of Har Sukh, Treasurer, of Nasirabad . . . . .	100	0	0
8. Kallu, son of Khuda Bax, of Nasirabad . . . . .	60	0	0

The applicant has filed an application under section 11 of Act III of 1907 (Insolvency Act) and the application will be heard on the 20th November 1917 at 10 A.M. The creditors are hereby informed that they either must appear in person or through an authorised agent to oppose the application. In default of appearance the application will be heard *ex parte*.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court the 19th day of October 1917.

H. B. SARDA,  
Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.



**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.  
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)**

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 26th October 1917.

**No. 2831s-E.-E.**—Mr. J. J. Harvey, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with medical leave for three months with effect from the 13th August 1917.

**No. 2844s-E.-E.**—The following promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. P. Hilton . . .	Inspecting Telegraphist .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, officiating.	17th September 1917.

W. MAXWELL

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.  
(POST OFFICE.)**

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 25th October 1917.

**No. 2646s-App.**—Babu Becharam Basu, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, has been granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 3rd August 1917, and has been recalled to duty from the 2nd September 1917, under Article 199(a) of the Civil Service Regulations.

2. The following officiating appointments are made for the period noted against each :—

Babu Jayananda Kumar, Investigating Inspector, office of the Postmaster-General, Bihar and Orissa, to act as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, from the 2nd August 1917 to the 4th September 1917 inclusive ;

Mr. Faizur Rahman, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Bengal and Assam, to act as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, from the 24th August 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 2649s-App.**—The following appointments are made for the period noted against each :—

Mr J. B. M. Gorman, Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, to officiate in the 2nd grade from the 12th September 1917 to the 11th October 1917 inclusive ;

Mr. J. E. Home, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, to officiate as Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Madras, from the 30th August 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 2652s-App.**—Mr. M. K. Raman, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Madras, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 6th September 1917 and until further orders.

The 26th October 1917.

**No. 2658s-App.**—Mr. C. E. Saalfelt, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, sub. *pro tem.* in the 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, with effect from the 7th October 1917 and until further orders.

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**No. 2679s-*Ap*.**—Babu Kali Prasanna Sen, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, is granted privilege leave for one month and ten days, with effect from the 12th October 1917 or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

**No. 2683s-*Ap*.**—Mr. Jiwan Nath Dar, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade, is granted a further extension of leave on medical certificate for one month and nineteen days, with effect from the 17th September 1917.

The 30th October 1917.

**No. 2707s-*Ap*.**—Babu Kali Prasanna Sen is reverted from his officiating appointment as Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, to his substantive appointment as Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, with effect from the 12th October 1917.

**W. MAXWELL,**  
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 2nd November 1917.  
Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 31st October 1917.

RESERVE.															
TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.				COIN AND BULLION.					SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).						
In Reserve Treasuries.		Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	In India.	In England.		In His Majesty's Dominions.	In Transit between India, England and the Dominions.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.	REMARKS.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
Calcutta .	1,90,06,000	88,67,83,980	R	8,27,42,351	7,68,64,752	34,33,085	1,42,59,000	24,94,009	25,20,000	R	9,99,99,946	(a) 51,47,89,025	79,65,93,118	(a) Nominal value— R10,20,91,500.	
Canara .	...	3,19,74,845	R	3,00,71,821	58,83,102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,54,54,923	(b) Nominal value— R53,05,56,571.	
Lahore .	...	6,58,39,565	R	1,42,07,795	20,81,790	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,62,89,585	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Act XIX of 1917 at a cost of Rs48 crores.	
Bombay .	77,94,885	47,74,62,995	R	9,20,64,186	12,23,10,585	23,41,799	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,69,16,570		
Karachi .	...	3,76,97,365	R	84,60,530	26,38,388	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,10,98,859		
Madras .	94,82,920	11,21,85,186	R	3,42,34,918	51,88,957	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,94,23,875		
Rangoon .	...	5,55,09,135	R	2,71,24,026	48,65,820	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,19,89,946		
8,02,88,755				28,69,05,627	21,90,93,394	57,74,834	1,42,50,000	24,91,009	25,20,000		9,99,99,946	51,47,89,025	1,14,77,66,775		
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue . . . . .				Deduct—Amount due on T. Ts. drawn by one Circle on another . . . . .											80,000
TOTAL CIRCULATION R .				TOTAL RESERVE R .											1,14,76,86,775

There was no transfer between the Paper Currency Reserve and the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 31st October 1917.

E. M. COOK,  
Offg. Controller of Currency.



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DELHI, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1917.

## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 5th November 1917.*

**No. 1896.**—The following Resolutions passed by both Houses of Parliament on 29th October 1917, and ordered to be communicated to all officers and men, are published :—

“That the thanks of this House be given to the officers, petty officers and men of the Navy for their faithful watch upon the seas during more than three years of ceaseless danger and stress while guarding our shores and protecting from the attacks of a barbarous foe the commerce upon which the victory of the Allied cause depends.

That the thanks of this House be given to the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the British Armies in the field, and also to the women in the medical and other services auxiliary thereto, for their unfailing courage and endurance in defending the right amid sufferings and hardships unparalleled in the history of war and for their loyal readiness to continue the work to which they have set their hands till the liberty of the world is secure.

That the thanks of this House be accorded to the gallant troops from the Dominions overseas, from India and from the Crown Colonies who have travelled many thousands of miles to share with their comrades from the British Isles in the sacrifices and triumphs of the battlefield and to take their full part in the struggle for human freedom.

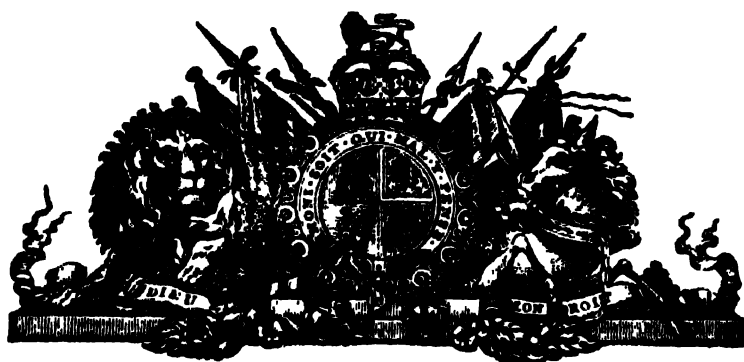
That the thanks of this House be accorded to the officers and men of the Mercantile Marine for the devotion to duty with which they have continued to carry the vital supplies to the Allies through seas infested with deadly peril.

That this House doth acknowledge with grateful admiration the valour and devotion of those who have offered their lives in the service of their country and tenders its sympathy to their relatives and friends in the sorrows they have sustained.”

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

*Secretary to the Government of India.*





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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1917.

### GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

#### POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Military Secretary's Office, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary* dated the 3rd November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY

*Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

#### NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 3rd November 1917.*

No. 5802-M.—Intelligence having been received of the death of His Royal Highness Prince Christian, K.G., P.C., G.C.V.O., Court Mourning is ordered for four weeks from the 29th October, half mourning commencing from the 19th November 1917.

When attending at the Viceregal Court, ladies will appear in black until the 18th November and thereafter in half mourning (white, grey or mauve). Officers will, when in uniform and attending Viceregal Lodge, wear a crape band on the left arm throughout the period of Court Mourning.

By Command,

R. VERNEY, LT.-COLONEL,

*Military Secretary to the Viceroy.*





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### HOME DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 2nd November 1917.

No. 1225. — The services of the following officers are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab with effect from the 11th October 1917 :—

Mr G. F. H. deMontmorency, C.I.E., I.C.S.

Mr. D. Johnstone, I.C.S.

## POLICE.

*The 1st November 1917.*

**No. 987.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the exemption made by entry (13) of Schedule I of the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, in favour of European or East Indian subjects of His Majesty shall cease to extend to A. H. Gerrish, Sergeant, Government Railway Police, Ambala Cantonment, F. Wilson, Inspector, Salt and Customs Department, Shahpur, Ahmedabad District, and J. A. Savedra, Commission Agent, Cawnpore.

S. R. HIGNELL,

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

## ECCLESIASTICAL.

*Simla, the 8th November 1917.*

**No. 7-C.**—The Reverend H. H. Kettlewell, B.A., has been appointed to be a Chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lahore) Ecclesiastical Establishment to fill an existing vacancy which occurred on the 7th September 1917.

## EXAMINATIONS.

*The 1st November 1917.*

**No. 95.**—The following amendments are made in the rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages, published with the Department of Education notification no. 80, dated the 6th June 1914 :—

In rule X *substitute* the following for the existing clause (b) :—

“(b) Written translation from the vernacular into English of a previously unseen passage of moderate difficulty.”

After clause (c) of the rule *add* the following as clause (f) :—

“(f) Translating *viva voce* with readiness and accuracy from the prescribed text-books and answering grammatical questions arising out of the passages in which the candidate is examined.”

At the end of the rule, for the words “35 per cent. in (a), (b), (c) and (d)” *substitute* the words “35 per cent. in (a), (b), (c), (d) and (f).”

## SANITARY.

## PLAGUE.

*Delhi, the 7th November 1917.*

**No. 5-C.**—Whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that the town of Pushkar in the district of Ajmer-Merwara is visited by an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease and that there is a danger of its spread, if pilgrims or other persons from the Bengal and Bombay Presidencies, the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces, the Hyderabad State, Central India and Rajputana are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Pushkar Fair

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Sendra, Beawar, Kharwa, Mangaliawas, Saradhna, Tabiji, Ajmer, Madar, Ladpura, Akhri, Hatundi, Nasirabad and Bandanwara on the Rajputana-Malwa Railway shall be sold from the 16th to the 30th November 1917 (both days inclusive) within the Bengal and Bombay Presidencies, the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces, the Hyderabad State, Central India and Rajputana to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Pushkar Fair at the town of Pushkar.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.****CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.***Delhi, the 6th November 1917.*

**No. 5-C.**—The designation of Imperial Bacteriologist, Muktesar Laboratory, is changed to Director and First Bacteriologist, Muktesar Laboratory.

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**FORESTS.***Simla, the 7th November 1917.*

**No. 9-C.**—The services of Mr. W. H. Lovegrove, Conservator of Forests, 2nd grade (combined leave for 2 years), have been placed at the disposal of the Board of Trade, London, work in connection with the war, with effect from 22nd October 1917, his leave expiring 21st October 1917.

From the former date the following changes are made :—

**2** Mr. R. McIntosh, Conservator of Forests, 2nd grade, *Provisional substantive*, to be Conservator, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tempore*.

Mr. W. F. Perrée, Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade, *Provisional substantive*, to be Conservator, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tempore*.

*Delhi, the 7th November 1917.*

**No. 12-C.**—Mr. C. G. Trevor, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Inspector General of Forests, with effect from the forenoon of the 5th November 1917, until further orders

**R. A. MANT,***Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATION.***Delhi, the 6th November 1917.*

**No. 27.**—Mr. Sayed Ghulam Mustafa has been appointed as Assistant Engineer on probation by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India and is posted to the Bombay Presidency.

**F. C. ROSE,***Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.***Simla, the 5th November 1917.*

**No. 83-S.-Est. B.**—Lieutenant J. L. Miller-Hallet, attached 1-6th Gurkha Rifles, is appointed Assistant Commandant, Gilgit Corps of Scouts, with effect from the 23rd October 1917.

**No. 93-S.-Est. B.**—Lieutenant D. MacLachlan, I. A. R. O., attached 44th Merwara Infantry, is appointed Adjutant, Mekran Levy Corps, with effect from the 28th September 1917.



*The 7th November 1917.*

**No. 134-G.S.**—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Senhor A. A. Teixeira as honorary Consul for Portugal at Calcutta.

A. H. GRANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

*Delhi, the 5th November 1917.*

**No. 50-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the King of Oudh's Estate Validation Act, 1917 (Act XII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Collector of the 24-Parganas as the officer who shall receive such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

*The 7th November 1917.*

**No. 2570-I. B.**—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in the schedule annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 835-D., dated the 12th February 1915, specifying the courts of Native States (a) to which the provisions of section 29 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (V of 1908), apply, and (b) by which summonses issued by Courts in British India under the said Code may be served, the following further amendments shall be made, namely:—

Under the heading "SHOLAPUR", for the words

"Court of the Political Agent, Sholapur"  
 "Court of the Assistant Judge, Akalkot"  
 "Court of the Nyayadhish of Akalkot"  
 "Court of the Nyayadhish of Pilio" and  
 "Court of the Nyayadhish of Kurla"

the words

"Court of the Rajesahab of Akalkot"  
 "Court of the District Judge, Akalkot"  
 "Court of the Nyayadhish of Akalkot"  
 "Court of the Subordinate Judge of Pilio" and  
 "Court of the Subordinate Judge of Kurla"

shall be substituted.

**No. 2571-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 44 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (V of 1908), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2871-I. A., dated the 18th July 1906, specifying the Courts of certain Native States, the decrees of which may be executed by Courts in British India, namely:—

Under the heading "Akalkot (Sholapur)", for the words

"Court of the Political Agent, Sholapur"  
 "Court of the Subordinate Judge of Akalkot"  
 "Subordinate Court of Pilio" and  
 "Subordinate Court of Kurla"

the words,

"Court of the Rajesahab of Akalkot"  
 "Court of the District Judge, Akalkot"  
 "Court of the Nyayadhish of Akalkot"  
 "Court of the Subordinate Judge of Pilio" and  
 "Court of the Subordinate Judge of Kurla"

shall be substituted.

**No 2572-I. B.**—The following further amendments shall be made in the list annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2053-I. B., dated the 22nd September 1911, of Courts in Native States by which the decrees passed by Civil Courts in British India may be executed, namely:—

Under the heading "*Akalkot (Sholapur)*", for the words

"Court of the Political Agent, Sholapur"

"Court of the Subordinate Judge of Akalkot"

"Subordinate Court of Pilio" and

"Subordinate Court of Kurla"

the words

"Court of the Rajesahab of Akalkot"

"Court of the District Judge, Akalkot"

"Court of the Nyayadhish of Akalkot"

"Court of the Subordinate Judge of Pilio" and

"Court of the Subordinate Judge of Kurla"

shall be substituted.

*The 8th November 1917.*

**No. 1887-Est. A.**—Major J. S. Crosthwaite, of the Political Department, is posted temporarily as Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, with effect from the 11th October

**No. 1888-Est. A.**—Major R. J. W. Heale, of the Political Department, is posted as Political Agent, Kurram, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th October 1917.

**No. 2589-I. C.**—In consequence of the misconduct of Ramanath Mahanti, late Tahsildar of the Nuanand Birso Government Estate, the Chandbali and Bhadrak Salt Gola and Manager of the Kaupur Wards Estate, district of Balasore, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa, he is hereby deprived of the title of "Rai Sahib" which was conferred on him, as a personal distinction, in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 1356-I. C., dated the 3rd June 1913.

*The 9th November 1917.*

**No. 2598-I. B.**—Whereas the Governments of India and of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad have agreed to regulate the reciprocal realisation of State demands of His Highness' Government on the one part and of the British Government arising in Berar on the other part ;

The Governor General in Council, with the concurrence of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad, is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, to issue the following rules:—

1. The Resident at Hyderabad may forward to the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, for realisation, State demands preferred by His Highness the Nizam's Government.

2. The Chief Commissioner, through the Resident at Hyderabad, may forward to His Highness the Nizam's Government, for realisation, State demands of the British Government, arising in Berar.

3. The following State demands only shall be realised for His Highness the Nizam's Government, or forwarded to His Highness the Nizam's Government for realisation under these rules, namely, items of revenue or other incomings connected with the land revenue, water rates, alkari or customs or debts due on contracts for the farm or collection of the same between individuals and His Highness the Nizam's Government or the British Government or fines or forfeitures leviable from such contractors or their sureties.

4. All Deputy Commissioners in Berar are authorised to realise State demands preferred by His Highness the Nizam's Government and forwarded by the Resident, as aforesaid, against persons residing or possessing property within the local limits of their respective jurisdictions. The said Deputy Commissioners shall, so far as may be convenient, be guided by the provisions of the law or rules for the time being in force in Berar for the realisation of State demands. They shall refer doubtful points for the orders of the Chief Commissioner, whose decision thereon shall be final.

5. If any State demand is realised, the Deputy Commissioner shall remit the amount, together with a certificate of realisation, through the Chief Commissioner and the Resident at Hyderabad, to His Highness the Nizam's Government. If any such demand cannot be realised, the Deputy Commissioner shall return it, with an endorsement to that effect, through the Chief Commissioner and the Resident at Hyderabad, to His Highness the Nizam's Government.

**No. 2599-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that the decrees of the Civil Courts situate in the territories of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad, which have not been established or continued by the authority of the Governor General in Council, may on being sent through the Resident at Hyderabad, be executed in Berar as if they had been made by the Courts of Berar.

**No. 2600-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that civil decrees passed by Courts in Berar may be sent, through the Resident at Hyderabad, to the Government of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad, for execution within the jurisdiction of any of the Civil Courts established in His Highness' territories.

**No. 2601-I. B.**—Whereas the Governments of India and of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad have agreed to regulate the reciprocal realisation of State demands of His Highness's Government on the one part and of the British Government arising in the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, namely, the Cantonments of Secunderabad and Aurangabad, the Hyderabad Residency Bazars and the railway lands in the Hyderabad State which are administered by the Resident at Hyderabad, on the other part;

The Governor General in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, to issue the following rules:—

1. The Resident may forward to His Highness the Nizam's Government for realisation State demands of the British Government which may arise within the aforesaid areas.

2. The following State demands only shall be realised for His Highness the Nizam's Government or forwarded to His Highness's Government for realisation under these rules, namely, items of revenue or other incomes connected with the land revenue, water-rates, abkari or customs, or debts due on contracts for the farm or collection of the same between individuals and His Highness the Nizam's Government or the British Government, or fines or forfeitures leviable from such contractors or their sureties.

3. The Civil and Small Cause Court Judge of Secunderabad as regards the Cantonment of Secunderabad and the said railway lands, the Superintendent of the Hyderabad Residency Bazars as regards the Hyderabad Residency Bazars, and the Cantonment Magistrate of Aurangabad as regards the Cantonment of Aurangabad, are authorised to realise against the property of any person residing in or possessing property within the local limits of their respective jurisdictions, such State demands preferred by His Highness the Nizam's Government as may be received through the Resident at Hyderabad.

4. In effecting the realisations as aforesaid, the said authorities shall, so far as may be convenient, be guided by the provisions of the law or rules for the time being in force in the Bombay Presidency for the realisation of State demands. They shall refer doubtful points for the orders of the Resident, whose decision thereon shall be final.

5. If any State demand is realised, the said authorities shall remit the amount, together with a certificate of realisation, through the Resident to His Highness the Nizam's Government. If any such demand can not be realised, the said authorities shall return it, with an endorsement to that effect, through the Resident to His Highness the Nizam's Government.

**No. 2602-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that the decrees of the Civil Courts situate in the territories of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad, which have not been established or continued by the authority of the Governor General in Council, may, on being sent to the Resident at Hyderabad, be executed in the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, namely, the Cantonments of Secunderabad and Aurangabad, the Hyderabad Residency Bazars, and the railway lands in the Hyderabad State which are administered by the Resident at Hyderabad, as if they had been made by the Courts in the said Areas.

**No. 2603-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that civil decrees passed by Courts in the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, namely, the Cantonments of Secunderabad and Aurangabad, the Hyderabad Residency Bazars, and the railway lands in the Hyderabad State which are administered by the Resident at Hyderabad, may be sent, through the Resident, to the Government of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad, for execution within the jurisdiction of any of the Civil Courts established in His Highness' territories.

**No. 2604-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 2605-I. B., dated the 15th June 1900, making rules for the reciprocal realisation of State demands and execution of decrees of the Civil Courts of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad of the one part and the Civil Courts having jurisdiction in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts and in the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State of the other part, shall be cancelled.

**No. 2606-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (XV of 1872), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the officers holding for the time being the appointment of Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir, being Christians, to be Marriage Registrars within the territories of His Highness the Maharaja of Jammu and Kashmir.

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

*Simla, the 7th November 1917.*

**No. 1195-F. E.**—Mr. S. K. Datta Gupta has been appointed Additional Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department with effect from the 1st November 1917.

*The 8th November 1917.*

**No. 1197-F. E.**—Mr. J. A. M. Wilson, a probationer of the Indian Finance Department, has been promoted to Class III of the General List with effect from the 17th October 1917 and has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bihar and Orissa, with effect from the same date.

**No. 1198-F. E.**—Mr. A. D. Butterfield has been posted as Government Examiner of Accounts, Burma Railways, with effect from the 15th October 1917.

*Delhi, the 10th November 1917.*

**No. 51-Gl.-(F. E.)**—The following promotions and reversions of officers in the Indian Finance Department are notified:—

*With effect from the 26th July 1917.*

Mr. H. G. Tomkins, C.I.E., is promoted substantively to Class II of Accountants General.

Mr. H. M. C. Trotter is promoted substantively to Class III of Accountants General.

Mr. G. W. V. de Rhé Philipe is promoted substantively to Class I of Chief Examiners.

Mr. C. S. B. Sinclair is promoted substantively to Class II of Chief Examiners.

*With effect from the 1st October 1917.*

Mr. C. C. Swetenham is promoted substantively to Class I of the Public Works List.

Mr. J. M. Hartley reverts to Class III of the Public Works List.

H. F. HOWARD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.****NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Delhi, the 10th November 1917.*

**No. 73-D.**—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

**BY THE KING.**

**A PROCLAMATION**

PROHIBITING UNDER SECTION 1 OF "THE EXPORTATION OF ARMS ACT, 1900," AND SECTION 1 "THE CUSTOMS (EXPORTATION RESTRICTION) ACT, 1914," THE EXPORTATION FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM OF CERTAIN ARTICLES TO SWEDEN, NORWAY, DENMARK, AND THE NETHERLANDS.

GEORGE R. I.

WHEREAS by Section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," it is enacted We may by Proclamation prohibit the exportation of all or any of the following articles, namely, arms, ammunition, military and naval stores, and any article which We shall judge capable of being converted into or made useful in increasing the quantity of arms, ammunition, or military or naval stores, to any country or place therein named whenever We shall judge such prohibition to be expedient in order to prevent such arms, ammunition, military or naval stores, being used against Our subjects or forces or against any forces engaged or which may be engaged in military or naval operations in co-operation with Our forces :

And whereas by Section 1 of "The Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914," it is enacted that Section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," shall have effect whilst a state of war in which We are engaged exists as if, in addition to the articles therein mentioned, there were included all other articles of every description :

And whereas by virtue of a Proclamation dated the 18th August, 1916, made in pursuance of the said Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, as amended by the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, all articles whatsoever other than those excepted by the said Proclamation are now prohibited to be exported to the Kingdom of Sweden :

And whereas by virtue of a Proclamation dated the 10th May, 1917, made in pursuance of the said Acts, and by subsequent Orders of Council issued under the authority of the later Act certain goods are now prohibited to be exported to, *inter alia*, the Kingdoms of Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands :

And whereas We have deemed it expedient to revoke the said Proclamation dated the 18th August, 1916, and to prohibit the exportation to Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands, of all articles whatsoever other than those hereinafter excepted :

Now, therefore, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation, declaring, and it is hereby declared, that the above-mentioned Proclamation dated the 18th August, 1916, be, and the same is hereby, revoked as from the 8th day of October, 1917, and that the exportation of the following articles be prohibited on and after that date to all ports and destinations in Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands, *vis.* :—

All articles which are not by virtue of any Proclamation for the time being in force made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by any Act, or under the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, as amended by any Act, prohibited to be exported to Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands, except :—

- (1) Printed matter of all descriptions.
- (2) Personal effects accompanied by their owners.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Twenty-ninth day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Eighth Year of Our Reign.

**GOD SAVE THE KING.**

No. 178-D.—The following excerpt from the "Board of Trade Journal" is published for general information :—

## RESTRICTIONS ON IMPORTATION.

### RULINGS AND DECISIONS.

With reference to the list of goods prohibited to be imported into the United Kingdom which appeared as a supplement to the "Board of Trade Journal" of 29th March 1917, and to the subsequent issue of Notification No. 12 shown in the "Board of Trade Journal" of 3rd May, 1917, it is notified that the following further Rulings and Decisions (Notification No. 13) respecting the prohibitions have been arrived at by the Department of Import Restrictions, 22, Carlisle Place, London, S. W. 1. :—

### Interpretations.

P.=Prohibited.

N.P.=Not Prohibited.

G.L.=General Licence.

Description of Article.	Decision.	Description of Article.	Decision.
<b>Abrasive Cloths :—</b>		"Bludtan" powder extract. (Chestnut extract)	P.
Aloxite . . . . .	G.L.	Blue powder. (Paints and Pigments)	P.
Garnet . . . . .	G.L.	Bogore . . . . .	N.P.
Carborundum . . . . .	G.L.	Bolts, door . . . . .	P.
Emerite . . . . .	G.L.	Book writing machines	P.
Acetone, chlorosulphonic acid	N.P.	Boot welt and turn machine, sewing	N.P.
Addressograph machine (complete)	N.P.	Boro-carbone . . . . .	N.P.
Air cushions, Japanese, made partly of paper	N.P.	Boron-copper alloys	N.P.
<b>Alimentary pastes :—</b>		Bottle-closing device (brass nickelled)	P.
Macaroni . . . . .	N.P.	Bracket lamp or bulb holders, nickelled. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	P.
Vermicelli . . . . .	N.P.	Braid, brush cotton and mohair	P.
Soup pastes . . . . .	N.P.	Braid, wire . . . . .	P.
Alumen of chrome . . . . .	N.P.	Brass tape . . . . .	G.L.
Aluminium flake . . . . .	N.P.	Brass, thin rolled, used in making military buttons	N.P.
Amyl acetate . . . . .	N.P.	Brazing lamps . . . . .	P.
Angelica root . . . . .	N.P.	Bread crumber machines (hand and power driven)	P.
Antimony regulus . . . . .	N.P.	Breast pumps (rubber and glass)	P.
Apple grater machines . . . . .	N.P.	Bromo acid . . . . .	N.P.
Apple or cider press, machines	N.P.	Broom corn (saggina)	N.P.
Apple paring and coring machines (power driven)	P.	Brush braid (cotton and mohair)	P.
Ardolite . . . . .	N.P.	Brush holder springs. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	P.
Arkansas powder (for polishing)	N.P.	Building board, "Beiver"	N.P.
Arsenate of lead . . . . .	N.P.	Building board, "Fibrolite"	N.P.
Atomisers for asthma remedy . . . . .	P.	Burning outfit, "Hauk" (blow lamp)	P.
Baby powder. (Toilet preparations)	P.	Burnishers, chain . . . . .	P.
Bag, definition of (a receptacle usually self-closing, of a pliable or semirigid character, made of any material)	N.P.	Busk pieces, horn . . . . .	P.
Balata, raw . . . . .	N.P.	Butter colouring liquid . . . . .	N.P.
Baling or strapping machines (hand power)	P.	Cadmium . . . . .	P.
Ball mill, machine, for powder grinding	N.P.	Cameos, imitation . . . . .	P.
Balsam, Canada . . . . .	N.P.	Camera, finger print . . . . .	P.
Balsam, Copaiba . . . . .	N.P.	Camphor, Formosa . . . . .	N.P.
Banana flour . . . . .	N.P.	Cane, split . . . . .	N.P.
Barber's pole, Barker's revolving	P.	Cap-uling machines (power driven)	N.P.
Barium hydrate . . . . .	N.P.	Carbon tetrachloride . . . . .	N.P.
Basket, definition of (a receptacle, open or furnished with a lid, of absolutely rigid character, made of bamboo, cane, chip, grass, reed, rush, osiers or willow)	P.	Card felts . . . . .	P.
Basketware, bamboo lined with silk or satin	P.	Carlamons . . . . .	N.P.
Bassine . . . . .	N.P.	Cascarilla . . . . .	N.P.
Beads, shell. (Imitation jewellery.)	P.	Cases, musical instrument, made of fibre	N.P.
Beads, wax, Japanese, as imitation pearls. (Imitation jewellery)	P.	Cases, musical instrument, made partly of leather	P.
Beans, Tonquin . . . . .	N.P.	Ceiling roses (earthenware). (Electrical accessories and appliances.)	P.
"Beaver" board (building)	N.P.	Cellar drainers . . . . .	P.
Beef spleen . . . . .	N.P.	Cellulose acetate . . . . .	N.P.
Bellows and sprayers for powder (hand)	P.	Cellulose acetate film scrap	P.
Bells and buzzers for fire alarm telephones. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	G.L.	Centrifuge machines, laboratory	N.P.
Bending machine for chain . . . . .	P.	Chains, base metal, for eyeglasses	P.
Benzyl benzoate . . . . .	N.P.	Chains, brass, gilt . . . . .	P.
Binoculars . . . . .	N.P.	Chalk mixture for dental cream	N.P.
Blind nuts . . . . .	P.	Chargeometers . . . . .	P.
Blinds, bamboo. (Bamboo basketware)	P.	Charms, animal, composition with collar of base metal (Imitation jewellery.)	P.
Bleeking foil, white . . . . .	N.P.	Chart discs, steel	P.
Blowers (power driven) . . . . .	N.P.	Cheque writing machines "Protectograph"	N.P.

Description of Article.	Decision.	Description of Article.	Decision.
Cherry laurel . . . . .	P.	Electrical accessories—	
Chestnuts, dried, peeled . . . . .	P.	Ear-phones, complete . . . . .	N.P.
Chicory . . . . .	N.P.	Fans, complete with motor . . . . .	N.P.
Chillies preserved in oil . . . . .	N.P.	Fire alarm apparatus . . . . .	N.P.
Chinese wood oil . . . . .	N.P.	Furnace, complete . . . . .	N.P.
Chromel resistance wire . . . . .	P.	Fuse, wire, tested . . . . .	P.
Cigarette makers, made of cane or bamboo matting . . . . .	P.	Hair dryers, complete . . . . .	N.P.
Cinnamon, . . . . .	N.P.	Hammers, portable . . . . .	N.P.
Circular knives . . . . .	P.	Interrupters (telephone switchboard) . . . . .	N.P.
Citron essence . . . . .	N.P.	Lamps, reading, complete . . . . .	P.
Clivet (for perfumery) . . . . .	N.P.	Ozone generators, complete . . . . .	N.P.
Clips, spring, for bottle caps . . . . .	P.	"Spiralite" advertising device . . . . .	P.
Coccoline . . . . .	N.P.	Spraying apparatus . . . . .	P.
Coffee grinding machines (hand driven) . . . . .	P.	Starters . . . . .	N.P.
Coffee roasting machines (hand driven) . . . . .	P.	Syrens, complete with motor . . . . .	N.P.
Colluputin . . . . .	N.P.	Transformer testing sets . . . . .	N.P.
Combination tool "Austral" . . . . .	P.	Transformers . . . . .	N.P.
Compasses, magnetic . . . . .	N.P.	Wiro, fuse, tested . . . . .	P.
Congo copal (gum copal) . . . . .	P.	Electrodes . . . . .	G.L.
Controller parts, gas, brass . . . . .	P.	Elevating truck, Plimpton. (Warehouse truck) . . . . .	P.
Copal, Congo (gum copal) . . . . .	P.	Elevators, cork, for boots, with or without sheepskin covering . . . . .	N.P.
Copal, Manila . . . . .	P.	Embossing machines (hand power) . . . . .	N.P.
Copal varnish, not containing spirit . . . . .	N.P.	Emery caps . . . . .	G.L.
Copper blanks for electric cranes. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	P.	Emulsor, lard (Holloware) . . . . .	P.
Copra . . . . .	N.P.	Erasers not containing rubber or other prohibited constituents . . . . .	N.P.
Copra meal . . . . .	N.P.	Erythrosine dye . . . . .	N.P.
Cord, sea grass . . . . .	N.P.	"Exitor" cement packing machines . . . . .	N.P.
Cork tipping bobbins . . . . .	N.P.	Extract:—	
Corozo meal . . . . .	N.P.	"Blultan" powder. (Chestnut extract) . . . . .	P.
Corset busk, cutting and tipping machine (hand driven) . . . . .	P.	Eye-glass chain holder . . . . .	P.
Cotton baling press machines (power) . . . . .	N.P.	Eyelets, boot, metal . . . . .	P.
Cotton rags (not for paper making) . . . . .	P.	Eveletter, automatic, pedal . . . . .	N.P.
Counters, automatic pocket . . . . .	N.P.	Fans, complete with electric motor. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	N.P.
Counters, tin, automatic machine . . . . .	N.P.	Fans, hand, for suction gas plants . . . . .	N.P.
Crane controllers. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	N.P.	Fans, light shades and parasols of bamboo and paper . . . . .	P.
Cream of tartar . . . . .	N.P.	Fasteners, paper, automatic . . . . .	P.
Cue cutters . . . . .	P.	"Feathers, Ornamental," includes all raw and manufactured ornamental feathers . . . . .	
Currimeter map measure . . . . .	N.P.	Feathers, ostrich, for transshipment conveyed to United Kingdom in vessels of any nationality . . . . .	G.L.
Cushions, air, Japanese, made partly of paper . . . . .	N.P.	Felts, card . . . . .	P.
Cutch cake . . . . .	N.P.	Ferment "I" . . . . .	N.P.
Cutters, bench, metal (hand driven) . . . . .	P.	"Fibrolite" building board . . . . .	N.P.
Cutters, case . . . . .	P.	Fibre, palmyra . . . . .	N.P.
Cutters, rod . . . . .	P.	Film scrap, cellulose acetate . . . . .	P.
Cutters, wood (steel), for grooving . . . . .	P.	Film splitting machines . . . . .	N.P.
Cylinders, for aerated waters, steel . . . . .	P.	Film spooling machine and accessories (not treadle) . . . . .	N.P.
Darts, steel (Toys) . . . . .	P.	Filter candles and filter cylinders for water filtering. (Earthenware) . . . . .	G.L.
Dental accessories:—		Filter, cocoa butter . . . . .	N.P.
Gutta percha . . . . .	G.L.	Finger print camera . . . . .	P.
Rubber cup capsicum suction dental plasters . . . . .	G.L.	Finger print identification lenses with frames . . . . .	P.
Dinners, fully cooked, containing 25 per cent. of meat . . . . .	N.P.	Fire alarm apparatus. (Electrical accessories and appliances.) . . . . .	N.P.
Disinfectant, intestinal, "Salol" . . . . .	N.P.	Fleshings (glue stock) . . . . .	N.P.
Distilled waters . . . . .	P.	Floral waters for medicinal purposes (containing no spirit or sugar) . . . . .	N.P.
Door bolts . . . . .	P.	Folding machines for cuffs and collars and pads for garters (Power) . . . . .	N.P.
Door hangers, sliding . . . . .	P.	Foot powder (Fastep) . . . . .	P.
Doublets, i.e., facets of unset precious stones . . . . .	G.L.	Foot powers . . . . .	P.
Dove tail bits . . . . .	P.	Forgings, rough, for sewing machines . . . . .	P.
Drainers, cellar . . . . .	P.	Frames, collapsible, steel, for opera hats . . . . .	P.
Draw plates for wire drawing . . . . .	P.	Fringe nets . . . . .	N.P.
Drill sleeves . . . . .	P.	Fruit slicer machine. (Hand.) . . . . .	P.
Dummy bolts . . . . .	P.	Fruit slicer machine (power driven) . . . . .	N.P.
Dusters or polishers, pocket, shoe, cotton wool and canvas . . . . .	P.	Fumigators, Formaldehyde. (Metal.) . . . . .	P.
Dyes:—		Furnace, electric, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances.) . . . . .	N.P.
Erythrosine . . . . .	N.P.	Fusel oil . . . . .	N.P.
Merthyl violet . . . . .	N.P.	Fuse wire, tested. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	P.
Paraphenylene diamine . . . . .	N.P.	Fustian, cotton (imitation leather) . . . . .	P.
Ear-phones, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	N.P.	Gas controller parts, brass . . . . .	P.
Ebonite containing less than 50 per cent. of rubber . . . . .	N.P.	Gauges, Marine . . . . .	N.P.
Elastic bitumen or "Elaterite" . . . . .	N.P.	Gauges, taper test . . . . .	P.
"Elaterite" or elastic bitumen . . . . .	N.P.		
Electrical accessories and appliances:—			
Bells and buzzers for fire alarm telephones . . . . .	G.L.		
Bracket lamp for bulb holders, nickel-plated . . . . .	P.		
Brush holder springs . . . . .	P.		
Ceiling roses (Earthenware) . . . . .	P.		
Copper blanks for cranes . . . . .	P.		
Crane controllers . . . . .	N.P.		

Description of Article.	Decision.
Gelatine emulsion, used in making photographic paper	N.P.
Glass cotton	N.P.
Glow covers	P.
Glucose	N.P.
Glycerine substitute (mainly glucose)	N.P.
Glycero-phosphates	N.P.
"Glypho" Glycerine substitute, (Levulose, Sucrose, Dextrose)	N.P.
Grape juice, unfermented and non-alcoholic	N.P.
Graphite paste	N.P.
Grass tape	P.
Gum rolls	N.P.
Guides, metal, for textile machines	P.
Gullery testing apparatus	P.
Gum Damar	N.P.
Gummitte, and manufactures of	G.L.
Hack saw machine, portable, for rail cutting	P.
Hair dryers, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N.P.
Hairnets, hair or silk	N.P.
Hammers, portable, electric. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N.P.
Hatters, furs	N.P.
Hedge steel strip	G.L.
Hematine (paste and solid)	N.P.
Hog spleen	N.P.
"Hollow" wire as tubes, other than of copper or brass or brass coated	P.
Hominy grits or pearl hominy	N.P.
Homogenising machines, milk. (Dairy machines)	N.P.
Hoods, tagal. (Hats and bonnets)	P.
Hoof hammers	P.
Hoof parers	P.
Hooks or Blake needles, for boot machines	P.
Hooks and needles, embroidery	P.
Hooter signal horns	P.
Horseshair, artificial	N.P.
Horse radish, fresh	N.P.
Hose, flax canvas. (Linea Manufactures)	P.
Hosiery drying machines (power driven)	N.P.
Hosiery knitting machines	N.P.
Hub bands, iron	P.
Hydrate of alumina	N.P.
Ibirin (spirits)	P.
Indigo	N.P.
Ink, paste	N.P.
Innersoling leather board	P.
Insectifuge (Pyrethrum Flower) (insect powder)	N.P.
Integrators	N.P.
Interrupters (Telephone switchboard). (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N.P.
Iron hook strip	G.L.
Jacks, track	G.L.
Jolly, lubricating, K. Y. for surgeon's use	N.P.
Jewellery:—	
Beads, shell. (Imitation Jewellery)	P.
Beads, wax, Japanese, as imitation pearls. (Imitation Jewellery)	P.
Cameos, imitation. (Imitation Jewellery)	P.
Chains, brass, gilt. (Imitation Jewellery)	P.
Chains, base-metal, for eyeglasses. (Imitation Jewellery)	P.
Jointing, rubber composition (Jenkins brand)	N.P.
Journal boxes, tramcar	P.
Kamanga oil	N.P.
"Kapok" life-saving vests	N.P.
Knitting of hosiery machines (hand driven)	N.P.
Knives, circular	P.
Kola nuts	N.P.
"Kromoid" wax for tanners	N.P.
Lace, silk, ex France	G.L.
Lamps, brazing	P.
Lamps, reading, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	P.
Lanterns, marine, with flashing mechanism	N.P.
Latch needles	G.L.
Lead acetate	N.P.
Lead pencils with rubber tip	N.P.
Leatherboard innersoling	P.
Leather stamping machines	P.
Life-saving vests ("Kapok")	N.P.

Description of Article.	Decision.
Ligatures, silk	P.
Light-shades, fans, parasols of bamboo and paper	P.
Lime juice, raw	N.P.
Liquorice juice in blocks, mass and sticks, containing no added sugar	N.P.
Litho red. (Aniline dye)	N.P.
Lourdes water	N.P.
Machines:—	
Addressograph (complete)	N.P.
Apple grater	N.P.
Apple or cider press	N.P.
Apple paring and coring (power driven)	P.
Baling or strapping (hand power)	P.
Ball mill for power grinding	N.P.
Bending for chain	L.
Book writing	P.
Boot welt and turn, sewing	N.P.
Bread crumbers (hand and power driven)	P.
Capsuling (power driven)	N.P.
Centrifuge, laboratory	N.P.
Cheque writing, "Proectograph"	N.P.
Coffee grinding (hand driven)	P.
Coffee roasting (hand driven)	P.
Coast busk cutting and tipping (hand driven)	N.P.
Cotton baling press (power)	N.P.
Counters, tin, automatic	N.P.
Embossing (hand driven)	N.P.
"Exitor" cement packing	N.P.
Film slitting	N.P.
Film spooling and accessories (not treadle)	N.P.
Folding for cuffs and collars and pads for garters (power)	N.P.
Fruit slicer (hand)	P.
Fruit slicer (power)	N.P.
Hack saw, portable, for rail cutting	P.
Homogenising, milk. (Dairy Machine)	N.P.
Hosiery drying (power driven)	N.P.
Hosiery knitting	N.P.
Knitting or hosiery (hand driven)	N.P.
Leather stamping	P.
Milk separators or centrifuge	N.P.
Oil expellers	N.P.
Oxygraph (acetylene) (used in die-making and for slotting)	N.P.
Paper cutting, lever (hand driven)	N.P.
Paper tube making (power driven)	N.P.
Pinking and slotting (hand driven)	N.P.
Press, automatic, for gramophone records	N.P.
Presses, high embossing	N.P.
Refrigerating (electric power)	N.P.
Road grading (horse drawn)	N.P.
Rubber tyre cutting or slitting (power driven)	N.P.
Signowriters, signature stamping (hand driven)	P.
Soap drying (power driven)	N.P.
Starch printing (hand driven)	N.P.
Strapping or baling (hand power)	P.
Tabulating, sorting and key punch	N.P.
Tag marking	N.P.
Textile cutting, automatic (power)	N.P.
Telegraph keyboard perforating	P.
Tin printing, rotary or "Voivin" roto offset press	N.P.
Tubing, for rubber tyres and tubes	N.P.
Typographical numbering	P.
Tyre grooving	P.
Varnishing (power driven)	N.P.
Wire enamelling (power driven)	N.P.
Wire stitching for cardboard and fibre boxes	N.P.
"Writerpress" multigraph printing	N.P.
Mallehute apparatus	P.
Mallets, raw hide	P.
Maltose, made from rice	N.P.
Mandioca, root flour	N.P.
Mango slices in brine	N.P.
Mangrove bark	N.P.
Manila copal	P.
Marine glasses, complete	N.P.
Marine lanterns with flashing mechanism	N.P.
Medicinal preparations (bond slide) containing sugar	G.L.



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Mercury gas . . . . .	N.P.	Pencils, lead, with metal protectors, complete	N.P.
Merthyl violet dye . . . . .	N.P.	Pencils, lead, with rubber tip . . . . .	N.P.
Meters, glue . . . . .	N.P.	Penholders, vulcanite . . . . .	N.P.
Metol . . . . .	N.P.	Pen points, steel . . . . .	P.
Mica tape . . . . .	N.P.	Pepper . . . . .	N.P.
Mica tubes . . . . .	N.P.	Perfumed spirit . . . . .	P.
Milk separator machines or centrifuge . . . . .	P.	Peroly. (Bate, for tanning) . . . . .	N.P.
Mimosa bark . . . . .	N.P.	Persian berries . . . . .	N.P.
"Mints" Mulford (preparations of sugar) . . . . .	P.	Petroleum jelly, vaseline . . . . .	N.P.
"Moellon" (grease for manufacture of boots) . . . . .	N.P.	Phosphor bronze sheets, cut to size . . . . .	P.
Mohair, woolen . . . . .	P.	Photometer . . . . .	N.P.
Molasses . . . . .	N.P.	Phthalic anhydride . . . . .	N.P.
Mouthpieces, vulcanite, for smoking pipes . . . . .	N.P.	Pills (medicinal) . . . . .	N.P.
Munra tubes (fibre), for film-coating machines . . . . .	N.P.	Pinning and slotting machine (hand driven) . . . . .	P.
Muff couplings . . . . .	P.	Pitch, petroleum . . . . .	N.P.
Mushroom spawn . . . . .	N.P.	Pitch, vegetable . . . . .	N.P.
Musical instrument cases, made of fibre . . . . .	N.P.	Pituitary glands of animals . . . . .	N.P.
Musical instrument cases, made partly of leather . . . . .	P.	Plaits, tagal . . . . .	N.P.
Myrabolams (palm fruit) . . . . .	N.P.	Planimeters . . . . .	N.P.
Nail rod steel . . . . .	N.P.	Platinum lustre, liquid . . . . .	N.P.
Needles, blake, or hooks, for boot machines . . . . .	P.	Polishers or dusters, pocket, shoe, cotton wool and canvas . . . . .	P.
Needles and hooks, embroidery . . . . .	P.	Potassium bromide . . . . .	N.P.
Needles, latch . . . . .	G.L.	Powder, baby. (Toilet preparations) . . . . .	N.P.
Nestle's "Milo" Food, containing no added sugar, but sweetened with condensed milk . . . . .	N.P.	Powder, Blue . . . . .	P.
Nickel chrome ribbons . . . . .	P.	Powder, foot. (Fastap.) . . . . .	P.
Nitrate of soda . . . . .	N.P.	Pre-see, high embossing, machine . . . . .	N.P.
Nails, grey . . . . .	N.P.	Press machine, automatic, for gramophone records . . . . .	N.P.
Nozzles for liquid sprayers . . . . .	P.	Protioxide of sodium . . . . .	N.P.
"Nujol" white mineral oil for medicinal purposes . . . . .	N.P.	Pulley blocks, Yale, triplex . . . . .	P.
Nuts, Kola . . . . .	N.P.	Pumps, breast (rubber and glass) . . . . .	P.
Oils :—		Pyrethrum flower, "Insectifuge" (insect powder) . . . . .	N.P.
Bean . . . . .	N.P.	Pyrometers . . . . .	N.P.
Chaulmoogra . . . . .	N.P.	Quartz, fine and rough . . . . .	P.
Chinese wood . . . . .	N.P.	Rabbit pelt, used for glue making . . . . .	N.P.
Cod . . . . .	N.P.	"Raylux" (Chemical decolorizer) . . . . .	N.P.
Fish . . . . .	N.P.	Red gum accroides or yacca gum . . . . .	N.P.
Fish, mixed . . . . .	N.P.	Refrigerating machine. (Electric power) . . . . .	N.P.
Fusel . . . . .	N.P.	Rennet, dry, and extract of . . . . .	G.L.
Herring . . . . .	N.P.	Returned Empties :—	
Jasmin (Perfumery) . . . . .	P.	The General Licence covering "Returned Empties" is applicable to returned empties of the following type :—	
Kamanga . . . . .	N.P.	Bags.	
Kernel . . . . .	N.P.	Barrels.	
Olive . . . . .	N.P.	Baskets.	
Peanut . . . . .	N.P.	Biscuit empties.	
Peanut . . . . .	N.P.	Bobbins.	
Salad . . . . .	N.P.	Bottles in cases or crates.	
Sardine . . . . .	N.P.	Boxes (collapsible or otherwise).	
Shark . . . . .	N.P.	Cans.	
White mineral, for medicinal purposes, "Nujol" . . . . .	N.P.	Carboys.	
Oil atomizers . . . . .	N.P.	Cases.	
Oil expeller machines . . . . .	N.P.	Casks.	
Oil reclaimers . . . . .	N.P.	Crates.	
Olive oil . . . . .	N.P.	Cylinders.	
Opera glasses . . . . .	P.	Drums.	
Orange peel, bitter . . . . .	N.P.	Fish packages.	
Ostrich feathers for transhipment conveyed to United Kingdom in vessels of any nationality . . . . .	G.L.	Frames, cloth.	
Ovens, steam heated . . . . .	N.P.	Jars.	
Oxygraph machines (acetylene) (used in die making and for slotting) . . . . .	N.P.	Paper shields.	
Ozone generators, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	N.P.	Rings, wrought iron (used as Tube protectors).	
Packing, flax, engine . . . . .	P.	Rollers.	
Pads, ebonite or vulcanite, containing less than 50 per cent. of rubber . . . . .	N.P.	Sacks.	
Palm kernels . . . . .	N.P.	Skips.	
Palmyra fibre . . . . .	N.P.	Spools.	
Paper, automatic fasteners . . . . .	P.	Rhatany root (for medicinal purposes) . . . . .	N.P.
Paper cutting machines, lever (hand driven) . . . . .	N.P.	Ribbon, metal or brass . . . . .	P.
Paper tube making machines (power driven) . . . . .	N.P.	Ribbons, nickel chrome . . . . .	P.
Paraphenylene diamine (Dyes) . . . . .	N.P.	Road grading machines (horse drawn) . . . . .	N.P.
Parasols, fans, light shades, bamboo and paper . . . . .	P.	Rock crystal . . . . .	N.P.
"Parolin" insulating material . . . . .	N.P.	Rod cutters . . . . .	P.
Peanut butter or paste . . . . .	N.P.	Rods, packing, or tools, steel . . . . .	P.
Pearl hominy or hominy grits . . . . .	N.P.	Rods, steel, screw . . . . .	P.
Pearl spoons . . . . .	N.P.	Rosin . . . . .	N.P.
Pedal operating wheels . . . . .	P.	Rubber, reclaimed . . . . .	P.
Pen arms, steel . . . . .	P.	Rubber scrap or waste . . . . .	P.
		Rubber tyre cutting or slotting machine (power driven) . . . . .	N.P.
		Rules, slide . . . . .	G.L.
		Rye, spurred . . . . .	N.P.
		Salad oil . . . . .	N.P.
		Sulphuric acid . . . . .	N.P.

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Salmon paste . . . . .	P.	Timber, all arriving as deck cargo from U. S. A. and Canada . . . . .	G.L.
"Salol" (intestinal disinfectant) . . . . .	N.P.	Tinder lighters, composition . . . . .	N.P.
Saucapan cleaner, (Fibre bristles) . . . . .	P.	Tin printing machines, rotary or "Voivian" roto offset press . . . . .	N.P.
Scarf pin protectors, brass . . . . .	P.	Tomatoes, fresh, from France . . . . .	G.L.
Screw stock square, steel . . . . .	P.	Tonquin beans . . . . .	N.P.
Screws, thumb, iron or steel . . . . .	P.	Tool "Austral" combination . . . . .	P.
Sea grass cord . . . . .	N.P.	Tools or rods, packing (steel) . . . . .	P.
Seigle ergote . . . . .	N.P.	Tramcar journal boxes . . . . .	P.
Selenium metal . . . . .	P.	Transformer testing sets. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	N.P.
Shears, bench, metal . . . . .	P.	Transformers. (Electrical accessories and appliances) . . . . .	N.P.
Signwriters, signature stamping machine (hand driven). . . . .	P.	Tricycles, children's. (Toys) . . . . .	P.
Simple syrup . . . . .	P.	Trucks or under carriages for tramcars . . . . .	N.P.
Sliding rules . . . . .	G.L.	Tubes, mica . . . . .	N.P.
Sliding door hangers . . . . .	P.	Tubes, muarta (fibre), for film-coating machines . . . . .	N.P.
Soda drying machines (power driven) . . . . .	N.P.	Tubing machines for rubber tyres and tubes . . . . .	N.P.
Soda, hand cleanser of pumice, "Snap" . . . . .	P.	Tungsten . . . . .	N.P.
Sockets, steel, for iron wire rope . . . . .	P.	Turbine distance separators . . . . .	P.
Socks, cork . . . . .	N.P.	Turneric . . . . .	N.P.
Soda ash . . . . .	N.P.	Typographical numbering machines . . . . .	P.
Sodium selenite . . . . .	P.	Tyre grooving machines (hand) . . . . .	P.
Soldering flux . . . . .	N.P.	Umbrellas, complete . . . . .	N.P.
Soy extract, vegetable . . . . .	N.P.	Unions, white metal . . . . .	P.
Soya cake (for cattle feeding) . . . . .	N.P.	Vapo-cresolene . . . . .	N.P.
Splicing collars . . . . .	P.	Varnish, copal, not containing spirit . . . . .	N.P.
Spaghetti with tomato sauce . . . . .	N.P.	Varnishing machines (power driven) . . . . .	N.P.
Spanish earth . . . . .	N.P.	Vaseline, petroleum jelly . . . . .	N.P.
Spectacle cases (cardboard and metal) . . . . .	P.	Vegetable tape, or bast . . . . .	P.
"Spiralite" advertising device. (Electrical accessories and appliances). . . . .	P.	Vitolol . . . . .	N.P.
Spirit, neutral . . . . .	P.	Vulcanite, containing less than 50 per cent. of rubber . . . . .	N.P.
"Spon Tem" powder paste . . . . .	N.P.	Vulcanite mouth-pieces for smoking pipes . . . . .	N.P.
Spoons, pearl . . . . .	N.P.	Watch-winding buttons (base metal and silver) . . . . .	P.
Sprayers and bellows for powder (hand) . . . . .	P.	Waterproof cloth . . . . .	N.P.
Spraying apparatus. (Electrical accessories and appliances). . . . .	P.	Wax, "Kromoid," for tanners . . . . .	N.P.
Stampings, fancy metal, for photo frames . . . . .	P.	Wax, paraffin . . . . .	N.P.
Starch, potato and sweet potato . . . . .	N.P.	Weasands. (Bladders, casings and sausage skins) . . . . .	P.
Starch printing machines (hand driven) . . . . .	N.P.	Whalebone . . . . .	N.P.
Starters. (Electrical accessories and appliances). . . . .	N.P.	Wheels, pedal operating . . . . .	P.
Steel strip, heddle . . . . .	G.L.	Wine, non-alcoholic . . . . .	P.
Stencil plates, phosphor bronze . . . . .	P.	Wire, chromel resistance . . . . .	P.
Sterilizing apparatus for surgical instruments. . . . .	P.	Wire, enamelling machine (power driven) . . . . .	N.P.
Stilettes, embroidery . . . . .	P.	Wire, fuse, tested. (Electrical accessories and appliances). . . . .	P.
Stopples and necks, brass, for water bottles . . . . .	P.	Wire, "Hollow," as tubes, other than of brass or copper, or brass coated . . . . .	P.
Strainers for liquid sprayers . . . . .	P.	Wire, steel, coppered and flattened . . . . .	G.L.
Strapping or baling machine (hand power) . . . . .	P.	Wire stitching machines for cardboard and fibre boxes . . . . .	N.P.
Strings, made of Japanese grass, for musical instruments. . . . .	G.L.	Witch hazel . . . . .	N.P.
Strip, iron hook . . . . .	G.L.	Wood cutters, steel, for grooving . . . . .	P.
Succory root . . . . .	N.P.	Wool cloth . . . . .	P.
Sugar syrup, cane, as molasses . . . . .	N.P.	"Writopress" multigraph printing machine . . . . .	N.P.
Sulphate of alumina . . . . .	N.P.	Yacca gum, or red gum acroideis . . . . .	N.P.
Sumac, dried leaves for tanning . . . . .	N.P.	Zinc powder . . . . .	N.P.
Surgical appliances:—		Zinc strip . . . . .	P.
"Albee" bone operative set . . . . .	N.P.	Zirconia . . . . .	N.P.
Tungsten target X-ray tubes . . . . .	N.P.	The following corrections should be made in the publications referred to:—	
Syringe, complete with motor. (Electrical accessories and appliances). . . . .	N.P.	Issue of 29th March 1917.	
Syringes, medical, of all kinds . . . . .	G.L.	Page.	
Syrup, cane sugar, as molasses . . . . .	N.P.	7. Buns, baked . . . . .	P.
Syrup, simple . . . . .	P.	<i>should read</i>	
Tables, fracture and orthopedic . . . . .	P.	Beans, baked, tinned . . . . .	G.L.
Tabulating, sorting and key punch machine . . . . .	N.P.	Beans, dried . . . . .	G.L.
Tagal hoods . . . . .	P.	<i>should read</i>	
Tagal plaits . . . . .	N.P.	Beans, dried . . . . .	N.P.
Tag marking machines . . . . .	N.P.	Beans, Lima . . . . .	G.L.
Talc . . . . .	N.P.	<i>should read</i>	
Tally, registers, automatic . . . . .	N.P.	Beans, Lima . . . . .	N.P.
Tangle-foot (Insecticide) . . . . .	N.P.	8. Bolts and nuts, brass . . . . .	G.L.
Tanks, melting . . . . .	P.	Bolts and nuts, carriage . . . . .	G.L.
Tape, brass . . . . .	G.L.	Bolts and nuts, round headed for stoves . . . . .	P.
Tape, grass . . . . .	P.	Bolts—finhead (used for fastening wood battens to radiators) . . . . .	P.
Tape, mica . . . . .	N.P.	<i>should read</i>	
Tape, Okonite rubber, insulating . . . . .	P.	Bolts and nuts of all kinds, blank or tapped, except Door bolts, Dummy bolts, Security bolts and Blind nuts . . . . .	G.L.
Tape, vegetable, or bast . . . . .	P.		
Tar, vegetable . . . . .	N.P.		
Telegraph keyboard perforating machine . . . . .	P.		
Telephone switchboards and parts . . . . .	G.L.		
Tetrachloride of titanium (liquid) . . . . .	N.P.		
Textile cutting machines, automatic (power) . . . . .	N.P.		
"Thalets" (chocolate laxative sweets) . . . . .	P.		
"Thiel" tar product . . . . .	N.P.		
Thread, copper tinsel . . . . .	P.		
Thumb screws, iron or steel . . . . .	P.		

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9.	Brass strips . . . . .	N.P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Brass strips . . . . .	G.L.
	Brooch joints and catches . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Brooch joints, pins and catches (base metal) . . . . .	P.
9.	Camel hair noils . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Camel hair noils . . . . .	N.P.
10.	Cattle dehorners . . . . .	N.P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Cattle dehorners . . . . .	P.
14.	Electrical Accessories and Appliances—	
	Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses and bulbs . . . . .	P.
	Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key . . . . .	G.L.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key . . . . .	P.
15.	Torch cases, without lenses or bulbs, made of soft iron scrap . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Torch cases, without lenses and bulbs, made of soft iron scrap . . . . .	P.
16.	Emery cloth discs . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Emery cloth or "Electrite" discs . . . . .	G.L.
	Hypodermic Syringes . . . . .	N.P.
	Delete (see Syringes, medical of all kinds).	
21.	Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses or bulbs . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses and bulbs . . . . .	P.
	Lamp holders, electrical, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key . . . . .	G.L.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Lamp holders, electrical, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key . . . . .	P.
22.	Lima beans . . . . .	G.L.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Lima beans . . . . .	N.P.
25.	Nails, iron, with all brass heads . . . . .	G.L.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Nails, iron, with all brass heads . . . . .	P.
	Nails, iron, with brass covered heads . . . . .	G.L.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Nails, iron, with brass covered heads . . . . .	P.
	Nickel Oxide . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Nickel Oxide . . . . .	G.L.
	Noils, Camel hair . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Noils, Camel hair . . . . .	N.P.
	Noils, white merino wool (semi-manufactured article) . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Noils, white merino wool (semi-manufactured article) . . . . .	N.P.
	No entry shown . . . . .	
	<i>should read</i>	
	Noils, wool . . . . .	P.
26.	Peel, in brine . . . . .	N.P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Peel, lemon and bitter orange, in brine . . . . .	N.P.
25.	Nuts and bolts, brass . . . . .	G.L.
	Nuts and bolts, carriage . . . . .	G.L.
	Nuts and bolts, round headed, stove . . . . .	P.
	Nuts, brass, for aneroid barometers . . . . .	G.L.
	Nuts, iron or steel . . . . .	G.L.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Nuts and bolts of all kinds, blank or tapped (except nuts, blind), door bolts, dummy bolts and security bolts . . . . .	G.L.

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27.	Photographic apparatus includes any article or part thereof designed or adapted or commonly used for the taking and developing of photographs . . . . .	
	<i>should read</i>	
	Photographic apparatus includes any article or part thereof designed or adapted or commonly used for the taking, developing and printing of photographs . . . . .	
	Pincers, steel . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Pincers, seal . . . . .	P.
29.	Rattans . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Rattans and canes, unvarnished . . . . .	N.
	Rods, wire . . . . .	
	<i>should read</i>	
	Rods, wire . . . . .	G.L.
30.	Screw brass parts for use on telephones . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Screw brass parts for use on telephones . . . . .	G.L.
33.	Sugar corn . . . . .	N.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Sugar corn . . . . .	
	Syringes, hypodermic . . . . .	N.P.
	Delete (see Medical syringes of all kinds).	
33.	Talcum powder (toilet requisite) . . . . .	N.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Talcum powder (toilet requisite) . . . . .	P.
	Telephone, brass screw parts for use on . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Telephone, brass screw parts for use on . . . . .	G.L.
34.	Telephone and telephone parts (except telephone brackets and parts thereof) . . . . .	N.P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Telephone and telephone parts (except telephone brackets and parts thereof) . . . . .	G.L.
	Torch cases, electric, not fitted with lenses or bulbs, made of soft iron scrap . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Torch cases, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses and bulbs . . . . .	P.
35.	Tube cleaners . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Tube cleaners, hand driven . . . . .	P.
36.	Wire rods . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Wire rods . . . . .	G.L.
37.	Wool noils . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Wool noils . . . . .	N.P.
	Wool, white merino, noils (semi-manufactured article) . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Wool noils, white merino (semi-manufactured article) . . . . .	N.P.
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1	Clamps . . . . .	P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Clamps, iron or steel, as engineers' tools . . . . .	G.L.
	Clamps, wooden . . . . .	P.
4.	Shellac . . . . .	N.P.
	<i>should read</i>	
	Shellac, not containing spirit . . . . .	N.P.

#### HAUDWARE LIST.

The following articles which will be found in their alphabetical order in the preceding list are here grouped together for convenience of reference :—

Description of Article.
Apple paring and coring machines (power).
Baling or strapping machines (hand).
Barbers' pole (Barker's), revolving.
Bellows and sprayers for powder (hand).
Bells and buzzers for fire alarm telephones. (Electrical accessories and appliances). (G.L.).
Bending machine for chain

## Description of Article.

Blind nuts.  
Bolts, door.  
Bottle closing device (brass nickelled).  
Bracket lamp or bulb holders, nickelled. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)  
Braid, wire.  
Brass strip. (G.L.).  
Brass tape. (G.L.).  
Bracing lamps.  
Bread crumbing machines (hand and power).  
Brush holder springs. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)  
Burning outfits, "Hauk." (Blow lamp).  
Burners, chain.  
Calf dehorners.  
Cellar drainers.  
Clutch discs, steel.  
Chromel resistance wire.  
Circular knives.  
Clips, spring, for bottle caps.  
Coffee grinding machines (hand driven).  
Coffee roasting machines (hand driven).  
Combination tool, "Austral."  
Cylinder parts, gas, brass.  
Copper blanks for electric cranes. (Electrical accessories and appliances).  
Corset busk cutting and tipping machine (hand driven).  
Cue cutters.  
Cutters, bench, metal (hand driven).  
Cutters, cue.  
Cutters, rod.  
Cutters, steel, for grooving wood.  
Door bolts.  
Door hangers, sliding.  
Dovetail bits.  
Drainers, cellar.  
Draw plates for wire drawing.  
Drill sleeves.  
Dummy bolts.  
Electrical accessories and appliances :—  
Bells and buzzers for fire alarm telephones. (G. L.).  
Bracket lamp or bulb holders, nickelled.  
Brush holder springs.  
Copper blanks for electric cranes.  
Fuse wire, tested.  
Lamps, reading, complete.  
"Spiralite," advertising device.  
Spraying apparatus.  
Wire fuse, tested.  
Eyeglass chain holder.  
Eyelets, boot, metal.  
Fasteners, paper, automatic.  
Foot powers.  
Forgings, rough, for sewing machines.  
Frames, collapsible, steel, for opera hats.  
Fruit slicing machine (hand).  
Fumigators, formaldehyde (metal).  
Fuse wire, tested. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)  
Gas controller parts, brass.  
Gauges, taper test.  
Glow covers.  
Guides, metal, for textile machines.  
Guillory testing apparatus.  
Hack saw machine, portable, for rail cutting.  
Heddle steel grip. (G. L.).  
"Hollow" wire, as tubes, other than of brass or copper, or brass coated.  
Hoof hammers.  
Hoof parers.  
Hooks and needles, embroidery.  
Hooks or needles, Blake, for boot machines.  
Hooter signal horns.  
Hub bands, iron.  
Iron hook strips (G.L.).  
Jacks, track (G.L.).  
Journal boxes, tramcar.  
Knives, circular.  
Lamps, brazing.  
Lamps, reading, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)

## Description of Article.

Latch needles. (G.L.).  
Leather stamping machines.  
Machines :—  
Apple-paring and coring (power).  
Baling or strapping (hand).  
Bending for chain.  
Bread crumber (hand and power).  
Coffee grinding (hand power).  
Coffee roasting (hand driven).  
Corset busk cutting and tipping (hand driven).  
Fruit slicer (hand).  
Hack saw, portable, for rail cutting.  
Leather stamping.  
Milk separators or centrifuge.  
Pinking and slotting (hand driven).  
Signewriter signature stamping (hand driven).  
Strapping or baling (hand).  
Typographical numbering.  
Tyre grooving.  
Mailchute apparatus.  
Milk separator machines or centrifuge.  
Muff couplings.  
Needles or hooks, Blake, for boot machines.  
Needles and hooks, embroidery.  
Needles, latch. (G.L.).  
Nickel chrome ribbons.  
Nozzles for liquid sprayers.  
Paper, automatic fasteners.  
Pedal operating wheels.  
Pen arms, steel.  
Pen points, steel.  
Phosphor bronze sheets, cut to size.  
Pinking and slotting machines (hand driven).  
Pulley blocks, Yale, triplex.  
Ribbon, metal.  
Ribbons, nickel chrome.  
Rod cutters.  
Rods, packing, or tools (steel).  
Rods, steel, screw.  
Scarf pin protectors, brass.  
Screw stock square, steel.  
Screws, thumb, iron or steel.  
Shears, bench, metal.  
Signwriters, signature stamping machine (hand driven).  
Sliding door hangers.  
Sockets, steel, for iron-wire rope.  
Spacing collars.  
"Spiralite" advertising device. (Electrical accessories and appliances).  
Sprayers and bellows for powder (hand).  
Spraying apparatus. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)  
Stampings, fancy metal for frames.  
Steel strip, heddle (G.L.).  
Stenciled plates, phosphor bronze.  
Sterilising apparatus, for surgical instruments.  
Stilettes, embroidery.  
Stopples and necks, brass for water bottles.  
Strainers for liquid sprayers.  
Strapping or baling machine (hand).  
Strip, brass. (G.L.).  
Strip, iron hook. (G.L.).  
Tables, fracture and orthopedic.  
Tape, brass. (G.L.).  
Thumb screws, iron or steel.  
Tool, "Austral" combination.  
Tools or rods, packing steel.  
Tramcar journal boxes.  
Turbine distance separators.  
Tyre-grooving machines.  
Typographical numbering machines.  
Unions, white metal.  
Watch-winding buttons (base metal and silver).  
Wheels, pedal operating.  
Wire, chromel resistance.  
Wire fuse, tested. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)  
Wire "hollow," as tubes, other than of brass or copper or brass coated.  
Wire, steel, coppered and flattened. (G.L.).  
Wood cutters, steel, for grooving.  
Zinc strip.

**HARDWARE.**

The following corrections should be made in the publications referred to:—

Issue of 29th March 1917.

- PAGE 38.**—Bolts and nuts, brass (G.L.)  
 Bolts and nuts, carriage (G.L.)  
 Bolts and nuts, round headed stove  
 Bolts—finhead (used for fastening wood battens to radiators)  
*should read*  
 Bolts and nuts of all kinds, blank or tapped, except door bolts, dummy bolts, security bolts and blind nuts (G.L.)  
 Brooch joints and catches  
*should read*  
 Brooch joints, pins and catches (base metal).
- PAGE 41.**—Electrical accessories and appliances—  
 Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs  
*should read*  
 Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses and bulbs.  
 Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key (G.L.)  
*should read*  
 Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key  
 Torch cases, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs  
*should read*  
 Torch cases, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses and bulbs.
- PAGE 43.**—Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs  
*should read*  
 Lamp cases, hand and pocket electric, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses and bulbs  
 Lamp holders electric brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key (G.L.)  
*should read*  
 Lamp holders, electric (brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key.

**PAGE 45.**—Nails, iron with all brass heads (G.L.)

*should read*

Nails, iron, with all brass heads.  
 Nails, iron, with brass covered heads (G.L.)

*should read*

Nails, iron, with brass covered heads.  
 Nuts and bolts, brass (G.L.)  
 Nuts and bolts, carriage (G.L.)  
 Nuts and bolts, round headed, stove,  
 Nuts, brass for aneroid barometers (G.L.)

Nuts, iron and steel (G.L.)

*should read*

Nuts and bolts of all kinds, blank or tapped, except nuts, blind, door bolts, dummy bolts, and security bolts (G.L.)

Pincers, steel

*should read*

Pincers, steel

**PAGE 46.**—Rods, wire

*should read*

Rods, wire (G.L.)  
 Screw brass parts (for telephone instruments)

*should read*

Screw brass parts (for use on telephone)

**PAGE 49.**—Telephone, brass screw parts, for use on

*should read*

Telephone, brass screw parts, for use on

(G.L.)  
 Torch cases (electric) made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses or bulbs

*should read*

Torch cases (electric) made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses and bulbs.

**PAGE 49.**—Tube cleaners

*should read*

Tube cleaners, hand driven.  
 Wire rods.

*should read*

Wire rods (G.L.)

Reprint from the "Board of Trade Journal" issue of 3rd May 1917.

**PAGE 1.**—Clamps

*should read*

Clamps, iron or steel, as engineers' tools (G.L.)

**No. 228-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2951-C. W., dated the 24th March 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

*Additions*

Bangkok Travelling Agency, Bangkok.

Swanson and Sehested, Bangkok.

**No. 259-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alteration shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 1st July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

*Additions*

Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.

Jespersen, J. T., Tientsin.

Koskinen, E. L.

Leung Pin Kee, Dr., of 50, Cheong Lok Kai, Canton.

Shanghai Municipal Council.

Yunnanfu Electric Light Co.

*Alteration.*

Municipal Councils of British, Allied and Neutral Concessions and of the International Settlement at Shanghai

*should read*

Municipal Councils of British, Allied and Neutral Concessions.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

The 10th November 1917.

**No. 88-D.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896 (II of 1896), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that, *so far as the Bombay Presidency is concerned*, the forms B, C and E, annexed hereto, shall be substituted for forms B, C and E appended to the rules made under the said Act, which were published with the notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 864-S. R., dated the 21st February 1896, as amended by the notifications of the Government of India noted below :—

Finance and Commerce Department No. 2429-S. R., dated the 29th May 1899.

Commerce and Industry Department No. 2050-3, dated the 17th March 1906.

Commerce and Industry Department No. 133-D., dated the 2nd December 1916.

**FORM B.**

**STATEMENT OF COTTON GOODS ASSESSED TO DUTY, WITH AMOUNT PAYABLE THEREON.**

Description of Goods.	Weight in lbs.	Tariff value per lb. or real value	Total of tariff value or real value.	Total duty payable at 3½ per cent.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. A.	Rs. A.
Part I.—Grey and bleached piece-goods .				
Part II.—Coloured piece-goods . . . .				
Part III.—Grey and coloured goods other than piece-goods.				
Part IV.—Hosiery . . . . .				
Part V.—Miscellaneous cotton goods . .				
Part VI.—Cotton goods mixed with silk or wool.				
TOTAL .				

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191 .

Collector.

**FORM C.**

**NOTICE OF DEMAND OF PAYMENT OF EXCISE DUTY UNDER SECTION 9(1) OF ACT II OF 1896.**

No. \_\_\_\_\_

BOMBAY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,  
FACTORY EXCISE DEPARTMENT,

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 191 .

To . \_\_\_\_\_

Take notice that on behalf of Government I hereby demand payment by you of the sum of Rupees \_\_\_\_\_ now due and unpaid on account of excise duty for the month of \_\_\_\_\_ 191 , and that if the above amount be not paid into this office within ten days after the date of service hereof on you, I shall proceed to obtain payment of the same according to the provisions of the Cotton Duties Act (Act II of 1896).

Collector.

N. B.—No payment will be received after 3 P.M. on all week days except Saturday, and after 1 P.M. on Saturday.

FORM E.

Application No. \_\_\_\_\_

(Name of Mill) \_\_\_\_\_

(Name of Exporter) \_\_\_\_\_

To The Collector of Customs for the purpose of the Cotton Duties Act.  
Please allow certificate or drawback in the case of the following exports to \* \_\_\_\_\_ sailing on \_\_\_\_\_ 191 .

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
No. of bales and marks	Nos on bales (as in Bale Register).	Weight of bales	No. of pieces in each bale.	Details of contents.	Dates of issue out of the mill. premises.	Total weight	Real value per lb.	Total value.	Drawback claimed.
								Rs As.	Rs. As.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191 .  
Certified that the bales shown above were sold to \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ Signed (by Exporter) \_\_\_\_\_

Signed (by Mill) \_\_\_\_\_  
Shipping Bill No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 191 .  
\* Here will be entered the Foreign port of destination.

A. H. LEY,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

## GENERAL.

*The 10th November 1917.*

**No. 13365.**—In consequence of the appointment of the Hon'ble Mr. C. E. Low, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India in this Department, as a member of the Indian Industrial Commission, the following acting arrangements are made with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd November 1917, and until further orders:—

Mr. A. H. Ley, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary to act as Secretary;

Mr. I. D. Elliott, I.C.S., Under Secretary to act as Deputy Secretary; and

Mr. P. C. Tallents, I.C.S., Officer on Special Duty to act as Under Secretary, in this Department.

G. HARDY,

*Under Secretary to the Government of India.*

## GEOLOGY AND MINES ESTABLISHMENT.

*The 10th November 1917.*

**No. 13346.**—Mr G. C. Leach, Inspector of Mines in India, No. 2 Circle, is permitted to resign the service with effect from the afternoon of the 31st December 1917.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

*The 3rd November 1917.*

**No. 13291.**—Mr. George Wren, Deputy Superintendent, Technical, 1st class, is appointed as an Assistant Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering (Provincial Service), with effect from the 16th December 1916.

Mr. Samuel Henry Holding, Deputy Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, 2nd class, is appointed as an Assistant Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering (Provincial Service), with effect from the 23rd March 1917.

C. E. LOW,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

*Delhi, the 9th November 1917.*

## APPOINTMENTS.

**No. 1897.**—The undermentioned warrant and non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

## REGULAR FORCES.

*Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

No. 4538 Serjeant George Browning. Dated 4th October 1917.

No. 32603 Battery Serjeant Major George Holland. Dated 5th October 1917.



No. 29362 Battery Serjeant Major George Ayres. Dated 3rd October 1917.

No. 36755 Battery Quartermaster Serjeant Matthew Meaburn. Dated 3rd October 1917.

No. 55071 Serjeant John Greatrex. Dated 5th October 1917.

No. 46117 Serjeant Herbert Dootson. Dated 4th October 1917.

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

**No. 1898.**—The undermentioned warrant and non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

No. 11002 Battery Serjeant Major Frederick Pound. Dated 23rd October 1917.

No. 26840 Corporal Arthur Rowner Miller. Dated 2nd October 1917.

*Infantry.*

**No. 1899.**—The undermentioned warrant officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*The Dorsetshire Regiment.*

Company Serjeant Major Reginald Charles William Park. Dated 24th October 1917.

Company Serjeant Major Bird Everton. Dated 24th October 1917.

**No. 1900.**—Army Department Notification No. 1677, dated the 5th October 1917, is cancelled.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

**No. 1901.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval the undermentioned to be temporary Captain for the period of his honorary service in the Marine Lines War Hospital at Bombay, with effect from the date specified:—

Phiroz Cooverji Bhurucha. 5th October 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 1902.**—Second Lieutenant Walter Lind Sherwill Boileau, attached 7th Gurkha Rifles, will have seniority in the rank of Second Lieutenant from the 19th April 1915.

**No. 1903.**—The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed temporary Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified:—

George Edward Thornton } —1st November 1917.  
Alfred James Riggs

*1st November 1917.*

Benjamin Burgess.  
Francis Beatty Miller.  
Henry John Cotton.  
William Austin Tatton.  
Charles William Taylor.  
Eric Chilton Corbould.  
Roy Fraser.  
James Macmillan.  
Andrew McNab.  
Francis John Deane.  
William Harold Price.  
Daniel Crowley.  
George William Poole.  
Stanley Ellis.  
Hedley John Bicker.  
Leslie Oswald Hillier.

Clarence Hanley Jenkins.  
Anthony Charles Roberts.  
Thomas John Michael.  
Edward George Mills.  
Arthur Vincent Danagher.  
James Newman.  
Leslie Charles Upchurch.  
Louis Harold Carter.  
John Henry Allan Martin.  
Frederick John Gigg.  
Thomas Ralph Bassett.  
William John Davies.  
Alfred Charles Seeley.  
Robert Lees Nicholson.  
Edward Arthur Harrop.  
George Elliott Pinkerton.  
Norman Augustus Donnell.  
Daniel Thomas Taverner.

*5th November 1917.*

Howard George Rice.  
Harold Fredilis.  
Frank Bertram Hargreaves.  
Sidney John Haynes.  
Cyril Herbert Hampton.  
Leonard Frederick Rood.  
Walter Henry Rowe.  
Alfred John Wonnacott.  
Arnold Ewart Barraclough.  
Gordon Lewis Biddlecombe.  
Ronald Arthur Ford.  
Geoffrey Herbert Hasnip.  
Thomas Austen Rayner.  
William Arthur Boyce.  
Herbert Pitchford.  
Arthur Horace Sergeant.  
Frank Robert Handy.  
Sidney Fulk Weale Matthews.  
William Eric Merrill.  
Clarence William Stark.  
Arthur William Hoare.  
Robert Stanley Read.  
Joseph White Sutherland.  
Thomas Henry Dew.  
Alfred Robert Kent.  
Edward Dixon Burns Legg.  
Arthur Percival Mockridge.  
John Nelson Smart.  
Henry Bolton Sparkes.  
Cyril Wood.  
William Arthur John Bell.  
Lionel William Fullerton.  
Alfred Leslie Julian.  
John Edwin Liniker.  
Robert Ivor Jones.  
Arthur Barr.  
Charles John Cude.  
Henry Gilbert Hunt.  
Frank Strange.  
Robbie Winter Brooks.  
Albert Edward Fournier.  
Clifford Roberts Musto.  
William Robert Francis O'Connell.  
Cecil Henry Wyatt.  
Reginald William Wyatt.  
Reginald Arthur Collett.  
Ernest Adolphus Bellamy.  
John Phillip Blackmore.  
Cyril Frank Mills.  
Frank Wesley Fellingham.  
Gilbert Anderson Innes.

Stuart Henry Norman  
Michael Angelo Aloysius D'Arcy.  
Harold Randolph Tilley.  
David Turnbull.  
Gilbert Richard Philpott.  
William Hayward Stokes Philp.  
Charles Alexander Walter.  
William Cross.  
Joseph Percy Raeburn.  
Wesley Taylor.  
Wilfred John Chilcott.  
Arthur George Richard Goldsack.  
Noel Edward Creasy.  
Thomas Cude.  
William James Cunningham.  
George Edward Pole.  
Albert Peirce Massey.  
Leslie Lionel Mooring.  
Walter Albert Johns Strudwick.  
Walter George Bailey.  
Terence Claud Cunningham.  
Leonard John Parsons.  
John Lockstone.  
Edwin James Abbott.  
Cyril Athelstan Bodley.  
William Henry Clarke.  
Edward William George Newlyn  
Eric Boyd Graham Senior.  
Gilbert Holway Turl.  
Edward Reginald Brown.  
George Noel Haymes.  
Thomas Fergus Haymes.  
Sydney Thomas Ransome Taylor.  
Claude Walter Thurston.  
William Alfred Henson Muschamp.  
Francis Clifford Ashton.  
Thomas Henry Flye.  
Thomas Henry Saunders.  
Gilbert White.  
Linas Symonds.  
Harold Whittington.  
William Valentine Ball.  
William Harvey Kent.  
Charles Bernard Caminada.  
Frank Loveland.  
Sidney Harold Lamble.  
Walter Govett Tarr.  
Frank Beesley.  
George Leopold Rackett.  
Harold Steele.  
Victor Albert Baker.  
Charles Albert Walter Rawlinson.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 1904.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*To be Second Lieutenants.**Cavalry Branch.*

William Patrick Cowie. Dated 31st October 1917.  
Leslie Hugh Taffs. Dated 7th November 1917.

*Infantry Branch.*

Ronald Vernon Littlewood.	Dated 22nd October 1917.
Edmund William Frederick Rodgers.	Dated 30th October 1917.
George Frederic West.	} Dated 31st October 1917.
Hugh Otway deGale.	
William James Cox.	} Dated 1st November 1917.
Arthur Cecil Balloch.	
Theodore Stuart Brunton.	
Frank Cecil Pine.	
Howard Richard Frost.	
Albert Henry Bailey.	
William George Gould.	
Fred Hyde Frost.	
Frederick Swynnerton.	Dated 2nd November 1917.
William Somerset Erskine Mannes-Abbott.	} Dated 5th November 1917.
William Thomas Matthew Rowe.	
George Gunning Ratcliffe Hunter.	
Sydney Patrick Jennings.	
Alfred Herbert Jones.	
Neil Alfred Patrick Brewin.	
Joseph Wallingford Tate.	
Robert Timothy Sullivan.	
Leslie George Handscomb.	
Edwin Edwards.	
Harold Plassey Smith.	
Alan Buchanan-Meikle.	
Arthur Pryor Keelin.	
Timothy Francis Finnigan.	
Charles Hamilton Dale.	
John Maurice Kilburn.	
Leslie Malcolm Thompson.	
Gilbert Gordon.	
Edgar Walter Shenton.	
William Aubrey Aylmer Battle.	
Owen Joseph Egan-Wyer.	
Frederick Raoul Virgo.	
John Douglas Wisher.	
Reginald James Hannay.	
Alexander James Dirks.	
Hector Vivian Gordon.	
Stanley Gilbert Charles Nash.	
John Samuel Rogers.	
Edward Leslie Godley.	

Andrew Balfour.  
 Reginald Roy Plumptre.  
 Bertie St. Clair Wilks.  
 Walter Charles Savage.  
 Richard Sharman Harper-Collins.  
 Richard William Lewis Kelly.  
 Leonard Arthur Hinton Smith.  
 William Joseph Pannett.  
 Arthur Keith Wilson.  
 Sydney Hugh Moffatt.  
 George Reginald Pippet.  
 Ernest John Alfred Cook.  
 John Wallace Brodie.  
 Walter Colin Dickson.  
 Frederick Wilson Spargo.  
 Harry Somerville Thomas Dallmeyer.  
 William Foster Inman.  
 Cyril Quixano Henriques.  
 Edward Chayter Watson.  
 George Frederick Horace Girling.  
 Roland Hudson Yorke.  
 Archibald Robert Anderson.  
 Alexander Lowry.  
 Leonard James Roach.  
 Francis Upton Rose.  
 John McIntyre Robertson.  
 Percy Seymour Sawyer.  
 Gilbert Alfred Hamilton Searle.  
 Henry John Gasson.  
 Whyte Casling.  
 Reginald Castelman Jeffreys.  
 Dennis Blake.  
 George Powell Connor.  
 John Birtwhistle Brooks.  
 Edward William Perry.  
 Alfred George Milward.  
 Herbert Cecil Smith.  
 Gerald Cairns Shannon.  
 Ivon Hope Taunton.  
 Elder Gaul Barter.  
 Benjamin George Holdsworth.  
 Lionel Elles Stanley Teague.  
 Bertram Godard Everard.

Dated 5th November 1917.

**No. 1905.**—Henry Hewat Craw to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated the 5th October 1917.

*(Army Department Notification No. 1685, dated the 5th October 1917, so far as it relates to the appointment of this officer, is cancelled.)*

**No. 1906.**—The undermentioned Lieutenants of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed in the Army Clothing Department, with effect from the 22nd October 1917 :—

Alfred George Ranelagh Horton-Bennett.  
 Denis Riley.  
 Stanley John Vessey.

**No. 1907.**—Lieutenant J. Durnan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain with the pay and allowances of a Lieutenant, while holding the appointment of Adjutant, Signal Services Dept. Dated 3rd August 1917.

### LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 1908.**—The following extracts are published for general information :—

*Fourth Supplement dated the 10th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 7th September 1917, pages 953, 955 and 956.*

War Office

10th September, 1917.

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#### MEMORANDA.

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Temporary 2nd Lieutenant C S Platts, R.E., is transferred to General List on appointment as a probationer for Indian Army Reserve of Officers 25th July 1917.

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#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made.—

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##### GENERAL STAFF.

*General Staff Officers, 1st Grade*—And to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonels whilst so employed.

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Major A. F. C. Williams, D.S.O., Indian Cavalry, *see* Brevet Colonel W. M. St. G. Kirke, D.S.O., R.A. 31st July 1917.

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*Supplement dated the 11th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 11th September 1917, pages 9418 and 9419.*

War Office,

11th September, 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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##### SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a General Staff Officer, 1st Grade.)—Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) O. B. S. F. Shore, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army, and to retain his temporary rank whilst so employed. 10th July 1917.

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## MEMORANDA.

Colonel F. J. Fowler, C.B., D.S.O., to be temporary Brigadier-General whilst employed as Brigade Commander. 27th July 1917.

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*Second Supplement dated the 12th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 11th September 1917, pages 9431, 9432, 9433 and 9438.*

*War Office,  
12th September, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lieutenants, 1st Class)—Lieutenant-Colonel T. French, retired pay, Indian Army. 23rd August 1917.

24th August 1917.

Colonel D. St. J. D. Grant, M.B., Indian Medical Service.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. McConaghey, C.I.E., Supernumerary List, Indian Army.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lieutenants, 2nd Class.) 25th July 1917 :—

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Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Warden retired pay, Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel F. R. M. C. de R. Mauduit, retired pay, Indian Army.

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## ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Military Wing.*—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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*Flying Officers.*

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2nd Lieutenant G. S. Sawyer, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. 16th July 1917.

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19th July 1917.

2nd Lieutenant H. L. C. McConnell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

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## MEMORANDA.

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Lieutenant N. W. Kemp, Bombay Volunteer Rifles, to be temporary Captain (without the pay or allowances of that rank) whilst employed as a Courts-Martial Officer. 2nd August 1917.

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## UNATTACHED LIST FOR INDIAN ARMY.

With a view to their appointment to the Indian Army :—

Harold George Sheldon.  
 Arthur John Millard Wilton.  
 Henry Brian Russell.  
 James Fiddes.  
 Brian Hennell Amsden.  
 John Richard Marriott.  
 Bertie Percival Dicker.  
 Joseph Llewellyn Jones.  
 Richard Arthur Burridge.  
 William James O'Brien.  
 Donald Hansom Tapp.  
 Victor George Joseph Barton.  
 Wilfred George Sale.  
 James Stanley Deakin.  
 Guy Russell Illingworth.  
 Cecil Frederick East.  
 John Arundell Clarke.  
 Kenneth William Ross Rae.  
 Philip Robert Broadway.  
 Eric Douglas Macvean.  
 Reginald Stanley Woodman.  
 Godfrey Maxwell Dyer.  
 Ralph Brown.  
 Vernon Maurice Hervalwil-Cox.  
 Wilfred Algeinon Archer.

Arthur Dean.  
 Reginald Charles Walmington Johns.  
 James Miles Binden Chicheley Plowden.  
 Joseph Devoncher Jackson.  
 Henry Sloane Larking.  
 James Edward Cobbett.  
 Harry Anderson McMahon.  
 Frederick Richard Dickinson.  
 John St. Clair Arbuthnott.  
 Leslie Evan Smith.  
 Allen Lingard Rae Duke.  
 Leslie Charles Hutchinson Brown.  
 Hugh Alexander Mullaly.  
 Arthur Patrick Walsh.  
 Eric Bruce Stratton.  
 John Frederick Fortiscue Barnes.  
 Edwin Leeb Judd.  
 Clive Conrad Schokman.  
 William George Arthur Lambert.  
 John Ruahine Weston.  
 William Boyd Gilligan.  
 Robert Armstrong Alexander Badham.  
 Dugald Mitchell McDougall.  
 John Wingate Rundall.  
 Robert Lionel Phillips.

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*Third Supplement dated the 13th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 11th September 1917, pages 9143, 9145, 9146, 9147, 9148 and 9150.*

War Office,  
 13th September, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

## GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. O., 2nd Grade —Major A. G. Thomson, D.S.O., Indian Army, relinquishes his appointment. 3rd July 1917.

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## MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned to be temporary Captains :—

Lieutenant K. R. Scott, Indian Infantry, whilst employed as a G. S. O., 3rd grade. 23rd January 1917.

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## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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## GENERAL STAFF.

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*G. S. Os.*

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*2nd Grade.*

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Major A. G. Thomson, D.S.O., Indian Infantry. 9th August 1917.

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## ASSIGNED TO H.D.-Q.R. UNITS.

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*Staff Captains*

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Captain F. Gwatkin, Indian Cavalry, *vice* Captain T. W. Corbett, Indian Cavalry. 8th June 1917.

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*General List.*

The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants on appointment as probationers to Indian Army :—

Lieutenant G. W. W. White, from Australian Light Horse 16th July 1917.

Captain H. Wrigley, M.C., from Australian Infantry Battalion. 25th July 1917.

The undermentioned to be temporary 2nd Lieutenants :—

25th August 1917.

Regimental Quartermaster-Serjeant Earnest Edward Dunn.

No. 17665 Corporal Thomas Walsh.

David Cleland.

Thomas Joseph Nye.

Arthur Hanson. 29th August 1917.

(Substituted for Gazette notification, 7th September 1917, regarding above-mentioned officers, incorrectly specifying unit as General List (R. F. C., Military Wing).

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The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants on appointment as probationers to Indian Army :—

Temporary Lieutenant A. C. Elliott, from Borderers Regiment. 13th July 1917.

25th July 1917.

Temporary Captain W. R. D. Torrance, from Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

Temporary Captain H. S. Fussell, from South Staffordshire Regiment.

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant J. K. C. Brownlie, from Borderers Regiment (attached).

Temporary Lieutenant A. L. B. Gray, from 11th Service Battalion, Liverpool Regiment, to be temporary Lieutenant. 11th August 1917.

The undermentioned temporary 2nd Lieutenants to be temporary 2nd Lieutenants on appointment as probationers to Indian Army :—

25th July 1917.

J. P. Gordon, from Royal Irish Rifles.

E. N. Peach, from King's Royal Rifle Corps.

C. A. Strong, M.C., from Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

The undermentioned temporary 2nd Lieutenants to be temporary Lieutenants on appointment as probationers to Indian Army Reserve of Officers :—

W. A. Nicholas, from Cheshire Regiment (attached). 16th July 1917.



R. G. Marple, from Northumberland Fusiliers. 25th July 1917.

I. D. Rees, from Royal Welsh Fusiliers. 25th July 1917.

M. D. McNeill, from Royal Irish Rifles. 29th July 1917.

William Henry Gilbert to be temporary 2nd Lieutenant on appointment as probationer to Indian Army Reserve of Officers. 25th July 1917.

The undermentioned to be temporary 2nd Lieutenants :—

Percival Farmer. 19th April 1917.

William Walter Holman. 31st August 1917.

1st September 1917.

Alexander Robertson Ballot.

Alfred Edward Player.

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*Supplement dated the 14th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 14th September 1917, pages 9521 and 9523.*

War Office,  
14th September, 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### INFANTRY.

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##### *General List.*

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant D. Sim, from acting Lieutenant, Trg. Res. to be temporary 2nd Lieutenant on appointment as probationer to Indian Army Reserve of Officers. 25th July 1917.

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*Fourth Supplement dated the 15th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 14th September 1917, pages 9539, 9540 and 9551.*

War Office,  
15th September, 1917.

##### REGULAR FORCES.

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##### ROYAL FLYING CORPS

*Military Wing.*—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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*Balloon Company Commanders.*—(Graded as a Squadron Commander).—Captain G. F. H. Faithfull, Indian Army, and to be temporary Major whilst so employed. 30th August 1917, but with seniority (without pay or allowances) from 5th December 1916.

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##### INFANTRY.

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*East Lancashire Regiment.*—Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. Evatt (Indian Army, retired) to be Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary), with precedence as from 20th September 1914. 30th April 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 21st May 1917.)

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*Fifth Supplement dated the 17th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 11th September 1917, pages 9555 and 9603.*

War Office,  
17th September, 1917.

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His Majesty the KING-EMPEROR has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards to officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of the Indian Army :—

*Awarded the Indian Order of Merit, 2nd Class.*

- 8 Lance-Naik Holi Ram Garo, Military Police.  
(29th May, 1917.)
- 1488 Sepoy Kern, Infantry.  
(29th May, 1917.)
- 1380 Colour Havildar Mandhoj Sen, Infantry.  
(20th June, 1917.)
- 2394 Sepoy Mohamel Din, Infantry.  
(29th May, 1917.)
- 3365 Rifleman Timaram Khattri, Infantry.  
(20th June, 1917.)

*Indian Distinguished Service Medal.*

- Jemadar Anna Singh, Infantry.
- 3071 Dafadar Bahadur Sher, Cavalry.
- 797 Sepoy Farangi, Infantry.
- 3559 Rifleman Jasbhadur Mal, Infantry.
- 4027 Sowar Madho Singh, Cavalry.
- 2412 Sepoy Mirzada, Infantry.
- Jemadar Ram Singh, Infantry.
- 3112 Lance-Naik Sarju Misir, Infantry.
- 1512 Lance-Naik Sunder Singh, Infantry.
- 2818 Lance-Dafadar Tara Singh, Cavalry.
- 69 Sepoy Teza Singh, Infantry.

AMENDMENTS.

The following are the correct descriptions of officers, non-commissioned officers and men upon whom rewards have recently been conferred :—

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Jemadar Mulik Aman, Indian Army. (I. O. M. gazetted 17th April 1917.)

The second announcement of the award of the I. D. S. M. to Naik Sawan Singh, Sappers and Miners, in the *London Gazette* dated 25th August, 1917, is cancelled, the award having been previously gazetted 1th June, 1917.

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*Sixth Supplement dated the 17th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 11th September 1917, pages 9617, 9630 and 9633.*

War Office,  
17th September, 1917.

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ARMY CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned Chaplains of the Indian Ecclesiastical establishment are transferred to the Army Chaplains Department as temporary Chaplains to the Forces, 4th Class, without other alteration in the conditions of their service, from the dates shown :—

The Revd. L. McLean. 23rd April 1917.

The Revd. T. A. Thomson. 1st May 1917.

The Revd. Percival Walter James, Chaplain of the Wesleyan Church in India, is transferred to the Army Chaplains Department as temporary Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, without other alteration in the conditions of his services. 23rd May 1917.

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*Infantry.*

*Service Battalions.*

*Bord. R.*

Temporary Second Lieutenant R. S. Jones, to be temporary Lieutenant. 5th February 1917. (Since transferred to General List on appointment as probationer to Indian Army). (Substituted for Gazette Notification. 14th July 1917).

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*Seventh Supplement dated the 17th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 14th September 1917, pages 9645 and 9646.*

*War Office,  
17th September, 1917.*

The names of the undermentioned have been brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for War for valuable services rendered in connection with Military Operations in the field :—

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*Staff.*

Bray, Captain N. N. E., Indian Army.

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*Civilians.*

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Forde, Esq., A. B., Indian Civil Service.

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*Eighth Supplement dated the 17th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 14th September 1917, pages 9649 and 9650.*

*War Office,  
17th September, 1917*

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for distinguished service in the field :—

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*To be Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel.*

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) W. W. Bickford, C.I.E., Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) R. M. Carter, F.R.C.S., Indian Medical Service (with effect from 26th April 1916 inclusive).

*To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.*

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Captain Charles Fitzroy Cahusac, Indian Army.

Captain John Douglas Crawford, M.C., Indian Army.

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Major Robert Archer Lloyd, M.D., Indian Medical Service.

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Major Evelyn Dalrymple Raymond, M.C., Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas Timbrell, Indian Army.

2nd Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Frederick Owen Townsend, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

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## PROMOTIONS.

## REGULAR FORCES.

**No. 1909.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Royal Regiment of Artillery.**Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

Lieutenant H. Birtles to be acting Captain while commanding a Royal Artillery Depot. Dated 11th October 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. B. Walker, Royal Field Artillery, deceased.

**No. 1910.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*To be acting Captain while acting as Adjutant but with pay and allowances as for a Lieutenant.*

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

Lieutenant R. M. Durrant. Dated 3rd August 1917.

*Royal Field Artillery (Territorial Force).*

Lieutenant F. Eastwood. Dated 3rd August 1917.

Lieutenant P. E. Hill. Dated 12th August 1917.

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

Lieutenant G. F. Willcocks. } Dated 3rd August 1917.  
Lieutenant T. Devine. }

**No. 1911.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

Major P. H. Climo to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a brigade of Indian Mountain Artillery. Dated 25th October 1917.

Captain J. S. Heaton Ellis to be acting Major while commanding a Heavy Battery of Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 8th June to 26th July 1917, *vice* Major F. F. Rynd, D.S.O., promoted.

Lieutenant P. Mead to be acting Captain while commanding a company of Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 26th August 1917 to 6th September 1917, *vice* Major (now Lieutenant Colonel) C. K. Lush, transferred to the home establishment with effect from the 11th August 1917.

Lieutenant F. G. Carron (S. R.) to be acting Captain while commanding a company of Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 26th August 1917, *vice* Major A. C. Gunter, transferred to the home establishment with effect from the 11th August 1917.

Lieutenant A. W. Buchanan to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of British Mountain Artillery. Dated 19th August 1917, *vice* Captain (acting Major) D. O. Fardell, promoted with effect from the 18th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant W. M. Hunter to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a Heavy Battery of Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 8th June to 26th July 1917, *vice* Captain J. S. Heaton Ellis, promoted.

Second Lieutenant A. H. Dickens to be acting Captain but with pay and allowances as for Lieutenant while acting as Adjutant of a Royal Garrison Artillery Group. Dated 2nd September 1917.

Second Lieutenant T. F. Hennessy to be acting Captain, but with pay and allowances as for a Lieutenant, while acting as Adjutant of a brigade of Indian Mountain Artillery. Dated 25th October 1917.

**No. 1912.**—Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. W. Beard relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to perform the duties of Captain of a battery of Indian Mountain Artillery. Dated 19th October 1917.

*Cavalry**7th (Queen's Own) Hussars.*

**No. 1913**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Second Lieutenant A. E. Stevens to be acting Captain while acting as Adjutant but with pay and allowances as for Lieutenant. Dated 19th October 1917.

*Royal Army Medical Corps.*

**No. 1914.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*To be temporary Captains.*

Temporary Lieutenant J. E. Ainsley. Dated 29th June 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant A. Binning. Dated 15th September 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant H. H. Weir. Dated 18th September 1917.

## TERRITORIAL FORCE.

*Infantry.*

**No 1915.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment).*

Captain G. R. Blake to be acting Major while serving as Major on the headquarters of a battalion. Dated 15th September 1917 *vice* Major H. Herries-Crosbie, vacated with effect from the 31st August 1917.

*The Border Regiment.*

Lieutenant J. Jackson to be acting Captain while commanding a company, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 20th July 1917.

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 1916.**—The following acting promotions and relinquishments of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*12th Cavalry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. W. David on relinquishes his acting rank, on ceasing to command a squadron: dated 7th September 1917.

*11th Murray's Jat Lancers.*

Major F. K. Bally to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a regiment from 12th September 1917 to 25th September 1917, inclusive.

*Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's (Infantry)).*

Captain D. G. Sandeman to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion: dated 24th September 1917.

*9th Bhopal Infantry*

Lieutenant F. L. Woledge, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company: from 12th September 1917 to 1st October 1917, inclusive.

*2nd Battalion, 12th Pioneers (The Khat-i-Ghulzie Regiment).*

Lieutenant G. E. Ferwicke-Clennell, attached, to be Captain while commanding a wing, in an existing vacancy: dated 17th June 1917 to 16th August 1917, inclusive.

*15th Ludhiana Sikhs*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) C. F. W. Hughes, M.C., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion, dated 23rd September 1917.

Captain (acting Major) A. E. Barstow, M.C., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion: dated 23rd September 1917.

*20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's) Punjabis.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) G. R. Kidd to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion: from 27th September 1917 to 9th October 1917, inclusive.

The undermentioned to be acting Captain while commanding a company:—

Lieutenant F. Barclay, Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached: dated 18th September 1917.

Lieutenant L. B. Fitz Gibbon, Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached: dated 27th September 1917 to 9th October 1917, inclusive.

*26th Punjabis.*

Captain G. W. Anderson to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion: from 25th August 1917 to 30th September 1917, inclusive.

The undermentioned to be acting Captain while commanding a company:—

Lieutenant T. B. Cunninghame, Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached: from 25th August 1917 to 30th August 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant J. M. Hunt, 87th Punjabis, attached: dated 15th September 1917.

*27th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. W. Rowland, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 1st October 1917.

*36th Sikhs.*

Lieutenant J. E. N. Webb, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : from 19th September 1917 to 23rd September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. R. A. Henry, 10th Jats, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company ; dated 1st October 1917.

*37th Dogras.*

Lieutenant A. H. E. Lindop, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 11th September 1917.

*45th Rattray's Sikhs.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) K. H. Preston, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 15th September 1917.

*56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant H. G. Inglis, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 28th September 1917.

*51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant A. N. Lushington, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 9th September 1917.

*53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).*

Captain St. J. A. Browne to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion : dated 24th September 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captain while commanding companies :—

Lieutenant J. S. Culverwell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 10th September 1917.

Lieutenant B. G. Davy, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 24th September 1917.

*59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. L. Cooper, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 9th January 1917.

Major R. D. Beadle, 46th Punjabis, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion : from 15th September 1917 to 23rd September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. H. Burne, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion : from 15th September 1917 to 23rd September 1917, inclusive.

The undermentioned to be acting Captain while commanding companies :—

Lieutenant W. H. H. Young, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : from 15th September 1917 to 10th October 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant E. J. K. Garthwaite, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : from 25th September 1917 to 2nd October 1917

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. M. Hamilton relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 16th September 1917.

*64th Pioneers.*

Lieutenant E. H. Stonehewer, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : from 29th July 1917 to 23rd September 1917, inclusive.

*73rd Carnatic Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Major) T. R. Robb, 88th Infantry, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion : dated 25th August 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) N. H. B. Rowcliffe, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 25th September 1917.

*83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant J. M. B. Steer, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 28th September 1917.

*91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).*

Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) N. I. Graham, West Riding Regiment, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 13th October 1917.

*93rd Burma Infantry*

Major A. Bredin, 72nd Punjabis, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion : dated 12th September 1917

*94th Russell's Infantry.*

Captain A. C. Palmer to be Major while second-in-command of a battalion : dated 22nd July 1917 to 14th September 1917, inclusive, *vice* Major W. H. Lane, appointed Commandant, Indian Base Depot, South Waziristan Field Force, with effect from the 7th July 1917

*97th Deccan Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) O. Cox, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 4th April 1917 (*granted him in Army Department Notification No. 475, dated the 30th March 1917*).

Lieutenant (acting Captain) O. Cox, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 13th September 1917 (*granted him in Army Department Notification No. 1338, dated 17th August 1917*).

Lieutenant S. B. Hauser, Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 25th September 1917.

*99th Deccan Infantry.*

Lieutenant W. MacLean, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : from 14th July 1917 to 12th August 1917, inclusive.

*102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.*

Captain R. C. Christie, M.C., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion : dated 29th July 1917.

In Army Department Notification No. 1873, dated 2nd November 1917, against the name of Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) R. W. de C. Rennick, 95th Infantry, attached, for " 13th September 1917 " read " 14th September 1917."

Captain (acting Major) R. C. Christie, M.C., to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel, while commanding a battalion : dated 29th September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. R. S. Dods, M.C., attached, to be acting Major, while second-in-command of a battalion : dated 29th September 1917.

Captain (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) R. C. Christie, M.C., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion : dated 12th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Major) E. R. S. Dods, M.C., attached, reverts to acting Captain on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion : dated 12th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. W. Morgan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 9th October 1917.

*108th Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) B. St. J. Smith, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 3rd October 1917.

*116th Mahrattas.*

Major A. E. J. Connell McDowell, Civil, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel, while commanding a battalion : dated 1st October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) F. K. Ward, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 1st September 1917.

Lieutenant F. K. Ward, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 1st October 1917.

*119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).*

The undermentioned relinquish their acting rank on ceasing to command companies :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) K. W. R. O'Reilly, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 21st May 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) G. H. Knowland, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 28th August 1917.

Lieutenant K. W. R. O'Reilly, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 12th September 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 119th Infantry.*

Lieutenant I. M. Orr, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : from 6th June 1917 to 26th June 1917, inclusive.

*121st Pioneers.*

Lieutenant L. E. Hill, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 24th September 1917.

*122nd Rajputana Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. C. Anderson, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 24th September 1917.

*125th Napier's Rifles.*

The undermentioned relinquish the acting rank granted them in Army Department Notification No. 475, dated 30th March 1917 :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. de St. Croix, 119th Infantry, attached : dated 22nd April 1916.

Second Lieutenant (now Lieutenant) (acting Captain) J. C. L. Morris, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 21st May 1916.

The undermentioned relinquishes the acting rank granted him in Army Department Notification No. 1338, dated 17th August 1917 :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) W. M. C. Marshall, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 27th October 1916.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) W. M. C. Marshall, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 13th August 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captain while commanding companies :—

Lieutenant J. B. Wilkinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached : dated 25th August 1917.

Lieutenant T. W. Rees, 73rd Infantry, attached : dated 20th September 1917 to 22nd September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. B. Wilkinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 7th October 1917.

Lieutenant W. M. C. Marshall, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 8th October 1917.

*128th Pioneers*

Lieutenant R. P. M. Tipping, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 20th September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. P. M. Tipping, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 4th October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).*

Lieutenant A. F. Joseph, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be Captain while commanding a company : dated 25th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant J. O. Fulton proceeded on field service with effect from the 10th September 1917.

*3rd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) J. Simpson, 1st Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion : dated 30th September 1917.



Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. A. Courthope, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a wing : dated 30th September 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.*

In Army Department Notification No. 1878, dated 2nd November 1917, against the name of Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) H. St. G. S. Scott, D.S.O., for "20th September 1917" *substitute* "21st September 1917".

Major D. W. Maxwell to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion : dated 6th October 1917.

*1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Lieutenant H. V. Collingridge, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding company : from 15th September 1917 to 22nd September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) T. E. Campbell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 3rd October 1917.

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) A. N. Bredin relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion : dated 8th October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) B. A. McH. Rice relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion : dated 25th September 1917.

Captain (acting Major) T. C. E. Barstow relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion : dated 25th September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) M. H. H. Smith relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company : dated 25th September 1917.

*1st Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.*

Major I. U. Battye, D.S.O., Guides Infantry, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion : dated 24th September 1917.

Captain R. P. St. V. Bernard, M. C., 2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion : dated 8th October 1917.

Lieutenant A. F. Dobbs, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company : dated 30th September 1917.

**No. 1917.**—Lieutenant R. D. Smith, 33rd Punjabis, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Brigade Machine Gun Officer. Dated 28th February 1916 to 15th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Walter Lind Sherwill Boileau, attached, 7th Gurkha Rifles, to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 19th April 1916.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 1918.**—Lieutenant Joseph Valentine Francois, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while specially employed, with effect from the 17th October 1917.

**No. 1919.**—Lieutenant James Ramsay Davidson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Senior Special Service Officer, Tehri Garhwal Imperial Service Sappers and Miners, with effect from the 2th August 1916.

**No. 1920.**—Lieutenant Raymond Arthur Coulson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, will have seniority in the rank of Lieutenant from the 22nd April 1916.

**No. 1921.**—The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 16th August 1917 :—

George Leonard Holmes, attached 99th Deccan Infantry.

Edwin Athelstan Hamlyn, attached the 101st Grenadiers.

Henry Jonathan Sansom, attached 123rd Outram's Rifles.

**No. 1922.**—Second Lieutenant William Downing Raynor, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 26th September 1917.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

*Assistant Surgeon Branch.*

**No. 1923.**—The undermentioned 4th class Assistant Surgeons, having completed seven years' service in that class, to be 3rd class Assistant Surgeons with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Patrick William Tobin	.	.	.	1st August 1917.
Patrick Frank Fanaken	.	.	.	18th October 1917.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

*Bengal Establishment.*

**No. 1924.**—The undermentioned 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 21st October 1917 :—

No. 1213, Bhagwan-das.	(E)
„ 1227, Daya Ram.	(E)
„ 1238, Kehar Singh.	(E)

(E) Passed in English.

*Madras Establishment.*

**No. 1925.**—The undermentioned 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 21st October 1917 :—

No. 1406, Joseph Chinnapen Aseervathun.

*Bombay Establishment.*

**No. 1926.**—The undermentioned 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, are promoted to the 1st Class, with effect from the 21st October 1917 :—

No. 323, Shaikh Amarbhai Daudbhai.
„ 324, Karmeswar-das.
„ 325, Ram Rao Anand Rao Doctor.

BARRACK DEPARTMENT, PUNJAB-BENGAL.

**No. 1927.**—Sub-Conductor John Liddy, Barrack Department, to be Conductor and Staff-Serjeant George Henry Gingell, Barrack Department, to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Conductor William Henry Greaves, Barrack Department, borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade; with effect from the 1st September 1917.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

**No. 1928.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Dost Muhammad, *Sardar Bahadur*, 106th Hazara Pioneers. Dated 1st November 1917.

**No. 1929.**—The following direct appointment is made :—

*2nd Battalion, 9th Delhi Infantry.*

Bhoop Singh to be Jemadar on probation, with effect from the 17th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

**No. 1930.**—The following promotions are made :—

*27th Light Cavalry.*

Ressaidar Bhagwan Sahai to be Risaldar, Jemadars Gainsa Singh and Nawal Singh to be Ressaidars, and Kot Dafadar Surat Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*23rd Peshwar Mountain Battery (Frontier Force).*

Jemadar Udhe Singh to be Subadar, Havildar Ghulam Jilani and Quartermaster Havildar Ali Akbar to be Jemadars, with effect from the 19th May 1917 and Havildar Bagga Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*The Frontier Garrison Artillery.*

Havildar Mani Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th July 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*Royal Field Artillery Depot, Dinapore.*

Havildar Major Karan Ilahi to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th August 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.*

Colour Havildar Khem Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th July 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.*

Jemadars Anthony and Nasiruddin to be Subadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917, Havildar Munisami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916, Havildars Moungh Hinan and Gurnsami to be Jemadars, with effect from the 14th July 1917 and Havildars Shaikh Abdullah Iyempernmal and Singaram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*35th Labour Corps.*

Jemadar Muhammad Ismail Khan [17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment)] to be Subadar, and Havildar-Major Anwar Khan [17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment)] to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th August 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).*

Colour Havildar Nanak Singh and Havildar Dalip Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 25th May 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*15th Ludhiana Sikhs.*

Havildars Kishan Singh and Bagh Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).*

Colour Havildar Sarabjit and Havildars Dharam Singh and Sohan Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 19th Punjabis.*

Colour Havildar Rajwali to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.*

Colour Havildar Daulat Singh, Quartermaster Havildar Jwala Singh and Havildars Sundar Singh, Thakur Singh and Gurdit Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st August 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*35th Sikhs.*

Havildar Gido Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*38th Dogras.*

Jemadar Kanhaiya to be Subadar, with effect from the 21st September 1917 ; *vide* Lachman, transferred to the pension establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.*

Colour Havildar Chandulal Sharma to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*48th Pioneers.*

Jemadar Narayan Singh [12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment)] to be Subadar with effect from the 19th July 1917, Jemadar Hukmi to be Subadar, with effect from the 6th August 1917, Colour Havildar Bagh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th July 1917, and Colour Havildar Nanta and Havildar Het Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 6th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Havildar Ghulam Husain Khan, Muhammad Yasin Khan, Sher Muhammad, Khuda Bakhsh and Naik Wali Muhammad Khan to be Jemadars, on probation, with effect from the 20th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*61st King George's Own Pioneers.*

Colour Havildar Duraisami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*66th Punjabis.*

Havildar Afsar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*73rd Carnatic Infantry.*

Jemadar Abdul Aziz Khan to be Subadar and Colour Havildar Arokiasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 89th Punjabis.*

Havildar Ramji Misr to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry.*

Havildars Ramsuchet Singh, Nihal Singh and Abhai Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 9th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry.*

Jemadar Antu (96th Berar Infantry) to be Subadar, Havildars Bhagwan Singh (96th Berar Infantry) and Muhammad Murtaza Khan (96th Berar Infantry) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 11th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, The 101st Grenadiers.*

Jemadars Dhane Khan and Shah Sowar to be Subadars and Colour Havildars Nadir Khan and Husain Bakhsh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

*109th Infantry.*

Subadar Lakshiman Kadam to be Subadar Major, with effect from the 23rd March 1917, *vice* Alladitta Khan, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment, Havildar Genu Jadhov to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th February 1917, and Havildar Narayan Dhuri to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd April 1917; to complete the establishment.

*114th Mahrattas.*

Colour Havildar Eswanta Jadao to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917, Havildar Narayan Parab to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th May 1917, Havildar Sausham Parab to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th July 1917, and Havildar Shankar Kerker to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles.*

Jemadar Karam Din to be Subadar, and Havildar Burhan Ali to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.*

Jemadar Amir Ali to be Subadar, and Havildars Karim Khan and Mir Ali Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 21st June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*125th Napier's Rifles.*

Jemadar Pirad Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 3rd April 1917, Havildar Tirkha Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd February 1917, and Havildar Bhanwar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd April 1917; to complete the establishment.

*128th Pioneers.*

Jemadars Musa Khan, I.O.M., and Abdul Latif Khan, I.O.M., to be Subadars, with effect from the 8th January 1916, Jemadar Tukaram Jadhav to be Subadar and Havildar Bala Ghorpade to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd January 1916, and Jemadar Teja Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 7th February 1916; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malawn Regiment).*

Jemadar Kanthbir Thapa to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Colour Havildar Lalbir Limbu and Havildar Dharmraj Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st January 1917, Havildar Bandu Gurung to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917, and Havildar Ranbahadur Limbu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*89th Punjabis.*

**No. 1931.**—Pensioned Jemadar Allah Ditta, late 89th Punjabis, is retransferred to the active list and promoted Subadar, with effect from the 15th December 1916; to complete the establishment.

**No. 1932.**—The following retired Indian officers have been re-employed in the Indian Army from the dates specified against their names:—

Rank and Name.	Former Regiment.	How employed.	Date of re-employment.
Subadar Imam Baksh Khan . . .	9th Bhopal Infantry.	Depôt, 9th Bhopal Infantry.	1st September 1917.
Subadar Saltanat Bahadur Singh . . .	16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).	Depôt, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).	1st October 1917.
Subadar Major Fateh Singh . . .	32nd Sikh Pioneers .	Depôt, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.	3rd October 1917.
Subadar Rur Singh . . .	32nd Sikh Pioneers .	Depôt, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.	18th October 1917.

*51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).*

**No. 1933.**—The promotion of Subadar Arjan Singh is antedated without pay and allowances to the 23rd January 1916, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1545, dated the 22nd December 1916.

The promotion of Subadar Tikka Khan, published in Army Department Notification No. 1544, dated the 22nd December 1916, is antedated without pay and allowances to the 7th April 1916.

The promotion of Jemadar Muhammad Khan, published in Army Department Notification No. 938, dated the 15th June 1917, is antedated without pay and allowances to the 23rd February 1917.

*80th Carnatic Infantry.*

**No. 1934.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1658, dated the 28th September 1917, for "88th Carnatic Infantry" read "80th Carnatic Infantry."

*3rd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

**No. 1935.**—The promotion of Jemadar Birbahadur Lama (2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles) has effect from the 1st September 1917 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1706, dated the 5th October 1917.

**REWARDS.**

**No. 1936.**—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned departmental warrant officer:—

Conductor James John Evans, Military Works Services, to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 15th October 1917.

**No. 1937.**—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned non-commissioned officer of the Supply and Transport Corps, in recognition of his services in India in connection with the war :—

Staff-Serjeant James Carter to be Sub-Conductor; with effect from the 30th July 1917.

**No. 1938.**—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following awards for gallantry in the field :—

#### INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

##### *For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.*

No. 1070 Naik Fazl Ahmad, Punjabis, for gallantry in action on the 11th September 1917. He was conspicuous for his brilliant inspiring courage, fighting spirit and self-sacrificing devotion to duty. He was killed in an attempt to carry a wounded British officer out of action. His widow, if any, is admitted to the pension of the Order with effect from the date of his death.

No. 2081 Lance Naik Sher Muhammad, Punjabis, for conspicuous and unswerving courage and devotion in action on the 11th September 1917 in trying to rescue a wounded British officer till he himself was wounded in many places.

#### INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 2450 Lance Naik Jalal Din, Punjabis.

No. 1444 Lance Naik Parbhu Singh, Punjabis.

No. 1302 Lance Naik Magar Singh, Punjabis.

No. 1877 Lance Naik Muhammad Din, Punjabis.

**No. 1939.**—The following corrections are made to Army Department Notification No. 1388, dated the 17th November 1916 :—

*Under 27th Light Cavalry for "No. 891 Dafadar Dalpat Singh" read "No. 851 Dafadar Dalpat Singh."*

*Under 89th Punjabis for "No 1354 Colour Havildar Ghulam Muhammad" read "No. 1324 Colour Havildar (now Jemadar) Ghulam Muhammad."*

#### DISMISSALS, REMOVALS AND DISCHARGES.

**No. 1940.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the services of Second Lieutenant Willie L'Esteve Wachsels, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, are dispensed with on account of ill-health; with effect from the 10th November 1917.

#### INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

**No. 1941.**—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lawrence John Lumley Dundas, Earl of Ronaldshay G.C.I.E., Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Commandant of the following Corps :—

Calcutta Scottish. Dated the 26th March 1917.

Second (Cossipore) Brigade Mobile Artillery. Dated the 1st May 1917.

**No. 1942.**—Maurice Henry Weston Hayward, I.C.S., is appointed to command the 3rd (Karachi) Brigade Mobile Artillery, and is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated the 29th October 1917.

##### *Assam Valley Light Horse.*

**No. 1943.**—Second Lieutenant Eric Hughesdon Hannay resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

##### *1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 1944.**—Captain Samuel Stewart Cooper, V.D. (Honorary Colonel, retired), resigns his commission, and is permitted to retain the rank of Honorary Colonel on retirement. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Moulmein Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 1945.**—Lieutenant Herbert Sumnersell Davis (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Rangoon Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 1946.**—Captain Berkeley John Byng Stephens (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Captain Ernest Neufville Drury resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Lieutenant Charles Morgan Webb (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 1947.**—Captain Bernard Rance resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

## JUDICIAL.

**No. 1948.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the Rules published with the Army Department Notification No. 911, dated the 3rd November 1911, as subsequently amended, shall be amended as follows, namely :—

To the list of persons to be attested enumerated in rule 8, as amended by Army Department Notification No. 75, dated the 15th January 1915, the following shall be added :—

“(VII) Veterinary subordinates of the Army Remount Department.”

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

## NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 9th November 1917.*

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

*First.*—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

*Secondly.*—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

*Thirdly.*—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
					Rs.   A.   P.	
Captain W. T. Hughes.	Army Service Corps.	Delhi	8th April 1917.	Intestate	2,278   3   6	Administrator General, United Provinces, Allahabad.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**MARINE DEPARTMENT.**


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*Delhi, the 9th November 1917.*

**APPOINTMENTS.**

**No. 69.**—The following appointments are made in the Royal Indian Marine by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, with effect from the dates specified:—

*To be temporary Lieutenants.*

Walter Fishley.	} 25th August 1916.
Adam Polson.	

*To be temporary Engineer-Lieutenants.*

James McBeath Calder.	2nd March 1916.
Alexander Crummond.	} 20th March 1916.
George William Hollings.	
Duncan McPhee.	} 10th May 1916.
Robert Nathaniel Ashton.	
Alec George Clark.	24th May 1916.
Rupert Octavius Stokes.	20th July 1916.

*To be temporary Engineer-Sub-Lieutenants.*

James Steward Belfield.	} 16th March 1916.
John Robson.	
William James Sprintall.	22nd April 1916.
George Angus Hunt.	25th July 1916.

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**PROMOTIONS.**

**No. 70.**—Lieutenant-Commander E. H. Marsden, Royal Indian Marine, is granted the temporary rank of Commander in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 8th September 1917, and while in command of the R. I. M. S. "Lhasa."

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.**

(RAILWAY BOARD)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Simla, the 1st November 1917.*

**No. 277-P.-16.**—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta, having inspected the Pachandi-Katwa Section of the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway authorised its opening for passenger traffic with effect from the 29th September 1917.

The Railway Board after considering his report have confirmed his action.

**No. 409-P.-16.**—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a detailed survey being carried out by the agency of the Burma Railways Company with a view to the preparation of a complete project for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Pyinmana, a station on the Burma Railways, to Magwe, a distance of about 119 miles.

2. This Survey will be known as the Pyinmana-Magwe Railway Survey.

**No. 621-E.-17.**—Khawaja Abdul Aziz is appointed an Assistant Traffic Superintendent (on probation) in class III, grade 5, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, and posted to the North-Western Railway.



**No. 756-P.-16.**—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned an exploration survey of the Patkai Range being carried out by the Assam-Bengal Railway Company, Limited, with a view to ascertaining the best pass through the Range for the proposed Hukong Valley Railway.

The Survey will be known as the Patkai Range Survey.

**No. 1235-E.-17.**—The services of Mr. C. A. Williams, Store-keeper, North-Western Railway, are placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 13th October 1917.

**No. 1444-E.-17.**—Mr. G. W. Ford, Assistant Signal Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed Signal Engineer of that Railway, sub. *pro tem.*, with effect from the 26th August 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 1444-1-E.-17.**—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1444-E.-17, dated the 1st November 1917, Mr. R. Whitworth, Block Signal Inspector, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Signal Engineer on that Railway.

*The 2nd November 1917.*

**No. 1249-E.-17.**—Mr. R. J. Oates, Assistant Storekeeper, is transferred temporarily from the North-Western Railway to the Eastern Bengal Railway.

*The 5th November 1917.*

**No. 793-T.-16.**—The following is published for general information:—

No. 793-T.-16.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

*Simla, the 1st November 1917.*

**Adoption on the Arrah-Sasaram, Assam-Bengal, Bukhtiarpur-Bihar, Burma, Dehri-Rohtas and Shahdara (Delhi)-Saharanpur Light Railways and on such portions of the Barsi Light, Bengal and North-Western, Bhavnagar State, East Indian, Guzerat, Jodhpur-Bikaner, Rohilkund and Kumaon and South Indian Railway systems as are situate in British territory of certain amendments in Parts I and II of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.**

**RESOLUTION.**—The Agents and Managers of the Railways noted on the margin\* have applied for permission to adopt on those railways the amendments specified in the enclosures to Railway Board's Resolution No. 793-T.-16, dated the 6th August 1917, and published under their Notification No. 793-T.-16, dated the 16th August 1917, in Parts I and II of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway in British India, which rules and certain amendments thereto

\* Arrah-Sasaram Light Railway.  
Assam-Bengal Railway.  
Barsi Light Railway.  
Bengal and North-Western Railway.  
Bhavnagar State Railway.  
Bukhtiarpur Bihar Light Railway.  
Burma Railways.  
Dehri-Rohtas Light Railways.  
East Indian Railway.  
Guzerat Railway.  
Jodhpur-Bikaner Railway.  
Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway.  
Shahdara (Delhi) Saharanpur Light Railway.  
South Indian Railway.

were sanctioned for adoption on the marginally† noted railways and on such portions of the Barsi Light, Bengal and North-Western, Bhavnagar State, East Indian, Guzerat, Jodhpur-Bikaner, Rohilkund and Kumaon and South Indian Railway systems as are situate in British territory in the following Railway Board's Resolutions and Notifications:—

Resolutions Nos. 227-R. T. and 1863-R. T., dated respectively the 13th February 1911 and the 25th September 1912, and Notifications Nos. 53 and 179, dated respectively the 22nd February 1911 and the 1st October 1912.

† Arrah-Sasaram, Assam-Bengal, Bukhtiarpur Bihar, Burma, Dehri-Rohtas and Shahdara (Delhi)-Saharanpur Light Railways.

Resolutions Nos. 76-R. T., 2182-R. T. and 1440-R. T., dated respectively the 22nd April 1907, the 12th December 1908 and the 31st July 1912, and Notifications Nos. 102, 374 and 136, dated respectively the 1st May 1907, the 18th December 1908 and the 8th August 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 1305-R. T., 316-R. T. and 1863-R. T., dated respectively the 30th October 1907, the 17th February 1909 and the 25th September 1912, and Notifications Nos. 290, 67 and 179, dated respectively the 1st November 1907, the 23rd February 1909 and the 1st October 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 599-R. T., 144-R. T., and 1440-R. T., dated respectively the 10th July 1907, the 21st January 1909 and the 31st July 1912, and Notifications Nos. 171, 35 and 136, dated respectively the 12th July 1907, the 29th January 1909 and the 8th August 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 233-R. T. and 2161-R. T., dated respectively the 13th February 1911 and the 30th October 1912, and Notifications Nos. 52 and 214, dated respectively the 21st February 1911 and the 1st November 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 1079-R. T. and 1863-R. T., dated respectively the 27th September 1907 and the 25th September 1912, and Notifications Nos. 240 and 179, dated respectively the 27th September 1907 and the 1st October 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 1386-R. T. and 1410-R. T., dated respectively the 20th November 1907 and the 31st July 1912, and Notifications Nos. 312 and 136, dated respectively the 27th November 1907 and the 8th August 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 1379-R. T., 2220-R. T. and 1410-R. T., dated respectively the 18th November 1907, the 15th December 1908 and the 31st July 1912, and Notifications Nos. 311, 377 and 136, dated respectively the 23rd November 1907, the 22nd December 1908 and the 8th August 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 148-R. T., 2221-R. T. and 1440-R. T., dated respectively the 3rd May 1907, the 15th December 1908 and the 31st July 1912, and notifications Nos. 105, 378 and 136, dated respectively the 9th May 1907, the 22nd December 1908 and the 8th August 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 35-R. T., 2202-R. T. and 1863-R. T., dated respectively the 17th April 1907, the 14th December 1908 and the 25th September 1912, and notifications Nos. 97, 4 and 179, dated respectively the 21st April 1907, the 5th January 1909 and the 1st October 1912.

Resolution No. 1723-R. T., dated the 10th September 1912, and notification No. 161, dated the 12th September 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 966-R. T., 54-R. T. and 1410-R. T., dated respectively the 6th September 1907, the 11th January 1909 and the 31st July 1912, and notifications Nos. 214, 26 and 136, dated respectively the 10th September 1907, the 15th January 1909 and the 8th August 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 422-R. T., 2222-R. T. and 1863-R. T., dated respectively the 24th February 1908, the 15th December 1908 and the 25th September 1912, and notifications Nos. 57, 383 and 179, dated respectively the 27th February 1908, the 23rd December 1908 and the 1st October 1912.

Resolutions Nos. 903-R. T., 2201-R. T. and 1440-R. T., dated respectively the 22nd May 1908, the 12th December 1908 and the 31st July 1912, and notifications Nos. 157, 375 and 136, dated respectively the 27th May 1908, the 18th December 1908 and the 8th August 1912.

2 In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the amendments cited in paragraph 1 above on the marginally\* noted railways and on such portions of the Barsi Light, Bengal and North-Western, Bhavnagar State, East Indian, Guzerat, Jodhpur Bikaner, Rohilkund and Kumaon and South Indian Railway systems as are situate in British territory.

\* Arrah-Sasaram, Assam Bengal, Bukhtiarpur Bihar, Burma, Dohri Rohtas and Shahdara (Delhi) Saharanpur Light Railways.

**ORDER.**—Ordered that this Resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and that a copy of the amended General Rules be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (3) of the same section; also that a copy of this resolution be communicated to the Local Governments and to the officers noted on the margin, for information.

The Governments of the United Provinces and Bihar and Orissa, Public Works Department.

The Agents, Assam Bengal, Barsi Light, Bengal and North-Western, Burma, East Indian, Guzerat, Rohilkund and Kumaon and South Indian Railways.

The Managers, Bhavnagar State and Jodhpur Bikaner Railways.

The Senior Government Inspectors of Railways, Circles Nos 1—7.

The Secretary, Indian Railway Conference Association.

*The 6th November 1917.*

**No. 513-T.—17.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam Vessel) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Government General in Council is pleased to exempt from the tax imposed under the said Act, grain, reconsigned by Station Master, Arkonam to Colombo, which has been booked to Arkonam from stations of the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway, *freight and tax prepaid*.

**No. 1427-E.**—With reference to Railway Board's notification No. 1427-E, dated the 8th October 1917, Mr. O. W. Watkins, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent and Works Manager, North Western Railway, reverted to his appointment of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent and Assistant Works Manager in Class III, grade 1, sub. *pro tem.*, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 12th October 1917.

**No. 1570-E.**—Mr. J. E. Williams, Sub-Storekeeper, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Storekeeper of that Railway, with effect from the 7th October 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 1577-E.**—Mr. E. A. S. Bell, Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, was employed on special duty under the Railway Board for the 10th and 11th October 1917.

**No. 1577-2-E.**—The services of Mr. E. A. S. Bell, Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, are placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 12th October 1917.

**No. 1577-3-E.**—With reference to Railway Board's notification No. 1165-3-E., dated the 18th August 1917, Mr. J. Coates, Deputy Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, will continue to officiate as Agent of the Railway, until further orders.

**No. 1577-4-E.**—With reference to Railway Board's notifications Nos. 1165-4-E. and 1577-3-E., dated respectively the 18th August and 6th November 1917, Mr. H. Lawton, Assistant Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, will continue to officiate as Deputy Agent of that Railway, until further orders.

**No. 1577-5-E.**—With reference to Railway Board's notifications Nos. 1361-E. and 1577-4-E., dated respectively the 27th September and 6th November 1917, Mr. A. E. Wallace, Personal Assistant to the Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, will continue to officiate as Assistant Agent, in addition to his own duties, until further orders.

*The 7th November 1917.*

**No. 1074-E.—17.**—Mr. A. Rowland, Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7, Madras, is granted combined leave for 3 months and 10 days (*viz.* privilege leave for 3 months and furlough for the remaining period) with effect from the 1st November 1917, under Articles 199, 233, 246 and 308, Civil Service Regulations.

**No. 1074-E.—17—1.**—With reference to notification No 1074-E.—17, dated 7th November 1917, Mr. E. S. Christie, Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary, and Officiating Deputy Chief Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7, Madras, until further orders.

**No. 1074-E.—17—2.**—With reference to notification No. 1074-E.—17—1, dated 7th November 1917, Mr. A. Lines, Executive Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Chief Engineer of that railway with the officiating rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, until further orders.

**No. 1425-E.**—Mr. G. W. Lloyd, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, in Class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, on duty, is promoted to the rank of Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent in Class II (Supernumerary) of that Establishment with effect from the 5th September 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 1472-E.**—The following permanent promotion is ordered in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Carriage and Wagon Department, with effect from the 1st April 1917 :—

Name.	From	To
Mr. H. A. Mitstead . . . .	District Carriage and Wagon Superintendent in Class II, grade 2, and Officiating Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, North Western Railway, in Class I, temporary.	Deputy Carriage and Wagon Superintendent and Officiating Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, North Western Railway, in Class I, temporary.

**No. 775-P.—16.**—In continuation of notification No. 775-P.—16, dated the 27th September 1917, it is hereby notified for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Darjeeling Himalayan Railway Company, Limited, for a line of railway on the 2 feet gauge from Rungpo to a point between Rongli and Lingtam, a distance of about 12 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Rungpo-Rongli railway reconnaissance survey.

**No. 430-R.—17.**—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 332-R.—17, dated the 5th October 1917, the following permanent promotions are ordered with effect from the 10th October 1917 :—

Names.	From	To
Mr. A. G. Saldanha . . . . .	Superintendent, 2nd grade . .	Superintendent, 1st grade
Mr. W. S. Wood . . . . .	Superintendent, 3rd grade . .	Superintendent, 2nd grade.
Mr. A. L. Misra . . . . .	Secretariat Assistant, 1st grade	Superintendent, 3rd grade.

*The 8th November 1917.*

**No. 1317-E.**—The following permanent promotions are ordered in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Locomotive Department :—

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Avril, S. . . . .	Class III, grade 3 . .	Class III, grade 2 . .	13th September 1917.
Morse, H. M. R. . . .	Class III, grade 3 . .	Class III, grade 2 . .	5th October 1917.

**No. 1486-E.-17.**—The undermentioned qualified students of the Thomason Civil Engineering College are appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Establishment of State Railways, as Assistant Engineers, with effect from the dates shown against their names. They are posted to the North Western Railway and the Eastern Bengal Railway, respectively :—

Mr. Wazir Singh Agarwal, from 8th October 1917.

Mr. Padam Chand Tasia, from 4th October 1917.

**No. 1503-E.—17.**—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1215-E.—17, dated the 24th October 1917, Mr. R. McLean will continue to officiate as Assistant Secretary, Railway Board, *vice* Mr. W. R. Horn granted *privilege* leave.

**No. 1503-1-E.—17.**—With reference to Railway Board's Notifications Nos. 1215-1-E.—17 and 1503-E.—17, dated the 24th October and 8th November 1917, respectively, Mr. F. S. Bond, Executive Engineer, will continue on special duty with the Railway Board, until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,  
*Secretary, Railway Board.*

## INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

*Simla, the 3rd November 1917.*

**No. E.-199.**—Mr. P. D. Woods, officiating Storekeeper, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is appointed Assistant Controller (Stores), Calcutta, with effect from the 10th October 1917.

*The 7th November 1917.*

**No. G.-567.**—Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Beadon, I.A., Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, is appointed Controller of Munitions, Delhi Circle, under the Indian Munitions Board, in addition to his existing duties.

*The 8th November 1917.*

**No. E.-277.**—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 938, dated the 16th February 1917, His Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the appointment of Sir G. C. Buchanan, K.C.I.E., as a Member of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 6th November 1917.

*The 10th November 1917.*

### ORDERS REGARDING CERTAIN STOCKS OF FLANNELS.

**No. X.-38.**—Whereas the Governor-General in Council is of the opinion that the articles specified below can be utilized in connexion with the prosecution of the present war, namely, flannels suitable for shirting, all wool and unions, blue-grey, khaki and white ;

Now, therefore, the Governor-General in Council in the exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Rule 11-A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, hereby requires all persons who in the course of business, whether on their own behalf or on behalf of others, hold or have control over any such flannels to send to the Controller (Textile Supplies), Indian Munitions Board, Simla, the following particulars of such flannels, namely :—

- (a) the quantity held ;
- (b) the place or places at which held ;
- (c) the description as regards composition, quality, colour and width ;
- (d) the price (if known) at which the owner or person entitled to sell the flannels is willing to sell the same by agreement ;

and the Governor-General in Council further requires that every such person shall refrain from disposing of the said flannels from the date of this notification until the said particulars have been furnished as prescribed above, and for a further period thereafter not exceeding fourteen days, after the expiry of which period the whole or any part of the said flannels may be disposed of as if this notification had not been issued, unless, before the expiry of such period a notice of requisition under Rule 11-AA of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, shall have been issued in respect of the whole or part of the said flannels by the Governor-General in Council or by an officer authorized by him to act in this behalf.

Provided that this order shall not be held to apply to a portion of their stocks of such flannels not exceeding 500 yards in all held by dealers on the date of this notification for *bona fide* retail trade only, or to stocks held in the ordinary course of their business by persons whose aggregate holding of such flannels does not exceed a total of 500 yards.

T. RYAN,  
*Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 1st November 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

The storm in the Arabian Sea referred to in last week's report crossed the Kathiawar and travelling in a north northeasterly direction broke up in the east Punjab hills. In conjunction with a cold weather depression it gave moderate to heavy rain in Gujarat, Rajputana, Kashmir, the Punjab and the west of the United Provinces. Another storm formed in the Bay and passed into northeast India, occasioning heavy rain in Bihar and Orissa, Bengal and Assam. Rainfall was scanty in the Peninsula.

2. *Burma*—Nearly general rain fell in Lower Burma on the 25th.

*North east India, including Orissa*.—Rainfall was nearly general in Assam on the 30th and 31st, and in Bengal, and Bihar and Orissa on the 29th and 30th.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces*.—There was nearly general rain in the west of the United Provinces on the 26th, and in the east of the Central Provinces on the 29th.

*North west India*.—Rain fell at nearly every station in the east and north Punjab on the 25th and 26th, in Kashmir on the 26th and 27th, and in Rajputana and Gujarat on the 25th.

*The Peninsula*.—Nearly every station had rain in the Konkan on the 25th and 26th, and in Malabar on the 27th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows:—

October 25th.	Diamond Island 2·10", Mussooree 2·42", Chakrata 3·11", Hissar 4·83", Ambala 3·70", Ludhiana 2·85", Simla 2·77", Bikaner 3·77", Jodhpur 5·59", Mount Abu 5·53", Deesa 3·65", and Bhuj 4·67".
" 26th.	Yamethin 1·65", Agra 1·57", Bareilly 2·60", Meerut 1·37", Roorkee 3·75", Dehra Dun 5·20", Mussooree 5·28", Chakrata 3·12", Hissar 1·95", Simla 3·27", Ambala 2·80", Ludhiana 3·16", Sialkot 2·41", Srinagar 2·36", Sonamarg 3·35" and Dras 3·50".
" 27th.	Saugor Island 2·25", Bahraich 1·90", Jubbulpore 2·65", Waltair, 2·15", Calingapatam 5·23", and Gopalpur 4·15".
" 28th.	Victoria Point 2·25", Balasore 5·42", Jagdalpur 1·65" and Gopalpur 2·12".
" 29th.	Calcutta 2·72", Burdwan 2·62", Berhampore 4·08", Mymensingh 2·17", Bogra 1·60", Balasore 5·66", False Point 2·59", Cuttack 2·26", and Naya Dumka 3·10".
" 30th.	Tezpur 2·11", Gauhati 2·26", Shillong 2·45", Cherrapunji 5·53", Cox's Bazar 2·08", Chittagong 2·84", Narayanganj 3·27", Barisal 2·21", Calcutta 1·37", Burdwan 3·34", Berhampore 11·27", Bogra 5·97", Mymensingh 3·55" and Dinajpur 2·00".
" 31st.	Shillong 3·00", Cherrapunji 13·08" and Silchar 4·10".

4. The week's rainfall was above the average over the greater part of northern India. It was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma, Central India West, Berar, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, Malabar, Madras Southeast, and the Madras Deccan. It was 20 per cent or more in excess in Lower Burma, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, Kashmir, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India East, the Central Provinces, and the Konkan.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is not in defect by as much as 20 per cent in any division. It is 20 per cent or more in excess in Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. In the remaining divisions rainfall is within 20 per cent of the normal.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 1st NOVEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 4th MAY TO 1st NOVEMBER 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	1.5	2.8	-0.8	84.4	95.4	-11.0	-11	-11
Lower Burma . . . . .	1.9	1.8	+0.6	137.1	137.5	-0.4	-1	-1
Upper Burma . . . . .	0.9	1.3	-0.4	42.4	40.8	+1.6	+4	+5
Assam . . . . .	3.0	0.4	+2.6	80.9	74.9	+6.0	+8	5
Bengal . . . . .	5.5	0.7	+4.8	74.6	68.2	+6.4	+9	2
Orissa . . . . .	5.9	0.8	+5.1	66.9	57.0	+9.9	+17	9
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	1.8	0.4	+0.9	69.0	49.0	+20.0	+41	9
Bihar . . . . .	1.8	0.2	+1.1	52.8	40.4	+3.4	+7	2
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0.6	0.1	+0.5	48.0	38.9	+9.1	+23	+22
United Provinces, West . . . . .	2.5	0.1	+2.4	48.8	38.9	+9.9	25	+19
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	3.4	0	+3.4	41.2	21.1	+20.1	+95	+79
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0	0	28.1	7.9	+15.2	+102	+192
Kashmir . . . . .	2.6	0.1	+2.5	10.7	8.2	+2.5	+30	0
N-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0	0	0	8.6	5.8	+2.8	+48	+48
Baluchistan . . . . .	0	0	0	5.9	2.2	+3.7	+108	+168
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	8.0	4.7	+3.3	+70	+70
Rajputana, West . . . . .	4.9	0	+4.9	37.0	11.2	+25.8	+290	+187
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0.4	0	+0.4	51.7	22.0	+28.8	+126	+124
Gujarat . . . . .	1.5	0.1	+1.4	44.0	23.8	+20.7	+89	+83
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	55.7	29.7	+26.0	+88	+88
Central India, East . . . . .	0.3	0.1	+0.2	55.6	41.4	+14.2	+34	+34
Berar . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	28.8	31.1	-2.3	-7	-7
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0.5	0.2	+0.3	54.7	44.7	+10.0	+22	+22
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0.8	0.3	+0.5	60.3	47.7	+12.6	+26	+26
Konkan . . . . .	1.2	0.5	+0.7	111.9	96.1	+15.8	+16	+16
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0.3	0.4	-0.1	28.3	26.6	+1.7	+6	+7
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0.3	-0.3	45.0	32.5	+12.5	+38	+40
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0.3	0.6	-0.3	35.7	29.4	+6.3	+21	+23
Mysore . . . . .	0	0.9	-0.9	26.0	25.2	+0.8	+3	+7
Malabar . . . . .	0.3	2.1	-1.6	88.9	98.1	-4.2	-5	-3
Madras, South-East . . . . .	0.1	2.4	-2.3	20.6	23.0	-1.4	-6	+5
Madras Deccan . . . . .	0	0.8	-0.8	27.1	22.5	+4.6	+20	+25
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	2.4	2.1	+0.3	45.7	30.6	+15.1	+49	+52

GILBERT T. WALKER,

Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 1st November 1917.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 8th November 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

Weather was dry everywhere up to the 4th when rainfall appeared on the Coromandel coast. On the next two days widespread rain fell in south Madras and a few falls occurred in other parts of the Peninsula. At the end of the week conditions were unsettled in the southeast of the Bay and heavy rain fell at Table Island.

2. *Burma*.—A few falls of rain were reported, chiefly from the south.

*Northeast India, including Orissa*.—Sibsagar and Dibrugarh had light falls of rain.

*The United Provinces, Central India*

*and the Central Provinces*.— } There was no rain.

*Northwest India*.—

*The Peninsula*.—Nearly general rain fell in south Madras on the 5th and 6th. A few falls occurred in the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, east Hyderabad, the Madras Deccan and on the north Madras coast.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November 4th. Negapatam 1.20".

„ 5th. Marmagao 1.01" and Negapatam 1.82".

„ 6th. Pamban 1.46", Madura 1.23" and Trichinopoly 1.82".

„ 7th. Table Island 3.77" and Diamond Island 1.74".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent. or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the United Provinces, Kashmir, Central India East, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore and the Madras Presidency. It was equal to the normal in the Konkan. No rain usually falls at this time of year in the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad and the Madras Coast North ; and is within 20 per cent. of the normal elsewhere.



Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 8TH NOVEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 4TH MAY TO 8TH NOVEMBER 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	0.2	2.5	-2.3	84.6	97.9	-13.3	-10	
Lower Burma . . . . .	0.8	1.1	-0.3	137.4	138.6	-1.2		
Upper Burma . . . . .	0	0.8	-0.8	42.4	41.6	+0.8	+2	
Assam . . . . .	0.1	0.3	-0.2	51.0	75.2	+24.2	+8	
Bengal . . . . .	0	0.4	-0.4	74.6	68.8	+6.0	+9	
Orissa . . . . .	0	0.7	-0.7	66.9	57.7	+9.2	+16	
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	69.0	49.1	+19.9	+41	
Bihar . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	52.8	49.5	+3.3	+7	
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	48.0	39.0	+9.0	+23	
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	48.8	39.0	+9.8	+25	
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0	0	0	41.2	21.1	+20.1	+95	
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0	0	23.1	7.9	+15.2	+192	
Kashmir . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	10.8	8.3	+2.5	+30	
N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0	0	0	8.6	5.8	+2.8	+48	
Baluchistan . . . . .	0	0	0	5.9	2.2	+3.7	+168	
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	8.0	4.7	+3.3	+70	
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0	0	0	37.0	11.2	+25.8	+230	
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0	0	51.7	22.9	+28.8	+126	
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0	0	44.0	23.3	+20.7	+89	
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0	0	55.7	29.7	+26.0	+88	
Central India, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	55.6	41.5	+14.1	+34	
Berar . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	28.3	31.3	-2.5	-8	
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	54.7	44.9	+9.8	+22	
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	60.3	47.9	+12.4	+26	
Konkan . . . . .	0.5	0.5	0	112.4	96.6	+15.8	+16	
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0.1	0.4	-0.3	28.4	27.0	+1.4	+5	
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0.3	-0.3	45.0	32.8	+12.2	+37	
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0.1	0.4	-0.3	35.8	29.8	+6.0	+20	
Mysore . . . . .	0	1.0	-1.0	28.0	26.2	+0.2	-1	
Malsbar . . . . .	0.4	1.8	-1.4	39.3	94.9	-55.6	-6	
Madras, South-East . . . . .	1.4	2.3	-0.9	22.0	24.3	-2.3	-10	
Madras Deccan . . . . .	0.1	0.6	-0.7	27.2	23.3	+3.9	+17	
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	0.2	2.2	-2.0	45.9	32.8	+13.1	+40	

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Dated the 8th November 1917.

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Secretary to the Government of India.

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

## Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 3rd November 1917.

**Barma.**—During the week light to moderate rain was general throughout the Province in two districts. In two districts the fall exceeded three inches and in three it exceeded four inches. In Upper Barma agricultural operations for cultivation of peas and other miscellaneous crops are proceeding normally. Plucking of cotton and gathering of ground-nut continue. Standing crops are good. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice has risen slightly to Rs. ₹1 per hundred baskets but is still considerably below normal. The market for white rice is steady at Rs. 197 annas 8 for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather was reasonable. Recent rain has been beneficial to standing crops in almost all the districts. Harvesting of autumn rice and jute is finished. Manufacture of tea and sowing of mustard continue. Prospects of standing crops on the whole are good. Cattle disease is reported from two districts. Price of common rice continues to fall.

**Bengal.**—During the beginning of the week heavy rain accompanied by high wind was almost general throughout the Province. Winter paddy and spring crops already sown have suffered somewhat. The weather became favourable during the latter part of the week. The condition of standing crops is reported to be satisfactory on the whole. Sowing of spring crops continues. Heavy rain early in the week hampered sowing in places. Cattle disease exists in seven districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by 0·9 per cent. compared with that of the preceding week.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—Rainfall was fairly general over the Province, the fall being heavy in parts of the Santal Parganas, Cuttack, Balasore and Puri, and light to moderate in the rest of the Province. Sowing of spring crops is in progress. Standing crops are doing well, but some damage has been done to paddy by the recent heavy rain in parts of Cuttack, Balasore, Puri, Ranchi, Singhbhum and the Santal Parganas. The price of common rice has fallen in six districts, risen in five and remained stationary in the remaining districts. The supply of fodder and water is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from thirteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

**United Provinces.**—During the week light rain fell in parts of the Province. Autumn harvesting, cotton picking, spring sowing and preparation of land for spring crops continue. Standing crops and sugarcane are flourishing. Prospects are good. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Cattle disease is decreasing. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are full. Prices are tending to rise.

**Punjab.**—The weather was dry. Standing autumn crops are average to good in the west, generally bad in the south-east and below average to average elsewhere. Sugarcane is doing well. Cotton is being picked and maize and rice are being reaped. The yield of cotton is generally below normal, that of rice is good and of other crops is below normal to normal. Sowings of spring crops continue and are above normal in the south-east and normal elsewhere. Germination is good. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. The canals are closed in some districts as irrigation is not needed. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices show a slight upward tendency and range between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat:—Lahore and Lyallpur 8½, Ambala, Ferozepore and Rawalpindi 9 seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—The week was rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops is in progress. The outturn is average. Sowing of spring crops is proceeding. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Malarial fever is still prevalent in Peshawar district and is reported bad in Bannu district where it is somewhat hindering the ploughing operations for spring sowing. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 9 ¼ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9 ¾ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—Rain has fallen in almost all parts of the Province. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 13 seers, and maize from 16 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in Kotli and Ramban tahsils. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—The rainfall was good. Autumn crops are being harvested and spring sowing is in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are high.

**Rajputana.**—During the week rain fell in a few places. The maximum was 534 cents in Tonk. The weather is cool. Harvesting of autumn and sowings of spring crops continue. Prospects of crops are poor. Agricultural stock is in fair to good condition. Fodders and water are ample. Prices have an upward tendency.

**Central India.**—The rainfall during the week was general in Bhopal, partial in Baghelkhand and *nil* elsewhere but sufficient throughout. The weather was clear and cool. Autumn crops are being harvested in Gwalior. Spring crops are being sown almost everywhere. Standing crops are unsatisfactory in Gwalior and are fair elsewhere. The probable outturn is eight annas in Gwalior and fair elsewhere. The condition of agricultural stock and pasturage is good. Prices are steady.

**Central Provinces.**—The weather has been clear, cool and rainless. Picking of cotton, reaping of autumn crops, preparation of land and sowing of spring crops continue. The condition of standing crops is generally good and prospects are favourable. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Fluctuations in prices are unimportant but show a tendency to rise slightly.

**Feudatory States.** :—Ten States received light to moderate rain. Cutting of autumn crops, ploughing of fields and spring sowings are in progress.

**Bombay.**—The rainfall during the week was heavy in Thar and Parkar and light in Konkan, parts of the Deccan, Belgaum, Kathiawar, Savantvadi and Kolhapur. Standing crops are generally good but have been damaged slightly by rain in three parts of Kathiawar and parts of Thar and Parkar and by insects in two talukas of Nawabshah and three of Thar and Parkar. Autumn harvesting continues. Spring sowing is progressing. Cotton picking continues in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Khandesh and Kathiawar. The fodder supply is generally adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Water for drinking and irrigation is sufficient. Prices of food grains have risen in Sind generally and are steady elsewhere.

**Hyderabad.**—The rainfall during the week was isolated, the average being 9 cents. Autumn crops are improving and are being harvested. The early rice crop is in fair to good condition though it has suffered by blight in parts of Medak, Nalgonda and Karimnagar districts. Spring crops are being sown. Sprouts are in fair to good condition. Cattle disease prevails in fourteen talukas. Prices of grains :—wheat 6½, coarse rice 6½, *juar* 9½ seers per rupee. Coarse rice sells at 7½ and white *juar* at 9 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 6 seers per rupee in Parbhani, Bidar and Adilabad and the lowest 19 seers per rupee in Raichur.

**Mysore.**—Price of rice has fallen slightly in Kolar and risen in Hassan and Kadur, that of *ragi* has fallen in Kolar and Tumkur and is steady elsewhere. Markets are well supplied. *Ragi* and paddy are being harvested. Standing crops and the prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—Rainfall three cents. Condition of rice is good. Picking of coffee and cardamoms continues. Prices of food grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

**Madras.**—The rainfall was very heavy in Ganjam, heavy in Vizagapatam, good in Godavari, fair in South Kanara and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally but rain is required in parts of four districts. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is sufficient except in parts of Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot and the South. Pasture is sufficient except in Tinnevely and parts of Kistna. Fodder is generally available. Prices are fairly steady.

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No. 1175-F. E.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Pay, Allowances and Finance Officers.  
Compensation.

**REVISION TO THE METHOD OF CALCULATING EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE WITH REFERENCE TO THE MARKET RATE OF EXCHANGE AS PRESCRIBED IN RULE VII OF THE RULES PUBLISHED WITH RESOLUTION NO. 2422-EX., DATED THE 31ST MAY 1897.**

**RESOLUTION.**

*Simla, the 30th October 1917.*

In 1893 the serious fall in the sterling value of the rupee made it necessary to give some compensation to European Officers employed in India who have ordinarily to remit money to England for the maintenance of their families, and sanction was given to the grant to such officers of an allowance, designated Exchange Compensation Allowance, sufficient to enable them to remit one-half of their salary to Europe at a privileged rate, subject to a maximum limit of £1,000 a year. The allowance took the form of a percentage on salary calculated on the difference between the sterling value of half salary at the market rate of exchange and its value at the privileged rate of 1s. 6d. per rupee, and was subject to the condition that it should in no case exceed in any quarter of the year the amount of rupees by which £250 converted at the privileged rate fell short of the equivalent of £250 converted at the market rate. The percentage on salary was, under rule VII of the rules published with the Finance and Commerce Department's resolution No. 2422-Ex., dated the 31st May 1897, calculated by the Comptroller General each quarter and notified by him about the 15th day of the final month in the preceding quarter; and, subject to the prescribed limit, it was until 1901 based on the amount by which the average demand rate of exchange during the quarter ending on the day named fell short of the privileged rate. In 1901 the exchange value of the rupee had become practically stable at 1s. 4d., and it was decided in the Finance and Commerce Department's resolution No. 911-Ex., dated the 18th February 1901, that, in order to avoid the quarterly calculations, instead of the average quarterly rate, the market rate of exchange should, until further orders, be taken at 1s. 4d. per rupee. This decision has been in force up to the present time, and the percentage on salary admissible under it as Exchange Compensation Allowance has accordingly been Rs. 6-4-0 since 1901.

2. As the result of special conditions due to the war the exchange value of the rupee has in recent months risen above 1s. 4d. and the rate fixed by the Secretary of State for the sale of Council Bills at the present time is 1s. 4½d. In view of this rise, the maintenance of Exchange Compensation Allowance (which is given solely for remittance purposes) at a rate calculated on an exchange value of 1s. 4d. cannot be justified, and the Governor General in Council, therefore, directs that the method of calculating the allowance prescribed in rule VII of the rules published with the Finance and Commerce Department's resolution No. 2422-Ex., dated the 31st May 1897, shall be restored. The Finance and Commerce Department's resolution No. 911-Ex., dated the 18th February 1901, is accordingly cancelled with effect from the 1st of December 1917, and the percentage to be given as Exchange Compensation Allowance on all salaries drawn on, and after that date will be calculated by the Controller of Currency each quarter with reference to the market rate of exchange, and notified by him about the 15th day of the final month in the preceding quarter.

ORDERED that a copy be forwarded to the several Departments of the Government of India; to all Local Governments and Administrations; to the Financial Adviser, Military Finance; to the Comptroller and Auditor General; to the Controller of Currency; to the Mint and Assay Masters, Calcutta and Bombay; to all Accountants General and Comptrollers; to the Examiner of Accounts, Military Works Services; to the Examiner of Press Accounts; to the Auditor, Custom House Accounts; to all Chief Examiners and Government Examiners of Railway Accounts; to the Private and Military Secretaries to the Viceroy; to the Chief Commissioner and to the Audit Officer, Delhi Province; and to the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, Calcutta.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India*.

By order,

H. F. HOWARD,  
*Secretary to the Government of India*



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.  
(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

R.R.—As regards the figures in column Total earnings, audited figures have been used wherever possible.

RAILWAYS.	AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.	MILEAGE WORKED.			TOTAL EARNINGS FOR WEEK ENDING.			EARNINGS PER MILE MILE WORKED FOR WEEK.			TOTAL EARNINGS FROM 1st APRIL TO—			COMPARED WITH COMPARATIVE PERIODS, 1915-16, +8 DATA.		COMPARED WITH COMPARATIVE PERIODS, 1915-16, +8 DATA.	
		1915.	1916.	1917.	17th October.	20th October.	30th October.	1915.	1916.	1917.	17th October.	20th October.	30th October.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
Bombay State	119	121	121	121	9,578	11,594	11,700	85	96	97	8,16,839	8,24,588	4,30,000	1,09,161	...	45,417	...
Madras State	217	209	209	209	4,663	5,599	5,300	161	180	188	1,66,180	1,75,094	1,85,000	12,916	...	12,916	...
Central Provinces and Berar	180	180	180	180	8,766	3,393	4,800	88	94	48	1,08,188	1,04,008	1,81,000	72,812	...	72,812	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	13,412	15,386	14,000	144	166	151	4,25,502	4,65,995	5,12,000	46,488	...	46,488	...
North-West Frontier Province	217	...	...	...	...	...	8,000	...	...	92	...	...	60,000	...	...	60,000	...
Coastal and Kaimosi	134	...	...	...	11,877	14,821	15,400	205	...	275	...	...	2,28,000	...	...	2,28,000	...
East India	150	...	...	...	...	...	5,100	...	...	204	...	...	1,08,000	...	...	1,08,000	...
North-West Frontier Province	178	...	...	...	41,440	43,375	43,400	155	161	181	11,54,879	12,19,844	18,24,000	1,04,166	...	1,04,166	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	472	...	700	...	...	140	19,681	22,180	25,900	3,219	...	3,219	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	233	...	...	...	...	...	6,400	...	...	65	...	12,215	2,00,000	...	...	2,00,000	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	178	...	...	...	13,309	13,959	15,100	189	215	232	3,87,703	3,96,508	4,38,000	50,307	...	50,307	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	108	...	...	...	17,978	17,637	18,700	166	168	167	6,13,556	6,13,556	6,31,000	17,444	...	17,444	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	108	...	...	...	4,637	5,460	5,500	69	81	82	1,31,141	1,35,054	1,68,000	36,863	...	36,863	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	16,830	16,865	7,400	141	181	63	5,39,837	6,18,638	4,99,000	1,19,638	...	1,19,638	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	700	...	...	20	...	35,139	29,700	...	...	29,700	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	1,197	1,456	900	60	73	39	...	49,608	54,700	...	...	54,700	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	1,442	1,700	...	63	63	...	49,670	60,700	...	...	60,700	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	12,770	12,710	...	...	...	...	2,86,183	3,17,000	...	...	3,17,000	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	10,080	10,633	10,910	83	72	71	3,33,348	4,07,018	4,12,000	78,662	...	78,662	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	1,039	900	...	...	...	...	28,264	30,300	...	...	30,300	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	1,678	1,400	...	...	...	...	83,560	85,300	...	...	85,300	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	8,333	5,400	...	...	...	...	92,719	1,43,000	...	...	1,43,000	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	2,383	2,400	...	...	...	...	77,751	15,600	...	...	15,600	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	406	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,728	28,800	...	...	28,800	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	1,540	...	...	...	...	...	...	66,573	34,300	...	...	34,300	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	1,960	1,800	...	...	...	...	64,573	67,300	...	...	67,300	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	28,423	33,469	31,000	583	656	608	6,89,487	8,19,978	7,33,000	86,978	...	86,978	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	5,555	5,700	...	...	...	...	1,41,469	1,68,000	...	...	1,68,000	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	10,56,559	12,30,621	13,08,500	142	145	151	3,87,05,986	3,96,10,231	4,18,00,700	29,63,449	...	29,63,449	...
United Provinces and Aligarh Division	...	...	...	...	1,10,9,746	1,37,74,569	1,39,84,700	332	363	398	39,88,41,987	37,15,47,619	41,18,00,700	4,00,2,048	...	4,00,2,048	...
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

\* Include figures for Native State Section.  
(a) Opened from 1st January 1917.  
(b) Opened from 15th August 1917.  
(c) Traffic suspended owing to break has.  
(d) Opened from 7th October 1916.

Wm. the 1st November 1917.

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## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

## SANITARY.

## PLAGUE.

*Delhi, the 8th November 1917.*

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 3rd November 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	...	.....	...	...
	Northern	Bombay City . . . . .	18	17
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	509	477
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	177	87
		Kaira District . . . . .	250	136
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	59	55
		Balear Port . . . . .	.	1
		Surat District . . . . .	52	35
		Broach District . . . . .	31	17
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	3	1
		Thana District . . . . .	6	6
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	285	202
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	426	321
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	291	221
		Poona Town . . . . .	63	42
		Poona District . . . . .	264	209
		Nasik District . . . . .	710	501
		Satara District . . . . .	1,779	1,258
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	3	2
		Sholapur District . . . . .	155	121
	Southern	Kolaba District . . . . .	6	3
		Vengurla Port . . . . .	1	1
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	1	1
		Belgaum District . . . . .	173	102
		Dharwar District . . . . .	314	196
		Bijapur District . . . . .	322	233
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port . . . . .	2	1
		Sukkur District . . . . .	35	12
		Shikarpur Town . . . . .	1	1
	Political Charges.	Baroda State . . . . .	250	191
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	6	4
		Munira Port . . . . .	2	2
		Mandvi Port . . . . .	1	1
		Blaynagar Port . . . . .	175	139
		Cutch State . . . . .	2	.
		Kathiwat Agency . . . . .	307	275
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	722	538
		Alakot State . . . . .	41	20
		Blar State . . . . .	5	5
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	10	7
		Satara Agency . . . . .	113	99
		Surat Agency . . . . .	5	6
	TOTAL		7,571	5,049

In the return for the week ending 27th October 1917, add the following:—  
 Kanara District 34 cases, 10 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District . . . . .	249 (a)	190 (a)
		North Arcot District . . . . .	3	2
		Bellary District . . . . .	1,035 (b)	879 (b)
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	49 (c)	26 (c)
		Chittoor District . . . . .	4	4
		Kurnool District . . . . .	33	26
		Nellore District . . . . .	1 (c)	...
		Palnabar District . . . . .	2	...
		Mangalore Port . . . . .	4	4
		South Canara District . . . . .	4 (c)	3
		Salem Town . . . . .	33	24
		Salem District . . . . .	77	50 (c)
		Sandur State . . . . .	1 (c)	1 (c)
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	...	TOTAL	1,555	1,209
		...	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA.	Patna	Patna District . . . . .	34	29
		Shahabad District . . . . .	31	17
	Tirhut	Saran District . . . . .	55	46
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	3	2
	Bhagalpur	Darbhanga District . . . . .	7	4
		Monghyr District . . . . .	41	33
	...	TOTAL	174	131
UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District . . . . .	1	1
		Aligarh City . . . . .	4	1
	Azamgarh	Mainpuri District . . . . .	9	9
		Bijnor District . . . . .	1	1
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad District . . . . .	1	1
		Cawnpore City . . . . .	3	3
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	19	19
		Fatehpur District . . . . .	2	1
		Allahabad City . . . . .	2	2
	Jhansi	Allahabad District . . . . .	6	6
		Jhansi District . . . . .	82	76
		Jaloun District . . . . .	69	29
	Benares	Benares City . . . . .	3	3
		Benares District . . . . .	10	9
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	3	77
		Mirzapur District . . . . .	6	5
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	37	33
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	132	109
	Gorakhpur	Bahraich District . . . . .	72	72
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	95	71
		Basti District . . . . .	16	11
	Lucknow	Azamgarh District . . . . .	77	57
		Lucknow District . . . . .	25	25
		Unao District . . . . .	68	64
		Sae Bareilly District . . . . .	27	27
		Sitapur District . . . . .	2	2
	Fyzabad	Kheri District . . . . .	7	5
		Gonda District . . . . .	26	18
		Sultanpur District . . . . .	10	7
		Parturgarh District . . . . .	17	15
	...	Bara Banke District . . . . .	41	27
		TOTAL	953	789

(a) Four reported. (b) Sixteen imported. (c) One imported.

In the return for the week ending 27th October 1917, add Ballia District 29 cases, 29 deaths



Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District . . . . .	7	2
	Jullundur	Jullundur District . . . . .	10	9
		Ludhiana District . . . . .	35	15
	Lahore	Lahore City . . . . .	34	17
		Lahore District . . . . .	68	38
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	1	..
		Faisal Kot District . . . . .	1	..
	Rawalpindi.	Jhelum District . . . . .	12	8
		Rawalpindi District . . . . .	166	148
		Attock District . . . . .	1	1
		TOTAL	335	239
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town . . . . .	11	9
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	1	1
	Magwe	Minbu District . . . . .	16	17
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	17	14
		Bhamo District . . . . .	1	1
	Aleikata	Meiktila District . . . . .	12	4
		TOTAL	58	46
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	16	16
		Nagpur District . . . . .	49	26
		Chandrapur District . . . . .	47	31
		Wardha District . . . . .	40	32
		Balaghat District . . . . .	7	5
		Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	2	1
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore District . . . . .	118	91
		Sagar District . . . . .	33	22
		Damoh District . . . . .	21	6
		Soni District . . . . .	33	34
		Mandla District . . . . .	9	8
		Ho-shangabad District . . . . .	29	12
	Nerbudda	Nimar District . . . . .	11	13
		Narsinghpur District . . . . .	84	66
		Chhindwara District . . . . .	6	5
	Chhatishgarh.	Raipur District . . . . .	8	5
		Durg District . . . . .	17	6
	Berar	Amraoti District . . . . .	93	63
		Yeshwantpur District . . . . .	38	24
		Akola District . . . . .	305	186
		Buldhana District . . . . .	12	23
		TOTAL	993	673

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague measures.	Plague deaths
ASSAM	...	....	...	...
COORG	...	....	...	...
MYSORE STATE.	..	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	31	26
		Bangalore City	1	
		Bangalore District	184	148
		Mysore District	36	25
		Hassan District	6	3
		Kodur District	9	5
		Shimoga District	72	42
		Chitaldroog District	46	31
		Tumkur District	64	51
		Kolar District	90	66
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>397</b>
HYDERABAD STATE.	..	Aurangabad District	73	49
		Bir District	174	162
		Pachham District	6	
		Nander District	168	1
		Gulbarga District	14	
		Raichur District	38	
		Umsanabad District	154	399
		Bidar District	7	8
		Nizamabad District	9	8
		Mahabongar District	3	3
		Atrufibala District	11	8
		Warangal District	14	9
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>971 (a)</b>	<b>794 (a)</b>
CENTRAL INDIA.	..	Indore City	71	54
		Indore State	112	32
		Indore Residency Bazzars	5	1
		Gwalior State	312	293
		Mhow Cantonment	17	9
		Nemuch Cantonment	2	2
		Bhopal State	262	269
		Dewas State (Junior Branch)	5	3
		Dhar State	4	4
		Ratlam Town	70	70
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>904 (a)</b>	<b>710 (b)</b>
RAJPUTANA	..	Ajmer City	115	60
		Ajmer District	251	160
		Awar State	8	5
		Jampur State	275	223
		Bharatpur State	1	1
		Jhalawar State	5	5
		Mewar State	66	59
		Parbhargarh State	6	3
		Kishangarh State	42	22
		Tonk State	30	31
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,337</b>	<b>1,030</b>
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	Dera Ismail Khan District	10	7
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	11	10
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>
BALUCHISTAN.	...	...	...	...
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>			<b>15,419</b>	<b>11,573</b>

(a) From 22nd to 26th October 1917.

(b) For the week ending 27th October 1917

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 258-D.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

**FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE PROHIBITION BY THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AGAINST THE LANDING OF ARTISANS AND SKILLED OR UNSKILLED LABOURERS.**

**RESOLUTION.**

*Delhi, the 9th November 1917.*

WITH reference to the Resolution of the Government of India No. 5803-12 dated the 22nd May 1917, intimation has been received that the prohibition issued by the Government of Canada against the landing of artisans and skilled or unskilled labourers at the ports of entry in British Columbia has been further extended to 31st March 1918.

The Governor General in Council accordingly requests all Local Governments and Administrations to make the above intimation as widely known as possible.

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded, for information and guidance, to all Local Governments and Administrations and, for information, to the Home and the Foreign and Political Departments.

Ordered also that a copy be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

**A. H. LEY,**

*Secretary to the Government of India*

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## PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 10th November 1917.

### CORRIGENDUM.

The following entry which appeared in the Notification published by this office in Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th September, 1917, under the heading "Cessation of Exclusive Privilege" is hereby cancelled.

1909—556 (Ashford & anr).

### APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

#### October 31.

3369. E. C. Molony and F. C. Koenig. *Improved trough burner for liquid fuels.*  
 3370. Nand Ram. *An apparatus for destroying bugs and other pests in channell crevices in walls, etc., and for disinfecting walls, floors, furniture and the aid of steam.*  
 3371. K. D. Dhavle. *Cap.*  
 3372. C. C. O'Brien. *Improvements in office envelopes.*  
 3373. C. A. Subrahmanya Iyer. *Slope-terrace bricks.*  
 3374. F. Isaki and The Japan Cash Register Manufacturing Co., Ltd. *Improvements in automatic machine indicating the sum of receipts and disbursement of cash.*  
 3375. N. M. Bernardi. *New screw wrench in which no detrimental play can obtain.*  
 3376. B. Conklin. *Improvements relating to rotary engines, pumps, compressors and the like.*  
 3377. T. W. Hicks. *A method and machine for preparing seed beds.*  
 3378. The Vacuum Brake Co., Ltd., and G. Mitchell. *Improvements in or applicable to brake-cylinder piston-rods.*  
 3379. G. Clough and S. Catlow. *Improvements in and relating to shuttles of looms for weaving.*  
 3380. E. Cervenka. *Process of photography in colours.*  
 3381. A. J. Chevallay. *Shuttle locking attachment for sewing machines and the like.*

#### November 1.

3382. G. Grondal. *Improved method of and apparatus for concentrating ores by flotation.*  
 3383. J. L. A. Baet and Mrs. E. Grange. *Improvements in or relating to machines for manufacturing press buttons or the like.*

#### November 2.

3384. J. Flint and F. G. Brown. *An improved spirit for use as a fuel in internal combustion engines and for heating and lighting purposes.*  
 3385. A. C. E. Peterson. *Improvements in cans or cases for packing tea and the like.*  
 3386. H. Katayama. *Means for raising submerged vessels by means of an ariating machine.*  
 3387. A. Z. Rothschild. *Method of obtaining fibre from cocoanut husks.*  
 3388. A. N. Hood. *Machine for and process of drying case in.*

#### November 3.

3389. Abdul Gafcor. *Improvements in camp cots.*  
 3390. Rubber Patents, Ltd. *A chemical process for the manufacture of rubber and other products from latices and for the treatment of raw and scrap rubbers and gums.*

### APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2626. T. P. Payne. *An improved agricultural system and machine.*

2777. H. L. Lambert. *Shoe or skate for electric railways.*

2778. H. L. Lambert. *Circuit closers for electric railways.*

2878. O. Rapalli. *An improved surgical or medical ampoule-syringe.*

2818. T. A. Iyer. *An improved process for coating iron with brass.*

3051. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in power driven reciprocating implements and means for driving the same.*

3116. Mrs. M. A. Gould. *Improvement in or relating to triple closure bottle stoppers.*

3155. R. J. Dennett. *An improved automatic auxiliary air valve and control device for internal combustion engines.*

3200. S. Seshadri. *Foot pump head.*

3201. C. Ramana'shan. *Improvements in net-baskets for carrying onions and the like.*

3216. A. R. Weston. *Level crossing lamp bracket.*

3256. Sayed Rahmat Ali and Abdul Gaffoor. *Improvements in camp cots.*

3280. R. S. Dickie. *Improvements in and relating to a process of separating wax scale from petroleum and apparatus therefor.*

3282. W. M. Billinton. *Improvements in axleboxes for railway, tramway and other like vehicles.*

3297. Sayed Rahmat Ali and Abdul Gaffoor. *Improvements in portable chairs.*

### PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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3073. H. S. Cairns. *A trip grab fishing tool.*

3156. C. Watson. *Improvements in self-contained buffers for railway and other rolling stock.*

3206. R. N. Oswal. *Combined peg leg and walking stick.*

3214. R. D. Connell. *Door fastener.*

3227. Robert Stephenson and Co (1914), Ltd., and C. N. Goodall. *Improvements in or relating to locomotives.*

3242. S. T. Dutton and T. A. White. *Improvements in treadles for use on railways.*

3243. L. Gardner. *Improvements in hydrocarbon burners.*

3245. E. W. Thurlow. *An improved method of obtaining motor fuels and light paraffin oils from shale; and benzene, toluene, and solvent naphtha from coal.*

3251. D. McCay. *Improvements in the manufacture of leather.*

3252. F. C. Griffin. *Improvements connected with septic tank privies.*

3253. W. W. Bowen. *Improvements in lamp chimneys.*

3254. W. M. Billinton. *A new or improved lock for railway carriage doors.*

3255. Shaik Mahboob Elahi. *Improvements in elastic chains.*

### SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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3096. Karim.

3102. Turner.

3107. General Electric Co.

3108. Haran.

3109. F. W. Cotterill Ltd., Bayley and Wilson.

3110. Leary.

3112. Lobell.

3117. Ross.

3118. Vogelsang.

3119. Marsh.

3120. Olan.

3121. Sullivan.

3129. Gur Wahan Singh.

**PATENTS SEALED.**

2550. Bivar.	3026. Mallick and Mallik.
2551. Morison.	3034. Shamrao.
2565. Rutnagur.	3040. Luard and Rawlings.
2639. Fowler and Mumford.	3084. Peterson.
2759. McGlashan.	3088. Kennedy.
2898. Hari Shanker.	3090. Tucker Implement Co. Inc.
2981. Fraymouth	3091. Hines.
3011. Gawthrop.	3092. Cook and Tuyl.

**RENEWAL FEES PAID.**

74 of 1904. Short. (To 12 November 1918.)
510 of 1904. Window Glass Machine Co. (To 8 February 1919.)
220 of 1905. Raju (To 2 November 1918)
320 of 1905. La Societe Anonyme Westinghouse & anr (To 3 November 1918.)
396 of 1906. Clarke Chapman & Co., Ltd., and anr. (To 31 October 1918.)
427 of 1906. Aktiebolaget Gas Accumulator. (To 31 October 1918.)
503 of 1906. Pearson. (To 20 November 1918.)
343 of 1908. Foden & ors. (To 11 October 1918.)
202 of 1909. Eddeleanu. (To 30 November 1918.)
141 of 1909. Thompson. (To 4 March 1919)
556 of 1909. Ashford & anr. (To 6 June 1918.)
279 of 1910. Nance. (To 11 February 1919.)
324 of 1910. Godfree. (To 6 May 1918)
442 of 1910. Williams & ors. (To 5 November 1918.)
531 of 1910. J. Stone & Co., Ltd., & anr. (To 15 February 1919.)
630 of 1910. J. Stone & Co., Ltd., & anr. (To 15th February 1919.)
266 of 1911. Paterson. (To 19 December 1918)
139 of 1912. J. Stone & Co., Ltd. (To 18 March 1919)
565 of 1912. Crookes & anr. (To 28 October 1918.)
566 of 1912. Halstead & anr. (To 28 October 1918.)
568 of 1912. Vibro el Co., Ltd. (To 28 October 1918.)
585 of 1912. Automatic Telephone Manufacturing Co., Ltd. (To 4 November 1918)
596 of 1912. Davidson. (To 12 November 1918)
652 of 1912. Van Calcar & ors. (To 11 December 1918)
679 of 1913. Minerals Separation, Ltd. (To 2 January 1919.)
781 of 1913. J. Stone & Co., Ltd. (To 21 February 1919.)
1269 of 1913. De Nordiske Fabriker De-No-Fa Aktieselskap. (To 27 October 1918.)
1273 of 1913. Munro (To 30 October 1918)
1291 of 1913. Sumner. (To 11 November 1918)
1326 of 1913. Van Calcar & ors. (To 25 November 1918.)
1337 of 1913. "Kristallit" Sportis Gesellschaft m. b. H. (To 1 December 1918)
1356 of 1913. Donald (To 15 December 1918.)
1376 of 1913. Irwin. (To 22 December 1918)
1377 of 1913. Levick, Jr. (To 22 December 1918)

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162, (Mather &amp; Platt, Ltd.)



**1906.**

43, (White.)

**1907.**

39, (Kitson.)

**1908.**

179, (Dass.) 543, (Begg.)

**1909**

179, (Societe Generale D'Etudes, etc.)

**1910.**

478, (Victoria Spinning Co., Ltd., &amp; anr.)

**1912**

399, (Dekker.)

**1913.**

1066, (Keelan.) 1068, (Angus.) 1070, (Viesi.) 1071, (No Ice Refrigerator Co.)  
 1072, (Webb.) 1073, (Hayward & anr.) 1074, (Wegener.) 1080, (Ashworth & anr.)  
 1085, (Evans.) 1087, (Banerjee.)

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 M. Mohd. Muslim . . . . . 12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.  
 M. Nisar Ahmad Khan . . . . . 26/A, Noor Ally Lane, Entally, Calcutta.  
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M. S. Abdul Ghani . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Garrison Battalion. Royal Irish Rifles.  
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- M. Mohd. Akbar Khan, Haidari . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1/4th Wiltshire Regiment, Delhi (winter only).  
 M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi) . . . . Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

**DINAPORE.**

- M. Farzand Ali Khan . . . . C/o Dr. Hingan Khan, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore.

**DUM DUM.**

- M Syed Hadi Hussain . . . . Regimental Munshi.

**FEROZEPORE.**

- M Suraj Narain, B.A. . . . . Kabari Bazar, Ferozepore.  
 M. Harnam Das . . . . . Headmaster, Malwa Khalsa School, Ferozepore City.

**HAPUR.**

- M S Khursad Ali . . . . . Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur, District Meerut.

**JHELUM.**

- M. Thakur Das Pahiwa . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

**JULLUNDUR.**

- M Karam Chand . . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazar of Jullundur Cantonment.

**KARACHI.**

- M Anandram Thadamal . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Norfolk Regiment, Garrikhata, Karachi.

**KASAUJI.**

- M. Anand Sarup . . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

**KOLHAPUR.**

- Pt. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni . . . . . 112, Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

**LANSDOWNE.**

- M Chhotu Lal . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Lansdowne  
 M Jawala Parshad, II . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Lansdowne

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- M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.  
 M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani (Munshi Fazil) . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.  
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 M. Mool Chand Saihgal . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1/5th Devonshire Regiment, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

**LUCKNOW.**

- M Abdul Karim . . . . . C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

**MEERUT.**

- M Jamaluddin . . . . . British Cavalry Bazaar, Cross Street, Meerut.

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- M S. C. Bagchi . . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragah, P. O. Murree Hills.  
 M. Ghulam Mohy-ud-Din . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 2nd North Staffordshire Regiment (summer only).  
 M Badli Raj . . . . . Regimental Munshi (summer only)

**MUSSOORIE.**

M. D. Ahmad Fakhriy . . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

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M. Faqir Ulla . . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

**PATNA.**

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

**PESHAWAR.**

M. Ahmed Din . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.  
 M. Abdur Rahim . . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.  
 M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Daki Nama, Peshawar City.

**QUETTA.**

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. Ahmed Buz . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. S. M. Bukhsh . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. M. M. Ishaq . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 Pt. Hirdav Narayan . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. S. Abdul Aziz . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 Syed Inam Ali . . . . . Mission Road, Quetta.

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M. Ghulam Mahy-ud-Din . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 2nd Bn., N. Staff. Regt., Rawalpindi (winter only).  
 M. . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.  
 M. K. R. Mehta . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st F. S. Garr Bn., Somerset Light Infantry.  
 M. Bodh Rai . . . . . Regimental Munshi (winter only).

**RISALPUR.**

M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Royal Flying Corps, Risalpur Cantonment.

**ROORKEE CITY.**

M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

**SUBATHU.**

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**RUNGPOUR.**

Babu Mukunda Lal Das Gupta . . . . . Kakina, District Rungpur.

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**POONA CITY.**

Mr. Govind Krishna Modak . . . . . Sanskrit Teacher, New English School, Poona City  
 Mr. D. K. Pathak . . . . . 442, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

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Mr. Vishnu Anant Salgarkar . . . . . C/o Mr. Harichand Amichand Shah, Sholapur.

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*N.B.*—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

*N.B.*—Teachers whose names are preceded by an asterisk (\*) are considered especially competent to give advanced instruction in the language.

CALCUTTA,

The 5th November 1917

O. F. JENKINS

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

## SULPHATE OF QUININE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, AND RESIDUAL ALKALOID.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation, ~~India~~

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge in powder can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPER-INTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.*

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

**SULPHATE OF QUININE.**

	Rs.
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery . . . . .	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	29 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs. . . . .	30 „

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	Rs.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. . . . .	6 „
Small quantity in stock.	

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**Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.**

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Drugs are sold for cash or by V.P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be given distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

*N.B.*—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.



**BANK OF BENGAL.**

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 6th November 1917.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	6,23,81,046	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,17,50,000	0	0	Other authorized Investments	1,32,16,640	0	0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, see below	67,50,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	5,12,70,350	13	0
	1,50,00,000	0	0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	4,72,19,351		
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	67,50,000	0	0	Bills discounted and purchased	2,79,94,781	2	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	2,49,26,760	3	2	Balances with other Banks	52,31,948	1	0
Public Deposits at Branches	1,71,17,596	3	1	Bullion			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	30,13,43,182	11	1	Dead Stock	29,02,368		
Bank Post Bills, etc.	12,93,365	8	0	Stamps			11
Sundries	13,85,239	8	1	Sundries	8,72,578	15	0
<b>RUPEES</b>	<b>38,78,16,201</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Rs.</b>	<b>21,06,00,026</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	11,13,25,049	11	2
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	6,58,90,527	12	10
				<b>RUPEES</b>	<b>38,78,16,201</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>

\* Includes Sova &amp; † Sova, value Rs 3,75,922 8 0

† Do do. do. ,, 6,99,165 0 0

Rs 10 77.187 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,  
Calcutta, 8th November 1917H. MITCHELL,  
Chief Accountant.  
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**NOTICE.****DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.****INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.**

Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has obtained a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industries, Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

**G. F. ADAMS,**Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners**TREASURE TROVE.**

It is hereby notified under Section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure was found on 15th February 1917, by Veithilinga Thevan, Mari Padayachi and Ramayya Gurulkad of Kothangudi village Tiratturupundi Taluk, while digging earth in the Ardharaantapam of Sri Agastiswaraswami temple situated in S. I. No. 60-B (class of as I-swanankod Poramboke) of the village—

Description of treasure.	Weight in seers.	Value	
		Rs.	A. P.
Big Amman . . . . .	97½	45	0 0
Small Amman . . . . .	27½	11	0 0
Chandrasekharar . . . . .	6½	1	0 0
Hastar Devar . . . . .	21	3	0 0
Pedestal Big . . . . .	65	9	0 0
„ Small . . . . .	12	6	0 0
Pipe . . . . .	24	1	0 0
Stone images Durgai Amman Baiyavar . . . . .	Mutilated.		

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at his office on the 9th March 1918 in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

**J. R. HUGGINS,**

Collector of Tanjore

**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL  
IN BALUCHISTAN.**

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Quetta, the 29th October 1917.

**No. 2993-R**—Khan Sahib M. Juma Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th grade, having been recalled from the long leave granted to him in Notification No. 3238, dated the 15th October 1916, by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is placed on special duty in connection with the Viceroy's visit with effect from the 11th October 1917. While so employed he will draw the pay of his own grade. The recall to duty was compulsory.

The 1st November 1917.

**No. 3028-R.**—The deputation to foreign service under the Kalat State for employment as Wazir Mekran Nizamat of Khan Bahadur Sardar Mir Ahmad Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade, which was sanctioned for a period of six months in the order by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General No. 58-R, dated the 12th January 1915, is extended for the duration of the War.

By order,  
**R. CHIENEVIX TREVELLACK** and  
First Assistant.

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**CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.**

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Delhi, the 1st November 1917.

**No. 9156-Education.**—In accordance with the provisions of section 240, clause (5), of the Punjab Municipal Act, III of 1911, the following amendments to the rules prescribed under section 240 (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g) and (h) of the said Act, for regulating elections in the Municipality of Delhi, and published with the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 5758-Education, dated the 15th August 1911, are hereby published for general information.

The alterations will come into force six weeks after the date of publication of this Notification.

(AMENDMENTS.)

1. Rule 10(2) shall read as follows :—

“The election roll or rolls shall be arranged in serial order of administrative ward and house numbers.”

2. Rule 28. Add at the end :—

“No person shall be entitled to vote until he has stated either verbally or in writing the number of the house in respect of which he is qualified to vote and his statement has been certified by reference to the electoral roll.”

3. Schedule B shall contain the following columns :—

1. Number of administrative ward and house.
2. Name of street or mohalla.
3. Name of owner.
4. Name of father of owner.
5. Annual rent assessed.
6. Name of tenant.
7. Name of father of tenant.
8. Remarks.

The 2nd November 1917.

**No. 9216-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 27th October 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17	
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.										Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum
			Males	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total			
	Delhi .	235,471	120	161	281	86	94	180	..	..	..	84	7	55	1	33	..	32	32	64	64.51	41.51	
	Notified Area	8,673	...	1	1	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	15	...	
	Total	229,144	120	163	282	86	94	180	...	..	..	84	7	55	1	33	..	32	32	64	63.09	40.84	

The 5th November 1917.

**No. 9281-Education**—Under the provisions of Section 31 of the Punjab Municipal Act (Act III of 1911), the Chief Commissioner is pleased to cancel Rule 31 of the Business Rules of the Notified Area Committee, Delhi, published with his Notification No. 32, dated the 4th January 1916.

The 6th November 1917.

**No. 9314-Education.**—The following alterations to the Water Supply bye-laws in force in the Delhi Municipal Committee published with Notification No. 6088-Education, dated the 3rd July 1917, have been approved by the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, and are hereby published for general information.

The alterations will come into force six weeks after the date of publication of this Notification.

## ALTERATIONS

## PART I.

Bye-law 2 should read as follows :—

When any person applies for permission to build or rebuild any building inquiry shall be made from what source he proposes to draw water for the operation.

Any person wishing to draw water from a public standpost for building purposes, shall first obtain the written permission of the Secretary of the Municipal Committee, and shall pay for the water so drawn according to the value of the work for which it is utilized at the rate of  $\frac{1}{4}$  per cent. on the value of the building as estimated by the Municipal Engineer.

## PART II.

Bye-law 10 should read as follows :—

If in any house to which an unmetered connection has been fitted any operation in the way of building or rebuilding is to be undertaken, the connection shall be metered before such operation is commenced unless the consumer agrees in writing to take water from a standpost outside and to pay the charges fixed in bye-law 2 of part I.

If such an agreement is not made the following charges shall be paid by the consumer :—

For fixing the meter Rs. 5

For every 1,000 gallons of water recorded by the meter Annas 6, quantities less than 500 gallons being neglected and quantities of 500 gallons or over being reckoned as 1,000 gallons.

Bye-law 13 (iv) should read as follows :—

(iv) If in any month the meter of any connection cease to register, the Committee shall be entitled to charge for that month an amount for excess consumption not exceeding the average of the past three months of full usage.

Bye-law 21 should read as follows :—

21 All applications to open or re-open a connection shall be accompanied by a fee of Re. 1 as opening fee together with all dues payable in advance.

The 7th November 1917.

No. 9354-C. & J.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current, in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 31st October 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS	Amount per Rupee	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.
	Srs. Chits		Srs. Chits.
Wheat . . . . .	9 4	Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	14 8
Barley . . . . .	12 8	Maize . . . . .	11 6
Rice { Best sort . . . . .	3 0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (hushed) (Dāl)	40
{ Common sort . . . . .	6 0	Firewood . . . . .	5 10
Jowar (Andropogon sorghum) . . . . .	12 8	Salt { Wholesale . . . . .	12
Bajra (Pennisetum typhoidum) . . . . .	12 8	{ Retail . . . . .	12
Mandwa (Eleusine Corneara) . . . . .	...	Gau . . . . .	...
Kangri (Setaria Italica) . . . . .	...	Cotton (unginned) . . . . .	...

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 31st October 1917 (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82½ LBS OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH

ITEMS	Wholesale price in Rupees	ITEMS	Wholesale price in Rupees
	Rs. A P		Rs. A. P
Rice, unhusked . . . . .	...	Cotton seed . . . . .	3 0 0
" husked . . . . .	6 4 0	Gau . . . . .	61 0 0
Wheat . . . . .	4 3 0	Flour (Wheat) . . . . .	4 12 0
Barley . . . . .	3 1 6	Tobacco Leaf (dry) . . . . .	8 0 0
Oats . . . . .	...	Turmeric (unground) . . . . .	20 0 0
Jowar . . . . .	3 0 0	Salt . . . . .	3 10 5
Paya . . . . .	3 1 6	R w Hides (Cow) . . . . .	90 0 0
Maize . . . . .	2 10 0	Leau . . . . .	1 11 0
Gram . . . . .	3 3 0	Gau (dry) . . . . .	1 2 0
Arhar Dāl . . . . .	3 8 0	Bansa (white) . . . . .	1 4 0
Linseed . . . . .	6 0 0	Jowar Stalks . . . . .	1 8 0
Rapeseed (Sarshuf) . . . . .	5 1 0	Bengal Coal . . . . .	0 12 0
Poppy-seed . . . . .	...	Kerosene Oil (per tin, stating the brand) . . . . .	2 9 3
Til (gingli seed) . . . . .	6 4 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair . . . . .	250 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur . . . . .	6 12 0	Sheep, per score . . . . .	80 0 0
Cotton (ginned) . . . . .	...		

**No. 9361-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 59 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that the following words appearing in rule 31 of the rules for the grant of licenses for the manufacture, supply, storage and sale of certain kinds of liquors in the Delhi Province, prescribed by Notification No. 1314-C. & I., dated the 25th February 1915, shall be deleted from the said rule :—

“A copy of all remarks of inspecting officers in this note-book shall be forwarded to the Excise officer of the district for information.”

**No. 9367-Education.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3(3) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to confirm Notification No. 8170-Education, dated the 21st September 1917, which declared the undermentioned monument to be protected within the meaning of the said Act :—

District.	Name of Monument.	BOUNDARIES.			
		North.	South.	East.	West.
Delhi	Tomb of Razya Begum in Muhalla Balbuli Khana (Shah-jahanabad).	House of Mst. A s g h a r i Begum, wife of Sayid-ud-din, Sheikh, of Delhi.	House of Haji Kutab-ud-din, and a street.	House of Haji Kutab-ud-din, son of Fakhar-ud-din.	House of Maulvi Salim-ud-din.

**No. 9371-Home.**—Mr. A. C. Macnabb, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, relinquished charge of his duties as Secretary, Municipal Committee, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 30th October 1917.

**No. 9373-Home.**—The service of Mr. A. C. Macnabb, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India with effect from the afternoon of the 30th October 1917.

**No. 9387-Home.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 11 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914 (VIII of 1914), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, proposes to make the following amendment in the rules published with Notification No. 2372-Home, dated the 10th April 1915, as amended by Notifications Nos. 5914 and 7357-Home, dated the 30th August 1916 and 2nd November 1916, respectively, which is hereby published for general information.

Notice is hereby given that the said amendment will be taken into consideration on or after the 18th December 1917, and any objections or suggestions received by that date will be taken into consideration :—

*Draft amendment.*

Add rule 21 (3) (d)

“The outer glass should be painted (in white paint)  $\frac{1}{4}$ th part down the face and the inner reflector  $\frac{1}{2}$  way up from the base of the lamp or the whole glass should be painted.”

W. M. HAILEY,  
Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

**THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH  
BALUCHISTAN.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

Quetta, the 5th November 1917.

**No. 563.-J.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 (b) of the British Baluchistan Civil Justice Regulation, 1896, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to direct that M. Ghulam Muhammad, Munsiff of Sibi, shall exercise jurisdiction in original suits of value not exceeding one thousand rupees.

By order,  
R. CHENEVIX TRENCH, Major,  
Secretary.  
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## BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st October 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1890-97	3½ PER CENT. LOANS				TOTAL	4 PER CENT. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	5 per cent. War Loan 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan 1919-1917.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1917.	GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1942-43.	of 1954-55.	of 1895.	of 1979.	of 1900-01.					
Balance of 15th October 1917 . . . . .	27,99,700	98,82,700	4,14,16,500	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,000	2,500	17,000	...	2,300	7,66,68,500
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No. . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 9th October 1917 . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	500
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st October 1917 . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,50,000	...	4,50,000
<b>Deduct—</b>											
Amount written off in the London Registers . . . . .	27,99,700	98,82,700	4,14,16,500	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,500	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	2,300	7,71,19,000
Balance on 31st October 1917 . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27,99,700	98,82,700	4,14,16,500	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,500	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	2,300	7,71,19,000

NOTE.—From 9th June 1917 to 31st Aug 1917 Enfaced from India 12,410 lakhs, re-transferred from  
 " 1st Sep. 1917, 15th Oct. " ditto  
 " 16th " 30th " ditto  
 " 1st Oct. " 15th Oct. ditto  
 " 16th " 31st " ditto

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,  
BANK OF BENGAL;  
Calcutta 6th November 1917.

J. WARREN,  
Secretary and Treasurer.

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**DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 1st November 1917.

**No. 18.**—Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Major L. A. H. Clarke, I.S.M.D. (Retired), is granted, under the terms of Article 260, Civil Service Regulations, 3 months' privilege leave with effect from the 1st November 1915.

Four days' overstayal of leave is also granted under the terms of para. 210 *iii*), Army Regulations, India, Volume II.

This office Notification No. 13, dated 6th July 1917, is hereby cancelled.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,  
for Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

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**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.****Insolvency Jurisdiction.**

CASE No. 183 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee, Insolvent

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee, No. 21, Kyaunggyi Street, Kemmendinge, Rangoon, on the 19th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee.

CASE No. 184 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of Munshi Syed Ahmed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Munshi Syed Ahmed, Trader of No. 46, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Munshi Syed Ahmed.

CASE No. 185 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of G. Ahwain, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by G. Ahwain of No. 11, Kyaunggyi Street, Kemmendinge, Rangoon, on the 19th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said G. Ahwain.

CASE No. 186 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th October 1917.

In the matter of G. S. Charles, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by G. S. Charles, clerk, residing at No. 38, 48th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 22nd day of October 1917 against the said G. S. Charles

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CASE No. 187 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd October 1917.

In the matter of Mamidichetty Subbaraidoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mamidichetty Subbaraidoo, son of Mamidichetty Venkiah, residing at No. 26, Barr Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mamidichetty Subbaraidoo.

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CASE No. 188 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 23rd October 1917.

In the matter of Golugooru Pareddy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Golugooru Pareddy of No. 68, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Golugooru Pareddy.

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CASE No. 190 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th October 1917.

In the matter of Pacha Yenkiah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Pacha Yenkiah, cooly, residing at No. 57, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Pacha Yenkiah.

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CASE No. 191 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th October 1917.

In the matter of Abdul Kader, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Abdul Kader of No. 2, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Abdul Kader.

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CASE No. 192 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th October 1917.

In the matter of Maung Po Yin, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Yin, Clerk of No. 168, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 25th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Yin.

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CASE No. 193 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th October 1917.

In the matter of Edwin Charles Oliver, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Edwin Charles Oliver, Telegraphist, residing at No. 19-D, Bigandot Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Edwin Charles Oliver.

(Illegible),

Offg. Registrar.



## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
549—1917	Alfred Jones . . .	Anglo-Indian .	Lower Parel . . .	Shunter in the B. B. & C. I. Railway . .	29th	October	1917	29th	October	1917.
550—1917	Bandeali Haasram Khoje . .	Mahomedan .	Khadak . . .	Lately bullock-cart keeper and now servant in the employ of Allarakhia Haasam.	"	"	"	"	"	"
551—1917	Odhawji Vishram Joshi . .	Hindu . .	Dana Bunder . . .	Lately petty dealer in grocery in partnership with Nanji Ladha under the name of Giwram Vishram and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
552—1917	Soodkia Ramji Polekar . .	" . .	78, Umerkhandy . . .	Servant in the employ of Laxuman Satwaji Shetay.	"	"	"	"	"	"
553—1917	Jehangirji Nadirsha Hodiwala .	Parsi . .	28, Wellington Street .	Lately doing business in Cotton and empty bottles in the name of Jehangirji N. Hodiwala and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
554—1917	Ramdeo Laxuman Boinee Ramana.	Hindu . .	Kamatipura 6th Lane .	Formerly doing business in partnership with Fulaji Vanaji as dealers in bidde leaves in the name of Fulaji Vanaji and lately doing business as dealers in bidde leaves on his own account, and now bricklayer.	"	"	"	30th	"	"
555—1917	Jehangir Pallenji Arojanis .	Parsi . .	Lower Parel . . .	Lately Fitter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway at Parel (Running Shed) and now unemployed.	30th	"	"	"	"	"
556—1917	Damodar Keroba Dadarkar .	Hindu . .	No. 142, Lady Jamsedji Road, Mahind.	Clerk in the employ of Messrs. Jehangir Gulabhai and Billimoria, Solicitors, High Court, Bombay.	31st	"	"	31st	"	"

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.				DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.		Day.	Month.	Year.
557—1917	Tribhowandas Damodardas Sha	Hindu	2nd Fanaswadi	Lately dealer in charcoal and now servant in the employ of Goculdas Madhowji.	31st	October	1917		1st	November	1917
558—1917	Jelangriji Hormasji. Fitter	Parsi	Fort, Parsi Bazar	Lately Fitter in the R. I. M. Dockyard and now unemployed.	1st	November	"		"	"	"
559—1917	Darekhan Fathu Khan	Mahomedan	Haines Road, Byculla	Lately cartman and now unemployed.	"	"	"		"	"	"
560—1917	Kakal Bhanji Sha	Hindu	Mumbadevi	Speculator in Jotta	"	"	"		"	"	"
561—1917	Nowroji Edulji Daruwala	Parsi	Lower Parel	Fireman in the B. & C. I. Railway Company at Parel (Running shed).	2nd	"	"		2nd	"	"
562—1917	Akbarally Cassumji Dawoodi Bhora.	Mahomedan	Bhendy Bazar	Lately doing business in partnership with Esatalli Chandabhai as Tin makers in the name of Akbarali Cassumji and now servant in the employ of Mahomedalli Esufalli.	"	"	"		"	"	"
563—1917	Ganpat Mahadoo Gowli	Hindu	Lower Parel	Moulder in the G. I. P. Railway Parel (Workshop).	3rd	"	"		3rd	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

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CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 5th day of November 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

## OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY

No. B. R. 2423—Preliminary Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India for the first nine months of 1917-1918 as compared with the corresponding period of 1916-1917.

## ENGLAND.

## INDIA.

WHOLE YEAR.			APRIL TO AUGUST.		
Preliminary Accounts, 1916-1917.	Budget, 1917-1918.		Preliminary Accounts, 1916-1917.	Budget, 1917-1918.	
£	£	£	£	£	£
75,300	1,131,200	810,600	36,09,23,000	36,11,45,000	11,04,07,000
21,900	16,700	300	4,43,62,000	5,08,40,000	1,75,28,000
1,100	1,100	400	7,221,900	5,95,93,000	2,55,47,000
64,500	220,700	20,200	8,47,54,000	8,92,81,000	3,60,04,000
184,400	38,900	173,600	13,79,54,000	13,99,34,000	5,44,95,000
			1,497,00,000	14,09,21,000	4,89,88,000
			10,86,68,000	12,89,31,000	8,53,24,000
			93,85,90,000	97,06,21,000	32,42,73,000
			1,23,27,000	1,44,58,000	49,50,000
			6,56,02,000	6,70,22,000	2,46,85,000
			2,44,92,000	2,55,73,000	59,80,000
			1,18,97,000	75,84,000	32,71,000
			62,57,05,000	62,79,61,000	25,42,32,000
			4,39,12,000	4,90,16,000	2,58,03,000
			1,63,00,000	1,53,47,000	21,18,000
			1,74,58,34,000	1,78,21,33,000	65,13,99,000
			10,00,000	10,00,000	
			22,22,000	49,01,000	25,73,000
			32,22,000	59,01,000	25,73,000
			12,32,33,000	10,37,50,000	6,16,43,000
			1,54,79,000	2,89,01,000	75,59,000
			34,97,000	64,98,000	32,42,000
			44,95,000	25,10,000	30,54,000
			2,13,07,000	1,79,75,000	92,01,000
			1,20,000	1,25,000	

## INDIA.

WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO AUGUST.				DISBURSEMENTS.	
Preliminary Accounts, 1916-1917.	Budget, 1917-1918.	1916-1917.	1917-1918.	Increase.	Decrease.		
£	£	£	£	£	£		
117,500	105,700	40,000	50,000	10,000	...	Expenditure.	
2,106,100	7,307,800	999,400	2,241,000	1,241,600	...	Direct Demands on the Revenue	
327,500	382,300	81,800	154,800	73,000	...	Interest (including in India that on Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation Works)	
443,700	478,200	170,400	183,600	13,200	...	Post and Telegraphs and Milt	
2,683,400	9,475,500	1,088,300	1,156,700	118,400	...	Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments	
1,100	18,400	...	1,300	1,300	...	Miscellaneous Civil Charges	
9,471,600	9,521,000	4,941,700	4,857,100	15,400	...	Famine Relief and Insurance	
121,000	128,600	64,200	64,300	100	...	Railway Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	
58,200	56,900	21,200	20,600	...	...	Irrigation Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	
5,872,400	5,668,600	2,153,800	2,048,300	...	600	Other Public Works	
21,147,500	28,086,000	9,410,800	10,773,700	1,361,900	110,500	Military Services	
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Add—Provincial Surpluses, that is portion of allotments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Deduct—Provincial Deficits, that is portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial balances	
21,147,500	28,086,000	9,410,800	10,773,700	1,361,900	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE CHARGED AGAINST REVENUE	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.	
325,600	938,100	167,500	175,500	8,000	...	Capital outlay on Railways and Irrigation Works.	
395,600	656,500	170,000	108,700	...	61,800	Capital of Railway Companies (net payments)	
21,800	15,000	10,900	1,200	...	9,700	Initial expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	
748,000	1,609,600	348,400	285,400	...	68,000	TOTAL	
500,000	500,000	...	...	...	...	Debit Deposits and Advances.	
7,000,000	...	...	...	...	...	Permanent Debt (net discharged)	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Temporary do. { do. }	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. { do. }	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Deposits and Advances (net)	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Governments	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans to Local Boards	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Remittances (net)	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Secretary of State's Bills paid	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. exchange	
...	...	...	...	...	...	Drafts on London (net)	
7,500,000	500,000	...	200	200	...	TOTAL	
29,390,500	28,195,600	9,759,200	11,058,900	1,299,700	...	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	
11,392,800	11,354,800	12,622,400	12,371,600	...	250,800	Closing Balance	
40,783,000	39,550,400	22,381,600	23,429,500	1,047,900	...	GRAND TOTAL	

THE TREASURY:  
Calcutta, the 9th November 1917.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,  
Controller of Currency.

## DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 9th November 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th November 1917.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION		RESERVE.										SECURITIES PURCHASE PRICE.		TOTAL.	REMARKS.
		COIN AND BULLION.													
		In India.		In England.		In His Majesty's Colonies and His Majesty's Dominions.		Gold and Silver Bullion.		Gold and Silver Bullion.					
In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
R	A	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R		
Calcutta	64,53,000	82,75,175	31,40,117	8,03,37,182	7,65,23,437	27,25,533	1,42,50,000	21,94,003	25,20,000	...	9,99,99,946	51,47,94,187	79,36,44,599	(a) Nominal value— Rs10,20,81,500.	
Cawnpore	...	3,37,99,700	...	2,71,54,355	53,88,102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,25,83,057	(b) Nominal value— Rs53,09,86,571.	
Lahore	...	7,08,25,315	7,03,27,310	1,49,73,130	20,81,790	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,70,54,920	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Section 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Act XIX of 1917, at a cost of Rs42 crores.	
Bombay	57,67,075	45,01,24,065	48,58,91,749	8,77,54,538	12,72,16,999	18,65,378	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,68,69,985		
Karachi	...	2,91,49,175	3,91,19,475	80,45,900	26,88,328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,06,84,128		
Madras	37,73,495	11,21,45,535	11,62,21,840	3,49,20,946	51,88,987	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,01,09,935		
Barrackpore	...	5,03,27,140	5,53,32,240	2,59,52,971	48,65,820	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,03,18,721		
	1,39,35,570	1,12,94,27,410	1,14,54,22,950	27,91,69,774	22,39,00,463	45,91,916	1,42,50,000	21,94,009	25,20,000	...	9,99,99,946	51,47,94,187	1,14,17,20,295		
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue															
				39,02,685									2,00,000		
TOTAL CIRCULATION R 1,14,15,20,295															

Deduct—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another

Total Circulation R

TOTAL RESERVE R

The above transfer of the Paper Currency Reserve and the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th November 1917.

Note was made at the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve on the 7th November 1917.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,  
Controller of Currency.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(POST OFFICE.)

**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 31st October 1917.

**No. 2718-s-*Ap.***—Mr. Alla Din, Postmaster, Hoshiarpur, pay Rs. 200—300, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Postmaster, Lahore, pay Rs. 300—400, with effect from the 12th September 1917, and until further orders.

**W. MAXWELL,**  
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

**NOTIFICATION.**

Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.

**No. 5761-T.**—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period from 1st October 1917 to 7th November 1917 :—

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Caranzalem . . .	Portuguese Territory . . .	17th September 1917 . . .	Opened.
Kaity Camp . . .	Madras . . . . .	10th October 1917 . . .	"
Tandur . . . . .	Hyderabad (Deccan) . . .	25th September 1917 . . .	"
Tangmarg . . . . .	Kashmir . . . . .	21st October 1917 . . .	Closed
<i>Railway Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Ambaga . . . . .	Mysore State Railway . . .	15th October 1917 . . .	Opened.
Akkihebbalu . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	"
Arakere . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	"
Arvi . . . . .	Great Indian Peninsula Railway.	1st November 1917 . . .	"
Badam . . . . .	North-Western Railway . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Closed.
Bageshapura . . .	Mysore State Railway . . .	15th October 1917 . . .	Opened.
Belagula . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	"
Dudda . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	"
Harnahalli Road . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	"
Hassan . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	"
Mavinkere . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	"
Peeru-Lishari . . .	North-Western Railway . . .	1st November 1917 . . .	Closed.
Phulsingh Sirsi . . .	Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.	Ditto . . . . .	"
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**W. SUTHERLAND,**  
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Calcutta, the 6th November 1917.

**No. 6.**—Mr. Mathra Das, Officiating District Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, is granted, under Articles 233, 280 and 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, with effect from the 29th June 1917.

**J. COATES,**

Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

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**REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.**

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Report of a Deserter without leave from the 3rd Cheshire Regiment, dated at Bombay, this 21st day of October 1917.

Number, Rank, Name—62500, Private, T. Horrace.  
Age—26 years.  
Height—5 feet 6 inches.  
Colour of—Complexion, dark; hair, dark; eyes, dark.

Trade—Seaman.  
Place of Enlistment—Walton Jail, Liverpool.  
Date of Desertion—5th October 1917.  
Place of Desertion—Bombay.

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Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Australian Forces, dated Bombay, 6th November 1917.

Name—T. P. Crowley.  
Place of Escape—Colaba, Bombay.  
Date of Escape—During night of 5th 6th—November 1917.  
Height—About 5 feet 7 inches.  
Build—Slight.  
Complexion—Dark.  
Hair—Dark.  
Teeth—Good.  
Age—About 35-37 years.

Was clean shaven when he left.  
Speaks with a slight lisp, and stammers when excited.  
Apparently wearing plain clothes.  
Did not take a topee with him when he left.  
T. P. Crowley is known to have been visited by an officer of one of the ships which is in the harbour, Bombay.

**A. H. JACKSON, Captain,**  
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## **PART III.**

**Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.**

### **LOST.**

The Allotment Letter No. 1002 Bom-1 of the 5½ per-cent. Loan of 1920 for Rs. 5,000 originally issued in the name of Bhikhabhai Nathubhai the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Allotment Letter and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

**Name of the Advertiser—BHIKHABHAI NATHUBHAI.**

**Residence—Mandal, Taluka Viramgam**

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**Name of the Advertiser—JAMSHEDJEE DADABHOY,**

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Dated the 3rd day of November 1917.

N. C. SEAL, Managing Agent,  
The Gobin Mills Company Limited.

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E. R. SESHU IYER,  
Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.

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(ORDER 5, RULES 1 AND 3.)

IN THE COURT OF J. S. C. C. AT BENARES DISTRICT, BENARES.

SUIT No. 2622 of 1916.

Firm Parmanand and Sita Ram of Lakkhi Chabutra, Benares City . . . Plaintiff,

*versus*

Nasiruddin and others . . . Defendant.

To (1) Nasiruddin, aged about 40 years, (2) Amiruddin, aged above 38 years, sons of unknown, dwelling at Mohalla Chandni Chawk, Kuchai Kabuli Attar, Delhi.

Whereas the plaintiff has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 365-9, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions on the 13th day of November 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim; and, as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce on that day all the witnesses upon whose evidence, and all the documents upon which, you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day beforementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 14th day of September 1917.

MAHABIR PRASAD,  
Munsarim.



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## WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

RETURN SHOWING the WHOLESALE and RETAIL PRICES of CEREALS, PUISES, OILSEEDS, SUGAR (RAW), SALT, ETC., in INDIA by DISTRICTS for the FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

November 6, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,

Director of Statistics

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 30th September, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

Province.	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 30th September of																			
	RICE (Common)		WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		JAWAR ( <i>Andropogon Sorghum</i> )		MAIZE ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		GRAM ( <i>Cicer aristatum</i> )		ARHAR DÁL ( <i>Cajanus Indicus</i> )		GHI		RAW SUGAR (Gur)		SALT	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma . . . .	100	81	100	103	...	...	100	88	100	86	100	107	100	99	100	110	...	...	100	101
Assam . . . .	100	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	102	112	100	138	138
Bengal . . . .	100	84	100	108	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	91	100	96	100	104	100	99	100	136
Bihar and Orissa . . . .	100	74	100	101	100	82	100	85	100	68	100	77	100	91	100	100	100	101	100	127
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . .	100	91	100	104	100	96	100	118	100	86	100	88	100	84	100	100	106	100	131	131
Delhi . . . .	100	104	100	114	100	100	100	109	...	...	100	100	100	82	100	...	...	100	135	135
Punjab . . . .	100	104	100	110	100	103	100	112	100	112	100	101	100	78	...	...	100	90	100	113
North-West Frontier Province . . . .	100	90	100	103	100	99	100	126	100	114	100	96	100	82	...	...	100	...	100	129
Sind and Baluchis- tan . . . .	100	87	100	115	100	103	100	88	100	108	100	131	100	98	100	109	100	120	...	...
Bombay . . . .	100	105	100	119	100	97	100	135	...	...	100	112	100	99	100	119	100	95	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar . . . .	100	100	100	113	...	...	100	160	...	...	100	102	100	97	100	118	...	...	100	116
Madras . . . .	100	106	...	...	...	...	100	124	...	...	100	100	100	104	100	105	100	88	100	122
India . . . .	100	92	100	109	100	97	100	114	100	95	100	100	100	92	100	111	100	102	100	125

NOTE.—The rise in the price of jawar in the Central Provinces and Berar, in the Bombay and Madras Presidencies, and in the North-West Frontier Province, of gram in Sind, and of raw sugar (gur) in Delhi and Sind is noticeable. There was a general rise in the price of salt, the highest being in Assam (98 per cent). The fall in the prices of maize, common rice and gram in Bihar and Orissa, of rice (common) in Assam, and of Arhar dāl in the Punjab is also noteworthy.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 30th September, 1917, as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province	RICE (common)		WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		JAWAR ( <i>Andropogon Sorghum</i> )		MAIZE ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		GRAM ( <i>Cicer aristinum</i> )		ARHAR DÁL ( <i>Cajanus Indicus</i> )		GHI		RAW SUGAR ( <i>Gur</i> )		SALT	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917	15th Sep. 1917	30th Sep. 1917
Burma . . . .	100	97	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100	
Assam . . . .	100	107	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	97	100	103	100	106	
Bengal . . . .	100	100	100	101	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	94	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
Bihar and Orissa .	100	100	100	103	100	103	100	100	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	99	100	103	100	102	100	104	100	100	100	99	100	102	100	101	100	101	100	
Delhi . . . .	100	100	100	101	100	107	100	104	...	...	100	103	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
Punjab . . . .	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	99	100	99	100	100	100	100	100	101	100	104	100	
North-West Frontier Province.	100	97	100	102	100	101	100	113	100	95	100	101	100	100	100	103	100	99	100	
Sind and Baluchis- tan.	100	106	100	103	100	94	100	101	100	100	100	105	100	93	100	97	100	103	100	
Bombay . . . .	100	101	100	109	100	94	100	101	...	...	100	111	100	100	100	97	100	103	100	
Central Provinces and Berar	100	103	100	100	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	103	100	100	...	...	100	
Madras . . . .	100	115	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	103	100	103	100	
India . . . .	100	102	100	102	100	100	100	102	100	99	100	101	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	



### SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

**WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82½ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending the 30th September of the years 1917, 1916 and 1915.**

PLACES	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )			RICE (common)			JAWAR ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )			BAJRA ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )			GRAM ( <i>Cicer arvensium</i> )		
	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta . . .	5 0 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	6 3 0	7 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12 0	3 8 0	3 14 0
Bombay . . .	11 5	4 10 6	5 13 1	5 1 11	4 11 9	5 3 10	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	3 12 11	3 9 7	4 2 0	3 12 11	3 6 2	4 0 4
Karachi . . .	4 12 0	4 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 1 0	5 5 0	2 4 0	2 14 0	3 4 9	3 0 0	2 14 0	4 7 6	...	...	...
Madras . . .	...	...	...	5 10 1	5 4 10	5 4 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 9 5	4 3 4	5 11 2
Rangoon . . .	...	...	...	2 7 1	3 8 3	4 15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 9 10	3 11 11	4 4 9
Dacca . . .	...	...	...	5 4 0	6 0 0	6 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna . . .	3 8 0	3 7 6	5 0 0	3 8 0	4 6 0	5 8 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	3 10 0	...	3 1 3	...	2 4 0	3 1 3	3 10 0
Ranchi . . .	4 8 0	4 2 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 11 0	4 0 0
Outtock . . .	4 5 8	4 1 4	5 1 3	3 9 6	4 3 4	5 18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	4 1 2	4 5 8
Benares . . .	4 1 7	4 0 8	4 10 0	4 11 0	5 4 4	6 4 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 2	3 3 1	3 9 9
Cawnpore . . .	4 3 3	4 0 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 14 0	...	2 7 0	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 1 0	3 7 0
Meerut . . .	3 12 11	3 10 3	4 7 0	4 13 7	5 11 0	5 11 0	...	2 10 0	...	...	...	...	3 1 3	3 0 3	3 3 3
Agra . . .	4 7 1	4 5 2	5 2 6	6 6 4	6 15 3	5 4 9	2 8 0	2 10 8	3 8 10	2 9 3	2 11 4	4 0 0	3 3 2	3 6 5	3 5 4
Lucknow . . .	4 3 4	4 0 0	4 13 6	4 1 8	4 3 4	5 5 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 9 3	2 10 9	3 10 2
Ferozepur . . .	3 14 6	3 10 3	4 7 0	5 5 3	4 11 3	5 11 3	2 8 0	2 5 9	3 10 3	2 12 0	3 5 3	...	3 0 3	2 15 6	3 4 3
Lahore . . .	4 3 3	3 11 6	4 7 0	4 13 6	4 7 0	6 6 2	3 1 3	3 1 3	3 1 3	3 0 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 1 3	3 2 3	3 5 3
Amritsar . . .	3 15 0	3 7 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	4 11 6	5 11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 1 3	3 0 0	3 5 3
Bawalpindi . . .	4 7 0	3 12 0	4 7 0	4 12 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 5 3	3 14 0	3 5 0	3 5 3	3 8 0
Lyallpur . . .	4 2 0	3 11 0	4 4 0	5 1 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 3 0
Ambala . . .	4 0 0	3 13 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 4 0
Delhi . . .	4 3 0	3 11 0	4 13 6	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	4 0 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 3 0
Peshawar . . .	4 2 1	3 8 3	4 6 2	5 5 4	5 13 11	6 2 3	3 2 5	2 2 8	3 9 10	3 0 1	3 8 1	3 1 3	3 3 6	3 5 4	3 8 0
Quetta . . .	5 0 6	4 12 0	4 3 3	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poona . . .	5 2 2	4 2 8	5 8 11	5 12 4	5 6 0	6 7 4	3 9 9	2 8 0	3 3 1	4 2 8	3 8 8	4 0 5	4 2 3	3 10 5	4 3 4
Ahmednagar . . .	4 15 1	3 9 10	4 15 0	...	...	5 7 6	2 14 5	2 4 10	2 14 6	3 9 2	...	3 4 10	3 8 8	...	3 15 5
Ahmedabad . . .	4 8 0	4 4 0	5 5 4	6 8 0	6 12 0	6 8 0	2 15 0	2 8 0	3 10 2	2 9 0	3 1 0	4 7 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	3 13 0
Nagpur . . .	4 3 2	3 11 7	4 12 9	4 4 10	4 3 8	4 6 9	3 0 10	2 6 8	2 11 2	...	...	...	3 6 5	3 6 8	3 14 0
Jubbulpur . . .	4 5 2	3 14 5	4 13 7	4 3 5	5 0 0	5 11 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 2	3 5 4	4 1 7
Godavari . . .	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar . . .	...	...	...	5 4 11	5 2 11	5 6 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		RAGI
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
Barma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	40.25	37.65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	42.99	38.55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	27.47	32.99	71.91	71.91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Baugoon	...	...	24.43	25.16	...	50.79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	26.89	37.21	82.05	88.88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	28.88	34.97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	26.02	39.26	71.91	68.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	26.14	32.99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	30.19	32.69	43.38	49.23	...	...	...	...	19.69	22.38	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	32.19	35.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aran—															
Akyab	...	...	36.36	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Barua—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	25	37.5	40	52.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goalpara	19.37	27.5	37.5	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	27.5	26.25	48.75	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	42.5	52.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	30	30	32.5	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	25	32.5	52.5	61.87	50	43.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	20.62	32.5	38.12	50	60	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	18.75	26.87	40	52.5	55	{ 46.25 to 47.5 }	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	25	30	46.25	55	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kangpur	25	30	47.5	57.5	50	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*—															
Bihar, north—															
Bhagalpore	21.25	...	35	52.5	40	39.37	...	...	20.62	30	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	20.94	...	50	61.56	40	40	...	...	22.19	25	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	20	...	35	48.75	35	34.19	...	...	20	25	21.25	25	...	30.78	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	16.04	...	45.94	42.08	43.54	40.83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	24.48	30.57	46.87	52.71	40.99	40.42	45.16	47.71	27.13	29.32	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	22.5	21.25	52.5	52.5	42.03	40	43.75	46.87	27.5	29.37	...	24.37	...	...	...
Jhansi	...	...	47.06	50.36	{ 40.94 to 44.37 }	39.69	...	...	25.31	25.62	30.16	20.05	...	...	...
Western—															
Meerut	...	21.56	48.49	56.87	38.07	36.41	42.08	40.94	27.6	28.12	...	26.35	...	...	...
Agra	...	...	68.96	69.53	44.43	43.23	53.33	50	29.06	29.58	25	26.67	25.78	27.08	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahanpur	20	25	38.75	40	38.75	37.34	45.63	43.28	24.69	26.56	...	22.5	...	26.56	...
(b) OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	21.24	41.04	42.08	42.08	40	51.56	49.23	25.78	27.6	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	21.56	24.22	47.81	57.19	30.53	39.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

\* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district headquarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

RAGI		MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPSEED		DISTRICTS
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burma--
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tenasserim--
...	...	...	...	61.54	61.54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	65.96	65.98	68.82	68.82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Amherst
...	...	...	...	36.18	37.43	51.61	57.14	57.66	57.66	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pegu (deltaic)--
...	...	...	...	55.17	55.17	68.82	68.82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	34.41	43.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassain
...	...	...	...	46.73	42.95	68.08	75.29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pegu (inland)--
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
...	18.71	21.84	34.41	35.90	60.95	65.98	57.66	57.66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Upper Burma--
...	...	...	34.41	34.41	71.91	71.91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakokku
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Arahan--
...	...	...	...	59.26	...	92.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Assam--
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surma--
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balaganj (Sylhet)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53.5	...	Brahmaputra--
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	110	...	55	45	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gauhati
...	...	...	45	50	55	70	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	65	60	Bengal--
...	...	...	...	...	50	60	...	...	...	...	...	50	60	60	60	Eastern--
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong
...	...	...	37.5	35	60	52.5	...	...	...	...	...	50	58.12	55	50	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Deltaic--
...	...	...	35	38.75	44.37	60	...	...	...	...	...	70	70	55	55	Calcutta
...	...	...	37.5	{ 40 to 42.5 }	{ 50 to 65 }	{ 52.5 to 65 }	...	...	...	...	...	45	52.5	{ 62.5 to 75 }	{ 62.5 }	Western--
...																

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER—continued

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (Til or jinjū)		GMI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS		STRAW
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
<b>BURMA—</b>															
<b>Madagascar—</b>															
Mergui	...	...	581.82	457.14	...	...	27.47	22.86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25.7	25.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457.14	457.14	...	...	24.62	24.62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Burma (deltaic)—</b>															
Rangoon	...	...	583.33	581.82	...	...	35.36	30.77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	640	492.31	...	...	40	39.26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	640	...	...	15.71	45.71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Burma (inland)—</b>															
Henzada	...	...	711.11	583.33	...	...	35.75	35.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36.16	36.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Upper Burma—</b>															
Mandalay	...	...	711.11	640	...	...	41.68	39.02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	711.11	581.82	...	...	45.80	45.39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Arakan—</b>															
Akyab	...	...	640	581.82	...	...	50	30.77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Assam—</b>															
<b>Assam—</b>															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	...	...	690	525	72.5	82.5	41.37	30.62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wahaputra—															
Goalpara	...	...	570	550	92.5	87.5	46.25	32.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	615	585	110	77.5	45	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Assam—</b>															
Chittagong	...	...	600	530	70	95	47.5	27.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	580	600	120	117.5	47.5	32.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>															
Calcutta	...	...	700	520	90	70	40	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>															
Bardwan	...	...	580	540	60	72.5	36.87	23.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	{ 550 to 600 }	{ 530 to 580 }	95	{ 80 to 85 }	42.5	31.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>															
Pabna	...	...	620	560	85	86.87	42.5	36.87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	580	560	70	115	45	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bihar and Orissa—</b>															
<b>Bihar, north—</b>															
Bhagalpur	52.5	80	640	530	70	130	40	35	80	150	...	...	...	...	...
Munaffarpur	...	...	533.12	533.12	57.19	50	33.28	20.56	266.56	160	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bihar, south—</b>															
Patna	50	50	520	500	65	60	45	31.25	20	12.5	...	...	5	3.12	...
<b>Orissa—</b>															
Cuttack	...	65.62	533.38	533.38	61.74	68.59	25	20	91.41	91.41	...	...	5.62	5	5.62
<b>United Provinces—</b>															
<b>Agra—</b>															
<b>Eastern—</b>															
Banars	57.97	48.91	540.68	510.26	65.73	58.07	29.32	28.23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Central—</b>															
Cawnpore	67.5	...	480	465	75	46.25	{ 25.62 to 30 }	22.5	140	115	150	112.5	...	...	...
Jhansi	...	43.23	452.97	441.41	70	66.56	29.87	22.19	...	...	...	...	...	2.5	...
<b>Western—</b>															
Meerut	...	...	508.91	478.75	64.01	50	30.78	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	66.67	{ 53.33 to 61.11 }	556.51	492.29	160	76.15	25.78	20.47	120	120	150	150	10	10	12.5
<b>Submontane, west—</b>															
Shahjahanpur	47.19	50	560	450	...	68.75	32.5	21.87	180	180	...	{ 130 to 150 }	...	...	...
<b>ODISHA—</b>															
<b>Southern—</b>															
Cuttack	...	...	480	495	...	...	33.33	24.22	...	...	...	...	...	2.5	...
<b>Northern—</b>															
Puri	...	...	460	475	...	53.28	25.62	25	...	...	...	...	2.5	2.5	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

STRAW	JAWAR STALKS		BRUSA (WHITE)		BRAN		COAL (BENGAL)		SHEEP, PER SCORE		PLOWH BULLOCKS, PER PAIR		KEROSENE OIL, PER TIN		DISTRICTS
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	
															Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	17-16	17-16	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2-75	Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	11-9	11-9	...	7-85	...	...	...	...	2	2-56	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	2-75	2-56	Tavoy
															Moulmein and Amherst
						28-83	14-60	8-45	...	...	...	...	2	1-87	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	7-14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2-06	1-87	Bangoon
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Maubin
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Basscin
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Hensada
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Toungoo
...	...	...	...	...	34-97	28-83			...	...	...	...	3-19	2-06	Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...			9-18	8-18	...	...	...	...	2-87	2-69	Pakokku
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Akyab
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	2-33	1-95	Assam—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	3-60	3-37	Surma—
...	...	...	...	...			5-62	5-62	...	...	...	...	2-75	2-06	Sylhet (Balaganj)
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Gaolpara
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Gauhati
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Bengal—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	2-09	1-78	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	3-09	2-77	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...			6-87	3-75	...	...	...	...	3	3-59	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...			4-37	3-28	...	...	...	...	2-09	2-78	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	3	2-69	Western—
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	3-19	2-81	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	3-25	2-91	Northern—
...	...	...	...	...				1-47*	...	...	...	...			Pabna
...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...			Rangpur
...	...	...	...	...	20	23-75			...	...	...	...	1-97	3-98	Bihar and Orissa—
...	...	...	10-31	10	25	25			...	...	...	...	2-13	2-06	Bihar, north—
...	...	...	11-25	11-25	20	18-75			...	...	...	...	3-17	2-08	Bhagalpur
5-62	...	...	...	...	7-5	7-5			...	...	...	...	3-5	2-75	Muzaffarpur
									...	...	...	...			Bihar, south—
									...	...	...	...			Patna
									...	...	...	...			Orissa—
									...	...	...	...			Cuttack
															United Provinces—
...	...	...	...	...	22-5	25	{ 3-96 to 7-92 }	{ 3-96 to 7-92 }	...	...	...	...	3-62	...	(a) AGRA—
...	...	...	9-06	9-87	22-5	24-37	8-75	5	70	65	...	...	3-31	2-91	Eastern—
6-67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3-37	3-12	Bonares
...	...	...	18-33	10	28-54	25-78	10	7-5	...	...	...	...	3-56	3-06	Central—
12-5	...	...	7-97	7-97	25	30-16	...	...	...	...	100	100	3-56	3-06	Cawnpore
...	...	...	11-25	10	30	38-12	6-25	6-25	{ 90 to 100 }	{ 50 to 80 }	{ 60 to 150 }	{ 50 to 80 }	3-44	3-06	Jhansi
...	...	...	10	7-34	21-35	22-5	...	5-62	...	...	...	...	3-37	3	Western—
...	...	...	8-12	11-25	...	...	13-75	8-75	...	...	60	50	3-25	2-81	Meerut
									...	...					Agra
									...	...					Submontane, west—
									...	...					Shahjahanpur
									...	...					(b) OUDH—
									...	...					Southern—
									...	...					Lucknow
									...	...					Northern—
									...	...					Fyzabad

\* Price of 1st class coal at Jheria

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER—continued

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		RAGI
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Ajputana—</b>															
Eastern— Ajmer . . . . .	26 67	26 67	...	...	48 28	48 41	...	...	28 96	32 76	25	25	26 67	28 8	...
<b>Delhi—</b>															
Delhi . . . . .	...	...	62 5	60	41 87	36 87	45	41 87	30 62	30 62	30	27 5	30	38 75	...
<b>Punjab—</b>															
Southern— Ferozepur . . . . .	26 72	25 78	53 26	47 03	39 06	36 41	43 78	40	26 72	26 72	25	23 59	27 5	33 28	...
<b>Central—</b>															
Lahore . . . . .	25	23 44	48 41	44 37	42 08	37 19	48 44	40 94	27 97	29 69	30 78	30 78	30 16	34 69	...
<b>Submontane—</b>															
Amritsar . . . . .	22 19	25	50	47 19	39 37	34 37	44 37	37 19	25	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Northern—</b>															
Rawalpindi . . . . .	...	...	47 5	36 87	44 37	37 5	46 87	40 94	26 87	26 72	27 5	25	25	33 28	...
<b>Western—</b>															
Lyallpur . . . . .	27 5	...	50 62	60	41 25	36 87	46 25	41 25	27 5	25	...	...	...	...	...
Multan . . . . .	23 75	31 25	45 62	45 62	40	37 19	43 75	40 94	29 33	26 44	...	...	29 57	36 44	...
<b>L. W. Frontier Pro- vince—</b>															
Peshawar . . . . .	...	...	58 33	58 7	41 3	35 16	46 72	40 26	28 91	22 76	31 51	21 67	30 05	35 05	...
Dera Ismael Khan . . . . .	...	...	57 18	63 44	40	48 75	44 48	47 19	29 11	31 04	35	31 25	33 28	31 25	...
<b>Ind and Baluchistan—</b>															
Karachi . . . . .	...	...	52 5	50 62	47 5	42 5	...	...	...	...	22 5	28 75	30	28 75	...
Shikarpur . . . . .	22 5	...	51 25	68 12	49 06	38 44	...	...	32 97	30 63	...	27 5	...	...	...
Quetta . . . . .	...	...	...	...	49 37 to 51 25	46 25 to 49 75	70 61 to 77 5	65 to 75	37 5	37 5	31 25	32 5	...	...	...
<b>Bombay—</b>															
Konkan— Bombay . . . . .	33 8	40 52	51 2	47 34	57 13	46 56	...	...	30 68	31 77	37 5	30	38 07	35 99	...
<b>Deccan and Karnatak—</b>															
Dharwar . . . . .	...	...	59 8	...	45 57	32 4	...	...	...	...	31 25	16 04	...	...	...
Sholapur . . . . .	...	...	50 57	49 17	33 59	39 32	...	...	37 6	...	...	20 62	...	27 34	...
Poona . . . . .	...	...	57 71	55	51 35	41 67	...	...	...	...	36 09	25	41 67	35 42	...
<b>Khandesh and N.-E.</b>															
Deccan— Ahmednagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	49 43	36 15	...	...	...	...	29 01	23 03	35 78	...	...
Dhule . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	37 45	...	...	...	...	30 36	...	...	23 12	...
<b>Muzarat—</b>															
Surat . . . . .	...	...	...	...	50 47	46 28	...	...	...	...	38 18	27 4	...	...	...
Ahmedabad . . . . .	...	...	65	67 5	45	42 5	...	...	...	25	29 37	25	25 62	30 62	...
<b>Central Provinces*</b>															
Western— Nagpur . . . . .	...	...	43	42 31	42	37 25	57 5	50	...	...	30 5	24 19	...	...	...
<b>Central—</b>															
Jabalpur . . . . .	...	...	42 12	50	43 25	39	53 37	48 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Eastern—</b>															
Raipur . . . . .	30	35	35	40	35	36	42	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>															
Akola . . . . .	...	...	40 75	43 5	42 19	34 87	...	...	...	...	28 44	17 19	...	...	...
Amratoti . . . . .	...	...	44 44	42 25	47 06	40 44	...	...	...	...	31 25	19 12	...	...	...
<b>Madras—</b>															
<b>South, central—</b>															
Coimbatore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38 8	31 9	...	...	30 7
Salem . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Central—</b>															
Bellary . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33 9	29 9	...	...	...
Cuddapah . . . . .	30 7	40 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35 5	28	30 4	20 4	...
Karnul . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>East Coast, central—</b>															
Nellore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 7
<b>East Coast, south—</b>															
Madras . . . . .	34 5	30 4	56 3	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore . . . . .	33 9	33 9	...	45 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 6
<b>Southern—</b>															
Madura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38 8	36 3	44 6	40 4	...
<b>Mysore—</b>															
Mysore . . . . .	28	22	64	56	58	52	65	60	...	...	33	24	...	...	30
Bangalore . . . . .	22	22	60	60	54	54	67 76	67 76	...	...	28	28	...	...	26

\* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the price of cleaned rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

RASI	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPESEED		DISTRICTS
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	
...	25	28.9	28.90	35.57	...	...	...	...	...	...	92.86	84.06	...	...	Rajputana—
...	28.75	...	30.62	30.62	35	42.5	...	...	81.87	29.69	60	55	50	45	Eastern— Ajmer
...	...	...	30.16	29.69	66.72	66.72	...	...	88.12	35.02	80	66.72	44.37	...	Delhi— Delhi
...	30.16	28.59	30.78	31.41	47.03	48.44	32.03	38.91	30.78	33.29	55.16	55.16	44.37	47.03	Punjab— Southern— Ferozepur
...	...	...	30.78	30	...	...	...	...	37.5	81.87	60	42.5	50	50	Central— Lahore
...	30	26.72	33.12	33.28	...	...	...	...	...	...	43.75	51.25	42.5	42.66	Submontane— Amritsar
...	29.53	...	31.87	31.87	46.25	60	32.03	31.25	35	35.62	...	...	40	46.87	Northern— Rawalpindi
...	30.05	24.58	32.19	33.31	37.19	45.86	...	...	...	...	...	...	41.3	42.4	Western— Lyallpur Multan
...	30	31.25	31.01	35.31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	N.W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Peshawar Dera Ismael Khan
...	...	...	39.37	30	50	55	...	...	30.62	32.5	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	40	35	...	...	58.75	65	...	...	31.09	32.81	...	...	...	...	Karachi Shikarpur
...	45	43.75	...	...	67.5	60	51.87	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
...	...	...	38.07	33.85	60.1	55.81	37.5	35.73	25.52	26.51	51.77	61.61	...	...	Bombay— Konkan— Bombay
...	...	...	43.49	...	...	...	...	...	22.19	24.22	...	...	...	...	Deccan and Karnatak— Dharwar (Hubli)
...	...	...	51.07	31.84	...	43.44	...	...	...	20.83	...	50.78	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	11.41	35.51	52.92	50.73	...	...	...	28.07	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	35.42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.E. Deccan— Ahmednagar Dhulia
...	...	...	39.74	...	...	...	...	...	...	24.01	...	...	...	...	Gujarat— Surat Ahmedabad
...	...	...	32.5	80.25	55	66.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
...	...	...	34	31.19	...	48.94	...	...	25	21.5	54	...	...	...	Central— Jubbulpore
...	...	...	32	33.31	40	48.5	33.31	44.44	26.69	28.56	41.41	57.12	...	...	Eastern— Raipur
...	...	...	29	30	38	42	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	Berar—
...	...	...	35.94	32.19	41.19	41.62	...	...	22.87	20	50.37	58.5	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	40	36.12	47.06	40.44	...	...	16.37	20	60	63.75	...	...	Amraoti
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras—
...	...	...	55.8	55.8	...	...	...	...	35.2	36	...	...	...	...	South, central— Coimbatore Salem
...	...	...	40.3	46.3	35.3	35.3	...	...	25	28.8	...	...	...	...	Central— Bellary Channarayana Karnul
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, central— Nellore
...	...	...	45.9	42.1	...	...	54.9	58.3	57.3	57.6	...	...	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras Tanjore Trichanopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Southern— Madras
...	...	...	31.5	24	62	60	70	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore— Mysore Bangalore
...	...	...	32	30	68	56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER (concluded)

DISTRICTS	GRAMMUM (Til or Jinjira)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURNERIC		GRASS		STRAW
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer	58 59	74 83	492 84	533 83	67 45	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi— Delhi	62 5	63 75	630	540	70	53 12	26 09	19 37	80	80	165	170	10	10	...
Punjab— Southern— Ferozpur	72 66	...	595 31	512 03	69 53	76 09	33 28	26 72	160	94 06	145 47	122 97	...	...	...
Central— Lahore	56 09	68 91	610	533 28	63 91	66 72	27 5	25	133 28	114 23	188 28	152 34	10	10	...
Sulimane— Amritsar	60	57 5	630	500	50	55	26 25	23 12	90	...	115	142 5	...	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	540	520	46 87	66 56	23 44	26 72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western— Lyallpur	60	...	602 5	492 5	55	50	30 62	25	140	...	150	...	...	...	...
Buland— Buland	52 5	55	580	495	57 19	57 5	32 10	26 56	122 5	110	161 87	180	...	44	10
N.W. Frontier— Province— Peshawar	...	...	568 91	492 19	61 56	83 12	19 63	19 22	94 11	123 07	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	673 75	556 51	57 19	63 14	25	15 36	...	...	...	...	13 33	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan— Karachi	...	...	532 5	515	66 25	55	17 34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	630	550	...	...	28 75	...	38 12	48 12	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	660	580	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay— Konkan— Bombay	65 73	64 27	714 27	542 86	87 08	90 62	25	...	...	...	155 1	131 98	14 37	8 8	...
Dacca and Karnatak— Dharwar	76 31	...	...	...	67 97	70	33 33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bholapur	...	...	425 52	...	69 84	...	...	...	146 09	100 26	...	...	...	...	...
Pooma	...	...	466 07	84 22	65 99	31 56	...	...	196 51	210 52	...	133 33	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.E. Dacca— Ahmednagar	...	...	533 33	475	83 33	94 17	60 52	...	...	...	113 33	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	60 47	...	470	...	85	...	...	...	86 67	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	60 12	670 26	...	...	...	17 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	610	520	...	...	16 23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur	80	63 31	590	550	...	...	32 5	25	110	100	...	120	7	...	7 5
Central— Jubbulpore	57 12	18 31	520	450	...	...	26 69	26 62	106 25	80	177 75	177 75	...	...	...
Eastern— Raipur	...	...	520	475	...	...	29	25	160	160	120	80	...	...	...
Berar— Akola	65 62	57 12	609 5	500	...	...	3 06	22 19	123 81	95 25	...	...	...	...	...
Amravati	74 19	61 5	600	560	...	...	29	22 5	177 81	142 19	...	...	...	3 19	...
Madras— South, central— Chinnabotore	67 2	67 2	557 6	503 1	50 1	57 6	26 2	17 5	...	...	121 6	128	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	488	468	...	...	...	...	171 3	171 3	126 9	85 6	...	...	7 7
Central— Bellary	73 1	62	507 9	537 2	71 4	67 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	559 2	493 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	141 7	113 7	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66 7	82 3	116 9	108 6	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	500	466 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 7
East Coast, south— Madras	...	...	526 7	559 6	59 3	82 3	18 3	15 3	139 9	146 1	141	118 5	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466 7	466 7	...	...	23 4	23 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	540 5	540 5	...	...	28 1	20 6	123 4	123 4	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madras	66 7	66 7	675 7	675 7	...	...	...	...	141 1	141 1	...	...	...	...	15
Mysore— Mysore	60	72	545 59	480	111 41	102 86	...	...	205 73	214 27	184 27	137 13	4 43	5 1	4 43
Bangalore	72	64	548 54	548 54	77 18	77 18	...	...	240	240	120	85 08	8 8	8 8	8 8

\* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 103 per 10 maunds



(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

STRAW			JAWAR STALKS		BHUSA (WHITE)		BRAN		COAL (BENGAL)		SHEEP, PER BOONH		PLOUGH BULLOCKS, PER PAIR		KEROSENE OIL, PER TIN		DISTRICTS
1916	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	
...	17.81	...	...	...	31.98	...	...	...	...	110	{ 80 to 90 }	{ 80 to 90 }	8.25	2.75	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer		
...	10	...	10	11.25	17.5	22.5	7.5	5.62	80	80	250	260	2.58	2.19	Delhi— Delhi		
...	...	...	8.01	7.97	24.22	25	...	...	142	142.5	225	225	3.5	3.09	Punjab— Southern— Ferozepur		
...	...	...	11.41	10.78	26.72	28.59	11.25	7.5	150	150	170	170	3.59	3.12	Central— Lahore		
...	...	...	11.56	10.94	20	22.5	10	7.5	190	120	...	...	3.56	3.12	Submontane— Amritsar		
...	...	...	10.72	12.5	...	...	21.25	7.5	100	90	120	120	3.75	3.28	Northern— Rawalpindi		
...	...	...	8.75	7.97	20	23.12	10	0.87	124	110	180	140	3.53	3.37	Western— Lyallpur		
...	8.12	5	7.94	10	21.81	27.19	...	...	105	100	...	...	3.5	3.19	Multan		
...	...	...	6.82	5.68	19.63	20.21	13.88	9.06	{ 60 to 100 }	{ 60 to 100 }	{ 60 to 200 }	{ 60 to 200 }	3.87	3.37	N.W. Frontier Province— Peshawar		
...	...	...	...	12.71	26.67	28.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.78	3.37	Dera Ismael Khan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Beluchis- tan— Karachi		
...	...	...	10	8.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.03	2.72	Shikarpur
...	...	...	11.87	10	27.5	30.47	12.86	11.02	{ 120 to 220 }	{ 120 to 220 }	...	...	3.47	2.97	Quetta		
...	...	...	...	...	16.98	19.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.06	2.84	Bombay— Konkan— Bombay		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86.25	...	...	3.5	2.94	Deccan and Karná- tak— Dharwar		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.41	2.91	Sholapur		
...	...	...	...	...	24.27	25.78	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.11	2.8	Poona		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.39	2.08	Dhulia		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.31	2.91	Gujarat— Surat		
...	...	...	...	...	22.5	26.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.44	3.19	Ahmedabad		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provin- ces— Western— Nagpur		
...	21	...	...	...	...	...	7.75	5.56	60	{ 65 to 75 }	125	{ 130 to 195 }	2.25	2.31	Central— Jubbulpore		
...	...	...	...	...	26.69	30	...	...	60	60	70	70	2.14	2.12	Eastern— Raipur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.62	2.23	Berar— Akola		
...	...	4.25	...	...	...	...	...	6.44	5	90	97	64	60	2.62	2.5	Amravati	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	70	70	70	3.37	2.12	Madras— South, Central— Coimbatore	
...	6.1	4	...	...	90.5	90.4	...	...	...	...	60	60	3.19	2.95	Salem		
...	7.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	3.03	2.53	Central— Bellary	
...	10.8	10.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3.36	3.02	Cuddapah	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.16	2.88	Karnul	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.75	3.31	East Coast, Central— Nellore	
...	5.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.11	2.04	East Coast, South— Madras	
...	...	...	...	...	26.5	30.9	14.8	5.9	203†	183†	...	...	...	...	2.06	...	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	10.5	15.2	...	...	15†	170†	...	...	...	...	2.74	2.75	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	38.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.56	3.1	Southern— Madura
...	15	...	...	...	20.4	20.4	...	...	...	...	60	60	3.5	2.69	Mysore— Mysore		
...	5.1	4.48	4.48	...	40	40	15.42	15.42	{ 50 to 100 }	{ 50 to 100 }	{ 50 to 100 }	{ 50 to 100 }	3.75	3.5	Bangalore		
...	8.8	...	...	...	33.8	33.8	...	...	160	160	{ 120 to 150 }	{ 120 to 150 }	3.25	2.62			

Superior quality

† Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER, 1917

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR GUMRU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
					Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month				
<b>Burma—</b>												
<b>Tenasserim—</b>												
Mergul . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	11 13	11 12	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	12 2	12 2	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
<b>Pegu (deltaic)—</b>												
Pegu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon . . . . .	...	...	...	...	13 4	12 11	14 9	13 14	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . . .	4 10	4 10	...	...	12 2	11 3	14 9	13 4	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
<b>Pegu (inland)—</b>												
Tharawadi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 12	9 6	18 2	15 9	...	...	...	...
Henzada . . . . .	5 5	5 5	...	...	13 4	13 4	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Trame . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 9	13 4	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 3	10 7	13 4	12 2	...	...	...	...
Thayetnyo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	11 10	12 2	...	...	...	...
<b>Upper Burma—</b>												
Mandalay . . . . .	8 —	7 12	...	...	9 6	8 13	13 2	11 3	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 7	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pak'kka . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Moiktila . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 3	12 2	14 9	16 3	...	...	...	...
<b>Arakan—</b>												
Sandoway . . . . .	2 10	2 10	...	...	12 12	11 9	15 14	14 2	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpada . . . . .	8 8	8 8	...	...	10 —	9 —	12 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Assam—</b>												
<b>Burma—</b>												
Sylhet . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 8	6 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Cachar . . . . .	4 —	4 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 4	10 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Hill Tracts—</b>												
Khási and Jaintia Hills . . . . .	6 2	6 10	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur* . . . . .	...	16 —	...	...	...	19 —	...	20 8	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Brahmaputra—</b>												
Goáipara* . . . . .	...	14 —	...	...	...	4 —	...	8 —	...	...	...	...
Kámróp (Gauhati) . . . . .	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur . . . . .	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>												
<b>Kámróp—</b>												
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	...	...	...	...
Nonkhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 8	...	...	...	...
Maimonsingh . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 9	...	...	...	...
Tippura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 6	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Dacca—</b>												
Khulna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 4	...	...	...	...
Calcutta . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hooghly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...
Jessore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. \* Figures have not so far been reported.

**[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]**

MARUA OR RAGI ( <i>Elousine coracana</i> )		KANGNI OR KARUN, ITALIAN MILLET ( <i>Setaria italica</i> )		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA ( <i>Cicer arielinum</i> )		MAIZE ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		ARHAR DÁL ( <i>Cajanus Indicus</i> )		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 3	Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 7	9 7	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	9 14	10 4	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 8	Moulmein and
...	...	...	...	7 —	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Amherst
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 8	9 8	Pegu
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 5	9 5	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 7	...	...	5 9	5 9	8 2	8 2	Maubin
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Bassein
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	8 5	8 5	Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	19 10	19 10	6 6	6 6	8 —	8 —	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Honzada
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	32 1	32 1	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Prone
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 14	15 14	3 4	3 4	9 8	9 8	Toangoo
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Thayctmyo
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...	6 8	5 —	Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	5 —	5 —	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 8	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	8 12	8 14	9 12	9 12	7 —	7 1	7 5	7 10	Pakókka
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Meiktila
...	...	...	...	...	4 —	...	20 —	...	5 —	...	6 8	Arakan—
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 4	6 4	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	5 8	Kyaukpaya
...	...	...	...	...	10 —	...	17 —	...	8 —	...	9 —	Akyab
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	Assam—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	Burma—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	6 8	8 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	Cachar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	5 8	8 —	8 —	Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 —	6 —	Khasi and Jaintia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	10 4	10 4	Garo Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 8	10 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	8 —	8 —	Naga Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	8 8	8 8	Lushai Hills
...	...	...	...	...	10 —	...	17 —	...	8 —	...	9 —	Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	Kamráp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	6 8	8 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	5 8	8 —	8 —	Sibsagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	8 —	8 —	8 —	Lakhimpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 —	6 —	Bengal—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	10 4	10 4	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 8	10 —	Nonkhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	8 —	8 —	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	8 8	8 8	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	8 —	8 —	8 —	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 4	Deltaw—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	7 4	10 —	10 8	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	24 Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	8 —	13 5	13 5	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	5 8	11 8	9 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 4	8 —	8 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR CUMBU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Best sort	Common	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre-vious half-month
<b>Bengal—continued</b>												
<i>Western—</i>												
Bankura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Birbhum . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	10 12	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Pahna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
Malda . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Pogra . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Darjeeling . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
<b>Bihar and Orissa—</b>												
<i>Bihar, north—</i>												
Purnea . . . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur . . . . .	10 —	10 8	19 6	21 4	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga . . . . .	9 14	9 5	18 11	17 9	...	...	10 7	9 5	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . . . .	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Saran . . . . .	10 —	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Champaran . . . . .	9 8	10 8	18 —	19 8	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, south—</i>												
Santhal Parganas . . . . .	10 8	8 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr . . . . .	9 —	9 3	21 —	...	...	...	9 —	8 11	...	...	...	...
Gaya . . . . .	8 11	9 3	18 —	19 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...
Patna . . . . .	9 8	9 —	18 —	19 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	18 —	18 —	...	...
Shahabad . . . . .	11 —	11 —	19 —	19 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Singbhum . . . . .	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Manbhum . . . . .	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	10 8	11 —	...	...	...	14 —
Ranchi . . . . .	8 8	8 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	7 12	...	...	9 8	9 —
Palaman . . . . .	10 11	10 2	15 3	16 14	...	...	9 —	8 7	...	...	...	...
Hazribagh . . . . .	8 —	8 —	11 —	13 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>												
Puri . . . . .	8 12	8 8	...	...	...	...	9 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack . . . . .	9 8	9 3	...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore . . . . .	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	12 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur . . . . .	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 —	...	...	...	...
<b>United Provinces—</b>												
<i>(a) AGRA—</i>												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Mirzapur . . . . .	8 8	9 —	14 8	15 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	17 —	12 —	12 —
Benares . . . . .	9 6 1/2	9 4 1/2	14 1 1/2	14 6	6 10	6 8	8 2 1/2	7 14 1/2	14 1 1/2	13 13	14 1 1/2	13 13
Ghazipur . . . . .	9 —	9 3	14 7	15 11	5 —	5 —	8 15	8 14	14 5	14 5	...	13 12
Jaunpur . . . . .	9 8	9 12	15 6	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 6	8 12	...	...	...	...
Allahabad . . . . .	9 4	...	15 4	...	4 8	...	8 8	...	13 12	...	13 4	...
<i>Central—</i>												
Banda . . . . .	10 8	10 8	14 4	14 12	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	17 8	16 8	...	...
Fatehpur . . . . .	9 8	10 4	16 —	17 —	8 8	3 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur . . . . .	9 10	10 10	13 12	13 12	4 12	4 12	7 4	7 4	14 2	14 4	12 12	12 12
Jaloun . . . . .	10 4	10 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	6 12	6 8	16 —	17 —	...	...
Cawnpore . . . . .	9 —	9 4	13 12	14 —	...	...	7 6	7 2	14 4	14 8	18 8	18 12
Jhansi . . . . .	9 10	8 15	14 15	...	4 12	4 12	7 10	7 8	13 15	...	18 9	15 14
Etawah . . . . .	9 12	10 2	14 4	15 6	8 —	8 —	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Farrukhabad . . . . .	9 14	9 14	14 10	13 15	4 2	4 2	8 14	8 14	...	...	...	...
Meerut . . . . .	11 —	11 —	15 8	16 —	5 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	15 —	...	...
Etah . . . . .	11 —	11 —	16 —	15 8	4 —	4 —	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Western—</i>												
Meerut . . . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	13 8	8 —	8 —	8 —	7 4	...	...	...	...
Agra . . . . .	8 8	...	13 8	...	5 12	...	6 4	...	15 —	...	15 4	...
Mathra . . . . .	10 2	10 —	14 —	14 —	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	16 —	17 —	16 —	18 8
Aligarh . . . . .	10 12	10 8	14 8	15 8	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	17 —	17 8	16 —	15 8
Bulandshahr . . . . .	10 8	10 8	14 8	14 8	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Submontane, east—</i>												
Ballia . . . . .	9 12	9 2	17 8	16 14	5 3	5 3	9 12	9 2	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh . . . . .	10 —	10 —	14 8	15 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur . . . . .	10 2	10 4	15 12	10 8	7 12	7 12	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Basti</b> . . . . .	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...

**[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]**

RASI OR MAHUA ( <i>Elaeagnus coracana</i> )		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET ( <i>Setaria italica</i> )		GRAM, CHHUNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA ( <i>Ocra aristinum</i> )		MAIZE ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		ARHAR DÁL ( <i>Cajanus Indicus</i> )		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	6 8	10 —	10 8	<b>Bengal—continued</b>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	...	<i>Western—</i>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	18 —	12 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	Bardwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Murshidabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Northern—</i>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 —	9 —	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	9 —	9 —	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 4	8 4	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	8 —	9 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	...	8 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	...	7 —	7 —	<i>Hills—</i>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darjeeling
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	18 —	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	<b>Bihar and Orissa—</b>
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 8	29 —	24 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	<i>Bihar, north—</i>
20 14	22 —	...	...	15 15	15 6	20 14	18 11	9 5	8 13	12 1	13 3	Purnea
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	17 —	17 —	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	Bhagalpur
15 —	15 —	7 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	18 —	16 8	17 —	18 —	8 12	9 8	Darbhanga
21 —	21 —	...	...	17 —	18 —	21 —	16 —	11 —	11 4	8 12	9 —	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	40 —	40 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	12 12	Saran
...	...	...	...	12 1	13 10	16 13	16 13	11 2	12 12	8 8	8 8	Champanan
19 —	20 —	12 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	18 8	19 —	11 —	10 8	9 1	10 —	<i>Bihar, south—</i>
...	...	12 8	13 —	17 —	17 —	21 —	21 —	11 8	11 8	8 —	8 8	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 —	16 —	15 —	10 —	9 8	10 —	12 —	Monghyr
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 8	Gaya
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	16 6	16 —	8 8	8 8	10 —	9 —	Patna
30 —	27 —	...	...	11 8	12 —	16 —	14 —	8 4	8 —	9 —	9 —	Shahabad
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 10	...	...	10 11	10 11	12 6	10 8	<i>Chota Nagpur —</i>
17 —	17 —	...	...	11 —	12 —	16 —	16 —	8 8	8 —	8 —	8 —	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 14	16 —	16 —	Masbhum
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Banchi
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 4	7 2	8 —	8 —	Palaman
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 4	...	...	2 —	8 —	11 —	12 —	Hazaribagh
...	...	...	...	14 8	16 —	14 8	20 —	10 8	12 —	11 —	14 —	<i>Orissa—</i>
...	...	13 —	11 15	15 14	16 24	...	...	10 5	10 9	13 15	12 15	Puri
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	21 18	20 11	11 8	11 8	13 7	14 2	<b>United Provinces—</b>
...	...	...	...	15 8	15 6	...	...	12 4	12 2	14 —	14 —	(a) AGRA—
...	...	...	...	15 8	...	...	...	12 8	...	14 4	...	<i>Eastern—</i>
...	...	...	...	14 4	14 8	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 1	14 4	Mirzapur
...	...	...	...	14 4	15 4	...	...	12 8	13 —	13 —	14 —	Banares
...	...	...	...	14 2	14 12	...	...	10 4	10 4	15 —	15 —	Bhazipur
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	9 4	9 —	...	...	Ghazipur
...	...	13 8	13 4	14 —	14 —	24 —	21 —	10 8	10 8	...	14 8	Jannpur
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 4	...	...	8 4	8 2	12 8	14 8	Allahabad
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 12	16 —	17 8	12 —	12 —	14 —	15 —	<i>Central—</i>
...	...	...	...	14 10	13 15	18 9	18 9	10 15	11 4	14 5	14 5	Banda
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 —	20 —	21 —	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 —	21 —	21 —	12 —	12 —	11 —	14 8	Hamirpur
9 —	...	...	...	12 12	13 —	15 —	...	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	Jalaun
...	...	...	...	12 —	...	16 —	...	9 8	...	...	...	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 —	20 —	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	Jhansi
...	...	10 —	10 —	13 8	14 —	17 8	18 —	10 4	10 12	14 —	14 4	Etawah
...	...	...	...	18 8	13 8	17 —	16 —	12 8	12 8	14 —	16 —	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	17 10	16 14	20 12	16 14	11 1	11 —	9 12	13 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	14 8	15 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	Etah
...	...	...	...	14 14	15 —	18 8	...	11 10	11 12	13 4	13 8	<i>Western—</i>
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	11 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	Meerut
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Agra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muttra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Rulandshahr</i>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Sulmontane, east—</i>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ballia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR GUMBU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoidum</i> )	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
					Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month				
United Provinces— continued												
(a) AGRA—continued												
Bulmuntane, west—	10 4	10 8	16 —	15 4	4 —	4 —	10 —	8 8	—	—	—	—
Shahjahanpur	10 1	10 4	15 10	15 10	3 8	3 8	7 —	6 12	14 —	14 —	11 —	—
Budaun	11 8	11 8	16 8	16 8	4 8	4 8	10 —	10 —	—	—	—	—
Pilibit	10 4	10 5	15 9	15 15	4 6	4 6	8 6	8 5	14 8	14 8	13 —	—
Bareilly	10 2	10 2	15 4	15 8	3 12	3 12	9 —	9 —	—	—	—	—
Moradabad	10 8	10 10	15 12	16 4	3 —	3 —	7 —	6 12	—	—	—	—
Rijnor	10 2	9 14	14 4	14 4	6 9	6 9	7 10	7 10	14 —	14 4	13 2	1 1
Muzaffarnagar	9 13	9 13	13 13	14 14	4 —	4 —	7 3	7 3	12 12	12 12	—	—
Saharanpur	9 8	9 8	15 —	10 8	2 12	2 12	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	11 —	—
Dehra-Dun	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hills—												
Naini Tal	7 8	—	11 —	—	3 —	—	6 —	—	10 —	—	9 —	—
Almora	7 8	—	10 8	—	2 12	—	6 4	—	—	—	—	—
Garhwal*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 8	10 —	13 8	14 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	—	—	—	—
Sultanpur	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	7 8	—	10 —	10 —	—	—	—	—
Bae-Bareilly	10 —	10 6	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 14	—	13 —	12 —	13 —
Unao	9 4	—	14 4	—	4 8	—	8 8	—	—	—	—	—
Lucknow	9 4	9 4	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 8	8 8	—	—	—	—
Hardoi	10 9	10 8	15 —	15 6	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	—	—	—	—
Northern—												
Fyzabad	10 2	9 10	14 —	15 —	—	—	—	7 15	—	—	10 8	10 8
Barabanki	10 4	10 6	14 12	14 12	4 4	4 4	10 2	10 4	12 12	11 8	12 2	11 6
Gonda	10 8	—	14 12	—	5 —	—	8 8	—	17 —	—	16 —	—
Bahraich	10 8	10 8	16 8	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 8	10 —	—	—	—	—
Sitapur	10 —	10 —	15 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Kheri	10 8	10 8	16 —	17 —	3 —	3 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	13 —	13 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Jawar (Udaipur)	9 13	10 3	17 14	17 14	5 3	5 4	5 8	5 9	23 10	23 11	14 2	14 2
Ajmer	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
Kishanganj	9 —	9 8	13 —	14 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	16 —
Tonk	7 2	7 2	12 1	12 —	4 6	4 6	7 10	5 8	14 4	15 5	13 2	13 2
Jaipur	9 4	9 12	12 10	13 14	4 14	4 14	5 3	5 2	14 7	15 7	12 13	13 6
Kanali	10 15	10 10	14 6	16 4	7 8	7 8	8 2	8 12	16 4	19 12	16 4	17 13
Dholpur	10 1	10 —	13 15	14 4	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	15 —	15 —	15 7	16 10
Bharatpur*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alwar	10 2	10 7	13 15	15 1	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	16 13	16 14	15 15	17 2
Nasirabad	8 12	9 —	—	—	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —
Western—												
Bikaner	8 —	8 4	11 8	11 8	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Jaisalmer	7 4	7 8	—	—	4 —	4 —	5 14	5 10	12 —	12 12	11 10	11 12
Jodhpur	{ 9 5 to 10 —	{ 9 6 and 10 —	15 9	15 12	5 3	5 8	6 8	6 8	16 9	16 —	{ 16 — and 17 11 }	16 —
Central India—												
Indore	9 —	9 4	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 —	13 —	14 8	13 —	12 8
Neemuch	9 8	10 8	—	—	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	14 —	16 8	11 8	11 8
Gwalior	8 12	8 12	—	—	4 12	1 12	6 8	6 8	—	—	—	—
Delhi—												
Delhi	9 4	9 6	12 8	13 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 8	13 —	13 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	9 —	10 4	15 —	15 —	—	—	7 —	7 —	—	—	18 4	16 4
Ferozepur	10 —	10 —	14 12	14 12	—	—	7 —	7 —	15 8	14 8	14 —	14 —
Central—												
Lahore	9 4	9 4	14 —	14 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 —
Gujranwala	9 14	10 2	14 8	15 8	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	—	—
Gujrat	10 —	10 —	14 —	15 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	14 —	14 —
Jhelam	9 8	9 12	15 —	14 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	11 8	14 —	12 —

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RASI OR MARUA (Eleusine coracana)		KARONI OR KARUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Oryza aristivum)		MAISE (Zea Mays)		ANJAN DIL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 —	13 —	13 —	9 —	9 —	13 —	15 —	Punjab—continued
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	15 —	South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	13 12	Gurgaon
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	12 12	12 12	15 —	15 —	9 12	9 12	13 —	15 —	Rohatak
...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 8	15 —	15 —	9 —	8 8	13 —	20 —	Karnal
...	...	8 8	8 8	12 4	12 12	12 —	13 —	...	...	14 —	11 —	Submontane—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 —	14 —	...	...	13 —	8 —	Ambala
...	...	13 12	14 4	12 12	12 12	15 12	15 4	8 12	8 8	14 —	13 9	Ludhiana
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	13 —	18 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 4	10 —	10 8	6 —	6 —	9 —	10 —	Hoshiarpur
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	11 8	11 8	Gurdaspur
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 —	12 8	12 8	9 —	9 —	16 8	14 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	12 8	12 —	5 4	5 4	15 —	17 —	Sialkot
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	14 —	15 8	Hills—
14 —	14 —	11 8	11 8	12 —	12 4	12 —	11 —	...	...	11 —	12 —	Simla
...	...	13 4	13 4	12 8	12 8	12 —	11 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	16 —	Kangra
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 —	13 —	11 4	8 4	8 4	12 —	15 —	Northern—
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 6	...	...	...	8 —	13 —	18 —	Rawalpindi
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...	10 —	17 —	Attock
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 15	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	Western—
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	14 4	14 8	...	...	12 —	13 —	Shahpur
...	...	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 —	11 11	11 11	10 7	10 7	19 13	21 2	Jhang
...	...	13 11	13 11	11 8	11 8	12 6	12 6	...	...	22 —	22 —	Lyalpur
...	...	11 —	11 —	11 9	11 11	13 2	11 14	...	...	23 2	23 7	Multan
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 14	...	16 —	...	...	16 —	14 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 12	...	...	18 —	18 —	Dera Ghazi Khan
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	N.W. P. Province—
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	...	...	...	Hazara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Peshawar
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Kohat
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	Bannu
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	5 8	5 11	11 6	11 4	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 2	9 7 to 8 7	8 7 to 9 7	6 13	6 10	...	...	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wano
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karachi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Konkan—
12 8	13 8	...	...	8 11	9 10	...	...	6 4	6 4	12 12	12 12	Karwar
10 2	10 2	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	5 6	5 6	11 15	11 15	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	6 5	6 5	17 9	17 9	Alibag
...	...	...	...	7 12	8 2	...	...	6 2	6 12	13 8	13 8	Bombay
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	6 8	6 8	15 12	15 12	Thana
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Deccan and Karnatak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Satara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.E.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nasik
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dhule
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jalgaon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Broach
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kaira
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Baroda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dasa
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajkot
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provinces—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nimar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Betul
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER, 1917—concluded

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR CHOLU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
<i>continued</i>												
<b>Central—</b>												
Narsinghpur . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	7 1	7 1	15 1	15 1	...	...
Saugor . . .	9 8	9 12	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	15 —	...	...
Damoh . . .	10 6	10 6	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Jubbulpore . . .	9 —	9 12	...	...	5 8	6 —	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Mandla . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 1	6 1	9 7	9 7	...	...	...	...
Seoni . . .	10 4	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Balaghat . . .	10 15	10 3	...	...	5 11	5 11	11 8	9 13	...	...	...	...
Bhandara . . .	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	14 1	14 1	...	...
Chanda . . .	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	12 8	12 8	...	...
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Bilaspur . . .	9 14	10 11	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	10 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur . . .	11 —	1 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Drug . . .	11 2	11 11	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>												
Buldana . . .	8 7	8 11	...	...	4 15	4 15	7 —	7 —	14 9	16 —	...	...
Akola . . .	8 15	8 15	...	...	4 11	4 11	8 13	8 13	12 3	12 3	...	...
Amritoli . . .	8 1	8 1	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	12 —	12 —	...	...
Yotmal . . .	9 7	9 7	...	...	4 9	4 9	8 12	8 12	18 —	13 —	...	...
<b>Hyderabad—</b>												
Secunderabad . . .	6 7	7 —	...	9 2	4 1	4 1	7 4	7 15	10 8	10 8	11 8	11 1
<b>Madras—</b>												
<b>Malabar Coast—</b>												
Malabar . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 8	...	...	...	...
S. Canara . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	...	...	...	...
<b>South, central—</b>												
Coimbatore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	10 8	10 8	...	...
Nilgiris . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 6	11 6	9 4	9 9
<b>Central—</b>												
Bellary . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Anantapur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	13 8	13 8	...	...
Cuddapah . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	11 —	11 —	...	...
<b>East Coast, north—</b>												
Ganjam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 5	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godavari . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	6 13	...	...	20 —	20 —
<b>East Coast, central—</b>												
Kistna . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	9 12	9 12	...	...
Guntur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 13	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8
Nellore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 14	11 7	11 7	...	...
<b>East Coast, south—</b>												
Madras . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	...	...	...	...
Chingleput . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 5	11 10
Tanjore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 12	11 12	11 10	11 10
<b>Southern—</b>												
Tinnevely . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 9	12 9	10 4	10 4
Madura . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 13	9 13	8 9	8 9
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore . . .	6 8	6 8	4 12	4 12	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	12 8	12 8	...	...
Bangalore . . .	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
<b>Coorg—</b>												
Coorg . . .	5 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	5 4	5 4	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Aden . . .</b>	4 6	4 6	...	...	8 9	8 9	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	4 13	4 13





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Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING					
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th Septem- ber 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port . . .	Karachi (white)* .	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9
	Ferozepur . . .	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Lyallpur . . .	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar . . .	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan . . .	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi . . .	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6
Delhi . . .	Ambala . . .	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6
	Delhi . . .	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
United Provinces	Benares . . .	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5
	Aligarh (Hathras). . .	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8
	Cawnpore . . .	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
	Meerut . . .	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur . . .	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0
	Agra . . .	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1
	Fyzabad . . .	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3
Central Provinces and Berar.	Lucknow . . .	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
	Nagpur . . .	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11
	Jubbulpore . . .	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1
	Raipur . . .	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola . . .	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7
	Peshawar . . .	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...
	Ahmednagar . . .	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7
	Ahmedabad . . .	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar (Hubli) . . .	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna . . .	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur . . .	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur . . .	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi . . .	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0
	Cuttack . . .	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4
Bengal . . .	Dacca . . .	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur . . .	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moul- mein). . .	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay . . .	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5
Index Numbers (a).		100	100	102	103	104	105

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 80% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above, which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 16 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 1 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 1 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

		FORTNIGHT ENDING								
Port or province.		Market.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Port	{	Karachi (white)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	
		Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Posay).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...	
		Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	
Panjab	{	Lahore	4 13 6	4 8 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0	
		Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	
		Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	
		Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 8	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	
		Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0	
		Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	3 13 0	
Delhi	{	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 6 0	
		Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	
United Provinces	{	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	
		Aligarh (Hathras)	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	
		Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	1 9 0	
		Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	
		Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	
		Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	
		Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	
Central Provinces and Berar.	{	Lucknow	4 5 3	4 5 8	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	
		Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	
		Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	
		Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	
North-West Frontier Province.	{	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	
		Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	
Baluchistan	{	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	
Bombay	{	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	
		Ahmednagar	4 1 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	
		Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	
		Dharwar (Hubli)	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	
Bihar and Orissa	{	Patna	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	
		Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	
		Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	
		Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	
		Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	
Bengal	{	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	
Burma	{	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	
		Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
(Median Average)			4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	
Index Numbers (a)			114	109	103	104	104	106	107	

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.



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FORTNIGHT ENDING										
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3
...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5
4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 12 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 8	4 3 8	4 3 6
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 6 0	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 7 6	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8
4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0
4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0
4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4
4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7
4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10
4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5
3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2
4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7
3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 5	4 12 6	4 10 6
5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8
4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4
3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8
4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6
4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 8	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3
108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117	117	118

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Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port . . .	Karachi (white)* .	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9	4 4 0		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0		
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3		
	Ferozepur . .	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9		
	Lyallpur . . .	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0		
	Amritsar . . .	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0		
	Multan . . .	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 3 8		
	Rawalpindi . .	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0		
Delhi . . .	Amabala . . .	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0		
	Delhi . . .	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0		
United Provinces . .	Benares . . .	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 2 2		
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1		
	Cawnpore . . .	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0		
	Meerut . . .	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0		
	Shahjahanpur .	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0		
	Agra . . .	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7		
	Fyzabad . . .	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6		
Central Provinces and Berar . .	Lucknow . . .	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8		
	Nagpur . . .	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0		
	Jubbulpore . .	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7		
	Raipur . . .	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2		
	Akola . . .	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 3 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4		
North-West Frontier Province . .	Peshawar . . .	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4		
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0		
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0		
	Ahmednagar . .	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8		
	Ahmedabad . . .	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10		
Bihar and Orissa . .	Patna . . .	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 3 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0		
	Bhagalpur . . .	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0		
	Muzaffarpur . .	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0		
	Ranchi . . .	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Cuttack . . .	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4		
Bengal . . .	Rangpur . . .	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0		
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1		
	Mandalay . . .	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1		
	(Median Average) .	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0		
Index Numbers(a) .		117	117	114	113	101	95	92	92		

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FORTNIGHT ENDING													
15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th Septem- ber 1916.	30th Septem- ber 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	3 4 3	3 4 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3
4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 9 6
4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0
3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 1 6
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
3 2 0	3 3 0	3 3 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6
3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 9 0
3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6
3 10 3	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0
3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	3 15 0
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 1 6
4 1 1	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11
3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 1 9
3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	3 14 6
1 7 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1
3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6
3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7
3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 0 10
3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7
3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2
3 18 4	3 18 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	3 12 7
4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	4 13 0
4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	...
3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 8 1
4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 10 6
3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 7 6
4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
4 8 1	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	5 0 8
3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94	94	97	97

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

		FORTNIGHT ENDING									
Port or province.	District.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	
Punjab	Lahore	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	
	Ferozepur	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	
	Lyallpur	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	
	Amritsar	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	4 13 6	
	Multan	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	
	Rawalpindi	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	
Delhi	Ambala	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	
	Delhi	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	7 0	
United Provinces	Benares	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 5 10	4 5 0	
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	
	Meerut	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	
	Agra	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	
	Fyzabad	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	
Central Provinces and Berar	Lucknow	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	
	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 6	4 1 11	3 13 2	
	Jubbulpore	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 2	
	Raipur	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	
North-West Frontier Province	Akola	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	
	Peshawar	1 4 3	1 4 3	4 4 9	1 5 8	1 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 7	
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	
Bombay	Poona	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	...	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	
	Ahmednagar	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	
	Ahmedabad	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 8 2	...	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	
	Bhagalpur	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	
	Muzaffarpur	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
	Ranchi	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	
	Cuttack	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	1 11 3	1 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
	Mandalay	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	
(Median Average)		4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	
Index Numbers (b)		110	108	107	110	107	106	106	106	104	

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Prices at ports after 30th September, 1917, are as follows—

Ports	Rate per	On 5th October 1917.	On 12th October 1917.	On 19th October 1917.	On 26th October 1917.	On 2nd November 1917.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 11 9	4 12 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	"	4 12 0	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 1 7	5 2 3
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 6	(c)	4 12 0

(b) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100

(c) Not reported

India per maund of 82½ lbs—*consolid.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th September 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 13 3	4 13 3	4 5 3	4 7 3	4 7 3	4 7 3	4 7 9	4 10 9	4 8 3	4 9 3	4 11 9	4 11 9	Nil
4 10 11	4 9 10	4 10 7	4 11 8	4 13 11	4 15 4	4 14 7	4 13 2	...	4 6 6	4 10 7	4 11 8	+1
4 11 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 12 6	+0
4 8 3	4 3 3	3 18 0	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 9	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	Nil
3 14 6	3 14 6	3 10 8	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	Nil
4 1 0	4 2 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	+2
3 15 0	4 0 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	+3
4 1 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
4 9 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	+1
3 15 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 0	1 0 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
4 7 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 15 3	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 3	4 3 0	+1
3 8 1	4 3 1	4 1 2	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 1 7	-2
3 14 6	3 13 0	3 11 5	3 14 4	3 14 5	3 14 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 9	3 14 6	-5
3 14 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	+3
4 1 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	4 1 6	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 12 11	-2
3 12 0	3 8 3	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 11 3	3 11 6	3 12 6	3 11 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 14 0	+6
4 9 1	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	Nil
4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 1 6	...	...	1 3 4	4 2 0	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	Nil
3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 0	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	Nil
4 0 4	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 1 10	4 3 2	4 3 2	Nil
4 1 8	3 14 5	3 10 2	3 11 6	3 15 2	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 10 10	4 0 0	4 5 2	+3
3 12 10	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Nil
3 7 6	3 10 11	3 3 7	3 11 11	4 3 6	4 3 6	1 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	Nil
4 10 2	4 2 1	4 2 10	4 2 11	4 2 1	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 2 6	4 2 6	1 2 1	-1
5 5 0	5 5 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	4 13 6	4 12 10	4 14 6	5 0 6	+3
...	4 10 5	4 9 4	4 14 11	4 13 9	5 3 4	5 4 5	5 4 5	5 2 2	5 4 5	5 3 4	5 2 2	-1
3 15 5	3 13 7	3 12 8	4 0 5	4 2 2	4 4 1	4 7 9	4 5 11	4 6 10	4 11 5	4 6 10	4 15 1	+12
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	+3
3 9 4	3 2 6	3 7 11	3 6 1	3 11 8	3 11 8	3 11 8	4 1 7	4 1 8	4 1 8	3 11 8	4 8 11	+22
3 15 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Nil
3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	+7
4 0 0	4 0 0	3 5 8	3 5 3	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
5 12 0	4 14 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	Nil
4 5 8	4 5 8	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 4	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	Nil
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Nil
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	Nil
3 14 1	3 14 1	3 7 8	3 8 5	3 8 7	3 14 1	3 14 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 10 2	-4
4 0 8	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 1 6	4 0 2	4 0 11	4 2 10	4 1 10	4 1 10	4 2 10	4 3 3	+1
98	97	92	94	99	97	98	101	99	99	101	102	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 30th September as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th September	30th September	Increase or Decrease.	15th September	30th September	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India	100	101	+1	100	98	-2
Punjab	100	100	Nil	100	98	-2
United Provinces	100	98	-2	100	100	Nil
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	103	+3	100	95	-5

## B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING					
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay . . .	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta . . .	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur . . .	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar . . .	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi . . .	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur . . .	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan . . .	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala . . .	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares . . .	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore . . .	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut . . .	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra . . .	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow . . .	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh . . .	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur . . .	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar	Fyzabad . . .	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
	Nagpur . . .	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore . . .	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur . . .	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Akola . . .		8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar . . .	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad . . .	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar . . .	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna . . .	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur . . .	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur . . .	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi . . .	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack . . .	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal . . .	Dacca . . .	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad . . .	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda . . .	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moul- mein) . . .	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay . . .	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average) .	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers(a) .	100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	30th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0 5 14 7 8	7 8 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 5	7 0 5 8 ...	7 0 5 8 ...	6 8 4 14 ...	6 6 5 3 ...	7 8 5 3 ...	7 8 5 8 ...
9 4 9 4 10 0 10 4 9 8 9 8 9 12	8 4 8 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 12	8 0 8 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 6	8 4 8 8 9 0 9 6 9 0 9 0 8 0	8 0 8 8 8 8 9 0 8 4 8 4 8 0	8 0 8 2 8 10 8 14 8 4 8 0 7 12	7 8 7 12 8 2 8 0 7 4 7 12 7 6	6 8 6 12 7 2 7 4 6 10 7 0 6 8	7 4 8 0 7 4 8 8 8 0 7 0 6 8	7 8 7 12 8 0 8 8 8 4 8 8 7 0	7 12 7 12 7 12 9 0 8 4 8 12 6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8 8 4 8 8 8 0 8 8 8 12 9 8 9 8	8 6 7 8 8 0 7 0 7 12 7 4 8 8 8 12	8 1½ 7 4 7 8 6 8 7 8 7 4 8 0 7 14	7 9 7 4 8 0 7 0 7 0 7 0 8 2 7 12	7 7 7 4 7 12 7 0 7 0 7 0 7 14 7 12	7 3 7 0 7 0 6 12 6 12 7 0 7 0 7 2	7 1 6 12 6 8 6 8 7 0 7 0 7 4 7 0	5 9 6 0 5 12 5 12 6 4 6 12 6 12 6 4	6 6 6 8 6 8 5 12 6 4 6 0 6 12 6 6	6 12 6 12 7 4 7 0 7 14 6 0 6 4 8 5	7 5 7 12 6 4 6 0 8 0 5 14 7 4 8 2
8 4 8 8 9 8 7 6	8 5 8 0 8 0 7 6	8 5 8 0 7 4 7 6	8 8 7 8 7 8 7 6	8 4 7 8 7 8 6 5	7 0 7 0 7 0 5 4	6 6 6 8 6 0 5 6	6 6 6 0 6 0 6 5	7 11 6 8 6 0 6 5	8 4 6 8 7 8 7 6	8 15 8 4 10 0 7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13 6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	9 4 6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	8 14 6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	8 12 6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	8 12 6 8 5 14 6 8 8 2	8 12 5 9 5 14 6 8 8 2	8 10½ 5 9 5 14 6 0 8 2	8 2½ 5 9 6 10 6 0 8 2	7 4½ 6 13 7 6 6 8 9 9	7 1 6 13 8 2 7 0 9 9	7 8½ 7 2 8 2 7 8 10 0
10 0 9 0 8 8 8 0 7 14	9 0 8 4 8 0 7 8 7 8	9 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	8 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	7 8 7 8 7 0 6 12 7 3	7 2 7 0 6 8 6 4 7 3	7 0 6 4 6 0 6 4 7 3	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 12 6 14 5 8 6 4 6 9	7 8 8 4 5 8 8 0 6 9
7 8 9 8 9 8	7 4 9 8 9 8	7 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 8 8 7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 7 5	5 10 7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

B--Retail prices of

		FORTNIGHT ENDING							
Port or province.	District.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	
Port	Karachi . . .	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	
	Bombay * . .	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Punjab	Lahore . . .	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	
	Ferozepur . . .	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	
	Amritsar . . .	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	
	Lyallpur . . .	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	
	Multan . . .	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	
	Ambala . . .	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	
Delhi	Delhi . . .	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	
United Provinces.	Benares . . .	7 12	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	
	Cawnpore . . .	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	
	Meerut . . .	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	
	Agra . . .	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	
	Lucknow . . .	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	
	Aligarh . . .	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	
	Shahjahanpur . . .	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	
Central Provinces and Berar.	Fyzabad . . .	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	
	Nagpur . . .	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	
	Raipur . . .	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola . . .	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	
	Peshawar . . .	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	
Baluchistan	Quetta . . .	7 12	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	
Bombay	Poona . . .	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	
	Ahmedabad . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	
	Dharwar . . .	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna . . .	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	
	Rhagalpur . . .	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14	
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	
	Ranchi . . .	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	
	Cuttack . . .	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 10	5 1	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	
	Mandalay . . .	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	
(Median Average) .		8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	
Index Numbers(a) .		116	112	106	106	108	109	112	

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
\* Relates to Khandwa wheat



Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

## FORTNIGHT ENDING

31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th Septem- ber 1915.	30th Septem- ber 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th Novem- ber 1915.	30th Novem- ber 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 18	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 6	7 8	7 4	7 4
9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	6 6	8 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11
10 2	9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8	7 3
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14
8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending							
		15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0
	Bombay* . . .	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8
	Ferozepore . . .	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar . . .	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0
	Lyallpur . . .	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0
	Multan . . .	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4
	Ambala . . .	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 12	9 1	9 8	8 15
	Cawnpore . . .	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8
	Meerut . . .	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Agra . . .	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4
	Lucknow . . .	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Aligarh . . .	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Shahjahanpur . . .	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12
Central Provinces and Berar . . .	Fyzabad . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4
	Nagpur . . .	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11
	Jubbulpore . . .	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4
	Raipur . . .	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4
North-West Frontier Province . . .	Akola . . .	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8
	Peshawar . . .	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar . . .	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur . . .	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0
	Ranchi . . .	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack . . .	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay . . .	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12
(Median Average) .		8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0
Index Numbers (a)		120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—*contd.* [ The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

## FORTNIGHT ENDING

15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8
11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 4
12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12
10 12	11 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14
12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0
12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0
11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0
10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8
9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12
10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4
11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12
10 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12
11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14
12 8	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8
11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6
11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3
11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10
11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7
9 1	9 0½	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6½	8 8	8 1½	8 1½
8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8
10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 8	11 8	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3
10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8
10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8
9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8
10 4	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
93	96	96	93	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	98

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		8th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	
	Bombay* . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
	Calcutta . . .	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	
	Ferozepore . . .	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	
	Amritsar . . .	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 6	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	
	Lyallpur . . .	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	
	Multan . . .	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	
	Ambala . . .	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	9 3	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 13	9 1	
	Cawnpore . . .	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	
	Meerut . . .	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	
	Agra . . .	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 6	7 12	
	Lucknow . . .	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	
	Aligarh . . .	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	
	Shahjahanpur . . .	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	
Central Provinces and Berar . . .	Fyzabad . . .	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	
	Nagpur . . .	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	
	Jubbulpore . . .	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 2	9 4	9 4	9 0	
	Raipur . . .	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	
	Akola . . .	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	
North-West Frontier Province . . .	Peshawar . . .	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	7 15 1/2	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	
	Ahmednagar . . .	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	
	Ahmedabad . . .	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	
	Dharwar . . .	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	
	Bhagalpur . . .	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	
	Muzaffarpur . . .	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	
	Ranchi . . .	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	
	Cuttack . . .	9 13	7 11	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	
	Mandalay . . .	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	
(Median Average) .		8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 3	
Index Numbers (a)		112	112	111	112	111	109	108	108	104	

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—*consolid.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th September 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent.
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	+7
7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 6	+10
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	9 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	Nil
10 0	10 0	10 12	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Nil
9 14	9 12	11 2	10 6	10 4	10 3	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 7	10 4	10 0	+2
8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	+1
9 12	8 8	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	Nil
9 8	10 8	10 12	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	Nil
9 12	9 10	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	Nil
9 0	9 4	9 12	9 12	9 10	9 12	9 12	9 7	9 8	9 8	9 6	9 4	+1
9 1	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 3	9 1	9 1	9 1	9 3	9 14	9 4	9 6	-1
10 0	10 4	9 12	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	+3
9 8	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Nil
8 4	9 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	8 8	...
10 12	10 4	10 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	Nil
10 12	11 4	11 4	10 12	10 8	10 7	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 12	-2
10 0	11 4	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 10	10 8	10 8	10 4	+2
9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 10	9 10	10 2	-5
9 9	10 3	10 8	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	Nil
9 8	10 0	10 12	10 8	9 14	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 10	9 12	9 0	+8
10 2	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Nil
10 12	9 11	10 9	9 7	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	Nil
8 9	9 10	9 7	9 7	9 10	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 9	9 9	9 10	-1
7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 3	8 3	8 3	8 5	...	...	...	...	...
8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	Nil
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Nil
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Nil
10 11	10 11	10 11	10 11	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	Nil
10 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	Nil
10 8	10 12	11 3	11 3	10 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	+5
9 8	9 8	12 0	12 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	Nil
7 4	8 4	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	Nil
9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	Nil
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	Nil
9 9	9 9	10 13	11 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	-3
9 8	9 10	10 4	9 14	9 9	9 8	9 8	9 5	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	Nil
101	99	93	97	100	100	100	108	103	100	103	103	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 30th September as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th September	30th September	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	15th September	30th September	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . . .	100	100	Nil	100	99	-1
Punjab . . . .	100	100	Nil	100	99	-1
United Provinces .	100	98	-2	100	99	-1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	104	+4	100	100	Nil

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs. 6

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending the 30th July, 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PESTY).		CALCUTTA CLUB No. 2.	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 8% DIET, AND 80% BHD).		RED (5% BARLEY, 8% DIET, AND 92% BHD).		Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.				
Week ending 30th July 1914. . . . .	s. d. 31 6	100	s. d. 31 8	100	s. d. 32 9	100	s. d. 34 9½	100
„ 6th August „ . . . .	31 8	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
„ 3rd September „ . . . .	34 6	110	34 8	110	...	...	34 10½	100
„ 1st October „ . . . .	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	108	...	...
„ 5th November „ . . . .	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
„ 3rd December „ . . . .	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
„ 30th „ „ . . . .	44 8	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
„ 7th January 1915 . . . .	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
„ 4th February „ . . . .	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
„ 25th „ „ . . . .	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
„ 4th March „ . . . .	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
„ 1st April „ . . . .	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
„ 6th May „ . . . .	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
„ 3rd June „ . . . .	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
„ 2nd July „ . . . .	34 0	108	33 8	106	...	...	35 10½	108
„ 23rd „ „ . . . .	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
„ 6th August „ . . . .	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
„ 27th „ „ . . . .	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
„ 3rd September „ . . . .	36 3	115	35 8	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
„ 29th „ „ . . . .	38 0	121	37 8	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
„ 8th October „ . . . .	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
„ 5th November „ . . . .	37 9	120	37 8	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
„ 3rd December „ . . . .	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
„ 7th January 1916 . . . .	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
„ 4th February „ . . . .	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
„ 3rd March „ . . . .	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	36 10	112
„ 7th April „ . . . .	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 8	108	32 11	95
„ 5th May „ . . . .	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	108	32 11	95
„ 12th „ „ . . . .	34 8	109	30 0	96	33 8	108	32 5	98
„ 2nd June „ . . . .	30 8	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 8	96
„ 30th „ „ . . . .	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
„ 7th July „ . . . .	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
„ 14th „ „ . . . .	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	108	33 2	95
„ 28th „ „ . . . .	33 6	106	33 8	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96

**IN LONDON.**

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

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C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*IN INDIAN PORTS—*contd.*

[ Index Numbers — Prices for the week ending the 30th July, 1914=100.]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PRIST).		CALCUTTA CLUB No. 2	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 80% RED)		RED (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 92% RED).					
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 4th August 1916 . . . . .	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 25th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " " " " " " . . . . .	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September " " " " " " . . . . .	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 22nd " " " " " " . . . . .	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 13th October " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " " " " " " . . . . .	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November " " " " " " . . . . .	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " " " " " " . . . . .	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " " " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	113
" 8th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 22nd " " " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	39 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " " " " " " . . . . .	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917 . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " " " " " " . . . . .	40 6	139	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	119
" 19th " " " " " " . . . . .	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " " " " " " . . . . .	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February " " " " " " . . . . .	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " " " " " " . . . . .	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " " " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March " " " " " " . . . . .	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 16th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 30th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 6th April " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 4	114	37 4	107
" 13th " " " " " " . . . . .	37 0	117	36 0	115	36 7	112	34 2	98
" 4th May " " " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 8	115	34 2	98
" 11th " " " " " " . . . . .	34 6	110	33 6	107	37 2	113	34 8	100
" 18th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 6	114	35 8	103
" 25th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	37 8	115	35 10½	103
" 1st June " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	39 2	120	35 2	101
" 8th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	38 10	119	35 5	102
" 15th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	38 10	119	36 1	104
" 22nd " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	39 6	121	36 1	104
" 29th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 9	113	34 9	111	39 6	121	36 1	104
" 6th July " " " " " " . . . . .	35 9	113	34 9	111	39 2	120	36 1	104
" 13th " " " " " " . . . . .	36 9	117	35 9	114	39 6	121	36 7	105
" 20th " " " " " " . . . . .	37 3	118	36 3	116	38 5	117	37 4	107
" 27th " " " " " " . . . . .	37 0	117	36 0	115	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 3rd August " " " " " " . . . . .	36 0	114	35 0	112	...	...	35 8	103
" 10th " " " " " " . . . . .	36 0	114	35 0	112	...	...	36 4	104
" 17th " " " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 3	111	36 4	104
" 24th " " " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 2	107	36 4	104
" 31st " " " " " " . . . . .	37 3	118	36 3	116	36 3	111	35 10	103
" 7th September " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 2	113	35 10	103
" 14th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	35 10	103
" 21st " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 8	115	38 2	110
" 28th " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 11	118	37 4	107
" 5th October " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	118	37 4	107
" 12th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	38 1	116	37 7	108
" 19th " " " " " " . . . . .	38 9	123	37 9	121	40 8	124	...	...
" 26th " " " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	41 0	125	37 10	109
" 2nd November " " " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	41 0	125	37 10	109



③.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON—*contd.*

[ Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100. ]

Date.	CHOICE WHITE KARACHI.		RED KARACHI.		DELHI.		CHOICE WHITE BOMBAY.		CLUB No. 1		CLUB No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>	
4th August 1916	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th " "	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th " "	69 8 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th " "	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st " "	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th " "	72 8 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " "	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October	72 8 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th " "	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st " "	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	No sellers	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November	79 0 paid	200	Do.	...	79 6 seller.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th " "	80 0 passage	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th " "	80 8 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th " "	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December	82 0 buyers	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
9th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916	82 0 paid	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd Dec. '16 to 12th Jan. 1917.	No sellers	...	Nominal.	...	70 6 Do.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th and 26th Jan. 1917.	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February to 30th March 1917	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar.-April.	208	No sellers.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th April	83 0 April-May	210	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
13th April to 4th May 1917	85 0 " "	215	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
5th to 11th " "	86 9 May-June quoted.	220	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
18th May to 6th July	86 9 quoted	220	86 3	172	86 9	171	87 6	129	86 9	129	...	...
13th to 20th July	86 9 " "	220	86 3 afloat	172	86 9 afloat	171	87 6	132	86 9	129	...	...
27 July to 10th Aug.	No sellers. Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th to 24th Aug.	86 9 sellers	220	86 3 sellers	172	86 9 sellers	171	89 6 seller.	132	86 9 sellers	129	...	...
31st Aug. 1917	86 9 Nominal	220	86 3 N.	172	86 9 N.	171	89 6 N.	132	86 9 N.	129	...	...
* 7th September to 2nd Nov. '17	78 0	197	77 6	155	77 6	153	79 0	116	...	...	78 0	154

## FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE.

### PREFATORY NOTE.

The returns of Indian imports and exports of merchandise (exclusive of treasure and Government stores) by sea during the first quarter of the present financial year show a trade balance (excluding treasure) in favour of India of Rs 24 crores or 34·7 per cent above that of the corresponding period of the previous year. Last year the balance in favour of India in the first quarter was nearly Rs 18 crores. The total exports in the quarter amounted to over Rs 55 crores, of which Rs 29 crores went to ports within the British Empire, and Rs 26 crores to ports outside the Empire. The United Kingdom took 25·8 per cent of exports, followed by Japan 14·1 per cent, the United States 13·1 per cent, France 5·4 per cent, and Italy 3 per cent. Egypt took 12·6 per cent, but a considerable portion of this was transit trade, the exports being consigned to Port Said for orders. During the quarter there were imported into India goods of the value of over Rs 31 crores. Of this amount nearly Rs 20 crores were sent from ports within the Empire, Rs 17 crores alone coming from British ports. The principal exporter to India, apart from the United Kingdom, was Japan which exported goods to the value of Rs 3½ crores. The United States were the third largest exporter and Java the fourth.

The following figures showing India's trade with the British Empire and Allies and the Neutral countries during the first quarter of the three official years 1915-16, 1916-17, and 1917-18 are interesting :—

#### *Trade with the British Empire and Allies April to June*

	1915	1916	1917
	R	R	R
Total Imports	26,78,09,000	32,22,67,000	28,36,23,000
Total Exports	42,10,88,000	48,80,91,000	51,60,37,000
Balance (net exports)	15,32,79,000	16,58,27,000	23,24,14,000

#### *Trade with Neutral countries April to June*

	1915	1916	1917
	R	R	R
Total Imports	2,51,22,000	2,75,05,000	2,96,71,000
Total Exports	3,29,37,000	4,03,10,000	3,78,58,000
Balance (net exports)	78,15,000	1,28,05,000	81,87,000

There was a considerable increase in 1917 in India's net exports to the British Empire and Allies.

INDIA'S CUSTOMERS—RETURN SHOWING the IMPORTS and EXPORTS of MERCHANDISE (i. e., EXCLUSIVE of TREASURE and GOVERNMENT STORES) by SEA from and to the PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES in the THREE MONTHS, APRIL to JUNE, 1917, as compared with the CORRESPONDING PERIOD of the previous year.

	VALUE OF TRADE IN MERCHANDISE (APRIL to JUNE)				BALANCE OF TRADE			
	1916		1917		1916		1917	
	Exports of Indian merchandise	Imports of foreign merchandise	Exports of Indian merchandise	Imports of foreign merchandise	Against India	In favour of India	Against India	In favour of India
	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)
<b>BRITISH EMPIRE—</b>								
United Kingdom . . . . .	15,71.19	23,45.74	14,28.63	17,18.86	7,74.55	—	2,90.23	—
Gibraltar . . . . .	20	3	31	23	—	17	—	11
Aden and Dependencies . . . . .	38.61	21.55	19.65	17.19	—	17.06	—	2.46
Ceylon . . . . .	2,42.01	22.67	2,13.02	29.73	—	2,19.34	—	1,83.29
Straits Settlements (including Labuan) . . . . .	1,36.41	91.19	1,53.71	1,10.07	—	43.22	—	43.64
Hongkong . . . . .	83.61	26.10	81.90	31.84	—	57.51	—	50.96
Egypt . . . . .	28.73	16.44	6,09.53	18.37	—	12.29	—	6,81.16
Cape Colony . . . . .	10.71	5	13.22	3	—	10.66	—	13.19
Natal . . . . .	42.76	39	47.94	4.04	—	42.87	—	43.99
Mauritius and Dependencies (including Seychelles) . . . . .	60.73	29.66	24.82	29.46	—	31.07	4.64	—
East African Protectorate . . . . .	10.12	1.60	22.42	8.58	—	8.52	—	13.84
Zanzibar and Pemba . . . . .	12.50	9.26	12.43	4.95	—	3.04	—	7.48
Canada . . . . .	31.96	25	58.52	2.37	—	31.71	—	56.15
British West India Islands . . . . .	2.14	...	10.05	...	—	2.11	—	10.05
Australia (including New Zealand) land) . . . . .	93.47	38.19	1,16.62	18.59	—	55.28	—	98.03
Other British Possessions . . . . .	32.00	1.11	34.37	1.73	—	30.89	—	32.64
<b>TOTAL BRITISH EMPIRE</b>	<b>23,96.95</b>	<b>26,07.23</b>	<b>29,37.17</b>	<b>19,93.04</b>	<b>7,74.55</b>	<b>5,64.27</b>	<b>2,91.87</b>	<b>12,33.90</b>
<b>FOREIGN COUNTRIES—</b>								
Russia . . . . .	2,13.06	1.26	64.74	1	—	2,11.82	—	64.73
Sweden . . . . .	6.74	15.66	...	15.72	8.02	—	15.72	—
Norway . . . . .	7.45	15.32	12.75	12.21	7.87	—	—	54
Germany . . . . .	...	6,64.00	...	5,00.00	6.64	—	7.00	—
Holland . . . . .	4.21	18.39	...	12.11	14.18	—	12.11	—
Belgium . . . . .	...	2.20	...	10	2.20	—	10	—
France . . . . .	3,17.53	57.84	3,00.00	65.38	—	2,59.69	—	2,35.52
Spain . . . . .	60.32	11.20	19.17	4.48	—	49.12	—	14.69
Switzerland . . . . .	1.24	17.86	4.74	12.01	16.62	—	7.30	—
Italy . . . . .	1,84.05	46.75	1,65.22	77.22	—	1,37.29	—	88.00
Austria-Hungary . . . . .	...	3.00	...	1,73.00	3	—	1.73	—
Turkey, Asiatic . . . . .	24.55	4.05	30.93	2.38	—	20.50	—	37.55
Arabia . . . . .	35.9	6.76	4.16	2.82	—	28.33	—	32.84
Persia . . . . .	24.05	11.75	73.35	20.54	—	12.30	—	52.81
Borneo (Dutch) . . . . .	...	21.77	3.59	10.02	2.77	—	0.43	—
Java . . . . .	58.88	1,27.61	56.76	1,71.38	68.76	—	1,17.62	—
Sumatra . . . . .	11.96	1.86	24.12	42	—	10.10	—	24.00
Siam . . . . .	28.09	9.00	35.94	17.39	—	19.09	—	18.55
Indo-China . . . . .	48.37	...	14.81	3	—	48.37	—	14.78
China (exclusive of Hongkong and Macao) . . . . .	1,23.91	26.70	1,54.30	50.09	—	97.21	—	1,03.61
Japan . . . . .	6,98.43	2,35.43	7,81.97	3,73.16	—	4,63.00	—	4,05.51
Portuguese East Africa . . . . .	7.17	1.17	17.35	2.98	—	6.00	—	14.37
Italian East Africa . . . . .	1.74	2.69	5.37	2.56	95	—	—	2.81
United States of America . . . . .	8,93.10	2,45.17	7,27.36	2,69.41	—	6,47.93	—	4,57.95
West Indies . . . . .	44.67	...	18.38	...	—	44.67	—	18.38
South America . . . . .	76.11	1.35	28.13	7	—	74.76	—	28.36
Oceania . . . . .	3.14	...	81	...	—	3.14	—	81
Other Foreign Countries . . . . .	13.21	1.19	11.33	8.16	—	11.22	—	8.17
<b>TOTAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>28,87.09</b>	<b>8,90.40</b>	<b>26,01.78</b>	<b>11,36.90</b>	<b>1,47.94</b>	<b>21,44.51</b>	<b>1,61.00</b>	<b>16,26.38</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL ₹ (1,000)</b>	<b>52,84,04.04</b>	<b>34,97.72</b>	<b>55,38.95.04</b>	<b>31,32.94</b>	<b>9,22.49</b>	<b>27,08.81</b>	<b>4,56.47</b>	<b>28,62.48</b>
<b>NET BALANCE IN FAVOUR OF INDIA ₹ (1,000)</b>								
					17,86.32	24,00.01		

(a) Imports from prize vessels.

(b) Exports of Indian merchandise include the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

## INDIAN CUSTOMS REVENUE

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

## Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	IN THE SEVEN MONTHS, APRIL TO OCTOBER, OF									
	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
<b>SEA CUSTOMS—IMPORTS</b>										
Special Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	2,81	2,76	2,81	2,63	3,34	3,77	3,34	3,07	4,60*	3,12*
Coal, coke, and patent fuel (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	8
Liquors—										
Alc beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	2,83	2,80	4,46	4,39	4,96	4,64	4,05	3,05	4,59	2,51
Spirits and liqueurs	52,96	52,70	60,06	60,33	59,54	64,25	63,73	56,66	61,70	55,98
Wines	2,10	2,03	2,99	3,00	2,91	2,99	2,43	2,55	3,38	2,56
Opium	2	2	4	3	4	4	2	1	5	5
Petroleum	30,63	26,91	30,98	43,08	38,56	35,07	44,47	37,92	21,00†	23,33†
Silver—										
Silver bullion and coin (b)	43,34	33,46	1,08,75	64,71	70,95	48,37	83,42	66,90	11,89	10,44
„ manufactures (c)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2 12	2 5
Sugar, all sorts (d)	27,63	33,05	35,66	34,54	39,74	52,63	26,73	30,76	68,91†	63,53
Tobacco (b)	1,96	2,56	16,75	14,84	15,42	16,74	15,31	14,60	27,85	35,36
Duty at 2½ per cent	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Machinery (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,82	5,14
Metals—Iron and Steel	6,27	5,14	5,43	5,73	5,99	8,68	7,13	5,44	11,39	9,58
Railway plant and rolling stock (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,72	85
Other articles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,54	1,81
Duty at 7½ per cent	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar and vinegar) (c)	14,12	13,68	13,26	13,50	15,20	16,24	14,24	16,11	28,78	26,05
Raw materials and articles mainly unmanufactured (f)	10,73	8,95	9,30	9,07	11,55	9,07*	9,56	8,79	21,04	24,15
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—										
Cutlery, hardware, implements and instruments	13,64	12,37	14,18	15,18	16,78	21,12	16,99	13,53	25,66	20,35
Metals, other than Iron and Steel	12,96	10,42	12,94	12,23	9,54	15,91	15,51	6,27	6,11	7,91
Cotton manufactures—										
Piece goods, grey	31,54	33,96	32,58	37,71	49,70	51,44	46,32	39,09	34,80	71,02
„ white	17,64	12,40	17,83	21,44	25,28	28,91	24,73	20,91	24,60	67,08
„ coloured	22,69	15,80	23,28	25,26	27,04	39,14	45,87	15,11	28,50	79,09
Other goods	4,02	3,71	4,36	5,15	5,45	8,16	4,32	2 19	5,21	8,53
Yarn and textile fabrics (other than cotton manufactures) (a)	23,49	16,40	21,47	23,95	26,62	29,54	18,96	16,75	35,26	31,27
All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured (h)	35,24	36,85	44,72	46,76	50,19	61,29	45,08	49 2*	1,04,09	97,18
Miscellaneous (i)	2,91	3,07	3,52	5,21	6,77	5,33	5,91	3 9*	13,59	9 12
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>3,9,36</b>	<b>3,28,54</b>	<b>4,65,06</b>	<b>4,18,83</b>	<b>4,86,45</b>	<b>5,23,63</b>	<b>4,50,12</b>	<b>1,13,56</b>	<b>5,59,78</b>	<b>6,86,50</b>
<b>SEA CUSTOMS—EXPORTS</b>										
Jute (a)—										
Raw	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22 25	—
Manufactured	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24,56	—
Rice	36,31	41,04	59,81	65,02	73,50	62,70	41,13	35,78	44,75	—
Tea (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24,58	—
<b>TOTAL EXPORTS</b>	<b>36,31</b>	<b>41,04</b>	<b>59,81</b>	<b>65,02</b>	<b>73,50</b>	<b>62,70</b>	<b>41,13</b>	<b>35,78</b>	<b>1,16,14</b>	<b>1,19,61</b>
<b>SEA CUSTOMS—MISCELLANEOUS (j)</b>										
LAND CUSTOMS (k)	5,13	5,99	5,67	6,53	7,47	7,79	8,95	7,76	4,37	5,51
EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON MANUFACTURES	16,15	17,86	18,74	22,09	25,10	24,42	22,46	20,61	21 97	31,07
ON MOTOR SPIRIT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14 75
WAREHOUSE AND WHARF RENTS (j)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	11
MISCELLANEOUS (j)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,80	1,93
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>4,17,25</b>	<b>3,96,34</b>	<b>5,50,18</b>	<b>5,42,47</b>	<b>5,92,52</b>	<b>6,18,54</b>	<b>5,55,56</b>	<b>4,77,71</b>	<b>7,07,26</b>	<b>8,73,83</b>
<b>Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports</b>										
Bombay	1,15,63	1,14,18	1,44,73	1,57,09	1,65,88	1,91,63	1,70,18	1,17 53	2,07,99	2,52,21
Bihar and Orissa	2,71	5,96	10,12	11,80	15,40	10,18	6,11	1 98	70 35	1,01 65
Bombay	1,34,81	1,22 05	2,10,65	1,71 08	1,91,47	1,87,01	1,86,77	1,60,46	2,02 89	2,43 21
Sind	1,17	1,74	1,11	76	95	1 19	1,26	1,45	3 43	4,31
Nalhar	3,82	31,17	46,16	11,06	47,40	50 40	40,12	37,91	48,35	67,52
Burma	91	1,35	1,05	1,02	97	1 82	1,39	1,54	2,61	2,56
Bombay	33,20	24,57	33,13	26,87	37,63	42,03	44,49	32,05	50,22	56,81
Bombay	6,27	3,79	3 45	4 41	3,67	4,89	5,01	7,62	8,39	6,32
Burma	39,90	32,27	36 99	39,73	44,07	52,56	39,86	35,61	50,27	59,72
Bombay	25,22	31,18	44,08	46,63	51,95	43,93	80,23	23,19	31,14	35,04

(a) Not subject to duty prior to March, 1916

(b) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff

(c) Figures prior to March, 1916, are included with "All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured"

(d) Figures prior to March, 1916, were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff

(e) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include vinegar

(f) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 are exclusive of raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax, which are included with

"Yarn and textile fabrics"

(g) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax but exclude haberdashery and

millinery

(h) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include haberdashery and millinery and coral

(i) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 represent articles imported by post only

(j) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 are included under "Land Customs"

(k) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 represent the old combined head "Land Customs and miscellaneous"

\* Exclude the duty collected on explosives, namely, blasting gun powder, etc., at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*† Include the duty collected on petroleum which has its flashing point at or above 150°F. or 200°F. at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*‡ Include the duty collected on confecting at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*

§ The publication of the detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,  
Director of Statistics

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## PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi the 14th November, 1917.*

**No. 43.**—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. M. E. Couchman of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

*The 15th November, 1917.*

**No. 44.**—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

**No. 45.**—A vacancy having occurred in the Indian Legislative Council by reason of the resignation of the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nuth Basu, an Additional Member elected to the said Council by the non-official Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI (b) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, to call upon the non-official Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal to elect in accordance with the said Regulations a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the tenth day of January, 1918.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

*The 15th November, 1917.*

**No. 46.**—The Hon'ble Mr. A. P. Muddiman, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India in the Legislative Department is granted privilege leave for one month and three days with effect from the 20th November, 1917, under articles 215 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

H. M. SMITH,  
*Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.*

*The 15th November, 1917.*

**No. 47.**—Mr. H. Moncrieff Smith, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Legislative Department is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Government of India in the Legislative Department, with effect from the 20th November, 1917, during the absence on privilege leave of the Hon'ble Mr. A. P. Muddiman, C.I.E., I.C.S., or until further orders.

**No. 48.**—Mr. F. G. Rowland, I.C.S., Attaché in the Legislative Department is appointed to officiate as Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Legislative Department, with effect from the 20th November, 1917, and until further orders.

*The 16th November, 1917.*

**No. 49.**—In pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI(b) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the non-official Members of the Council of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces have elected Mr. Ganesh Shrikri-hna Khaparde to be an Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council, *vice* Mr. M. B. Dadabhoy, C.I.E., whose term of office has expired.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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## HOME DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

### ESTABLISHMENTS.

*Delhi, the 12th November 1917.*

**No. 207-C.**—The Hon'ble Mr. L. M. Parlett is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 1st November 1917 or the subsequent date on which he may sail from India or relinquish charge of office in the event of his not taking subsidiary leave.

*The 16th November 1917.*

**No. 299-C.**—The services of Mr. A. C. Macnabb, of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab with effect from the 31st October 1917.

S. R. HIGNELL,  
*Offy. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.**


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**NOTIFICATIONS.***Delhi, the 13th November 1917.*

**No. 59-S. I.**—The following extract from the Fourth Supplement, dated the 25th August 1917, to the *London Gazette*, dated the 24th August 1917 is published for general information :—

\*                      \*                      \*                      \*                      \*

*India Office,  
25th August 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India in recognition of the meritorious services of the under-mentioned Officers in connection with the War :—

*To be an additional Companion of the said Most Exalted Order :—*

\*                      \*                      \*                      \*                      \*

Colonel (Temporary Brigadier-General) Hugh Whitechurch Perry, C.B.

By order of the Grand Master,

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Most Exalted Order of the  
Star of India.*

*The 13th November 1917.*

**No. 1788-G.**—Subject to the confirmation of His Majesty's Government the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. J. Morton as Consular Agent for Italy at Bassein.

**No. 1908-Est. B.**—Second Lieutenant A. F. Reilly, I.A.R.O., Officiating Adjutant (Cavalry), Zhob Militia, reverts to the appointment of Reserve Officer with effect from the 16th July 1917, and is appointed to officiate as Adjutant (Cavalry) of the Corps in addition to his own duties from the same date.

*The 16th November 1917.*

**No. 1936-Est. B.**—Lieutenant J. T. Turner, I.A.R.O., attached 28th Light Cavalry, is appointed 2nd-in-Command (Cavalry), Zhob Militia, with effect from the 29th October 1917.

**No. 1939-Est. A.**—Major H. Crossle, Indian Medical Service, an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd Class, is posted as Joint Civil Surgeon, Peshawar, with effect from the 15th October 1917.

A. H. GRANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

*The 13th November 1917.*

**No. 2624-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the Local Authorities Loans Act, 1914 (IX of 1914), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following Rule shall be substituted for Rule 15 (2) of the Berar Local Authorities Loans Rules, 1917, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 575-D., dated the 26th January 1917 :—

“The Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces may, if he thinks fit, and in so far as the law allows, direct that compound interest at a rate not less than 8 per cent. per annum shall be paid upon all overdue instalments of interest, or of principal and interest”.

*The 15th November 1917.*

**No. 1919-Est. A.**—Lieutenant-Colonel F. G. Beville, C.I.E., of the Political Department, on return from leave, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, with effect from the 30th October 1917.

**No. 1923-Est. A.**—Major D. G. Wilson, of the Political Department, was granted privilege leave for twelve days, under Article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th September 1917.

**No. 1924-Est. A.**—Major D. G. Wilson, of the Political Department, is posted temporarily as Deputy Commissioner, Kohat, with effect from the 13th October 1917.

**No. 1925-Est. A.**—Major R. Garratt, of the Political Department, is posted as Deputy Commissioner, Kohat, with effect from the 29th October 1917.

**No. 1926-Est. A.**—Major C. G. Crosthwaite, of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave from the 12th May to 10th August 1917.

Notification No. 743-Est. A., dated the 11th June 1917, is hereby cancelled.

**No. 1927-Est. A.**—Mr. C. Latimer, I.C.S., of the Political Department, is posted as Assistant Commissioner and Sub-Divisional Officer, Thal Sub-Division, with effect from the 29th October 1917.

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE. PUBLIC DEBT.

*Delhi, the 12th November 1917.*

**No. 552-A.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 7, sub-section (1), of the Indian Securities Act, 1886 (XIII of 1886), the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the sub-section shall apply to the office of the Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Excise, Bombay.

### LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

*The 15th November 1917.*

**No. 1219-F. E.**—Mr. S. C. Das Gupta, Assistant Accountant General, United Provinces, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 29th October 1917.

Mr. H. C. Ganguli, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, United Provinces, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 29th October 1917 and during the absence on leave of Mr. S. C. Das Gupta.

*The 16th November 1917.*

**No. 1234-F. E.**—Mr. Rang Behari Lal has been posted as Assistant Accountant General and Currency Officer, Punjab, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

**No. 1235-F. E.**—Mr. Tajuddin Malak has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 21st October 1917.

**No. 1236-F. E.**—Mr. K. C. Biswas, Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Central Office, has been granted privilege leave for 39 days with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Mr. N. C. Ganguly, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 31st October 1917, and during the absence on leave of Mr. K. C. Biswas.



**No. 1238-F. E.**—Lala Nathu Lal, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 29th October 1917, and until further orders.

**No. 1239-F. E.**—Mr. D. D. Roy, officiating Chief Accountant, class II, in the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed provisionally as Chief Accountant, class II, in that office, with effect from the 15th August 1917.

**No. 1240-F. E.**—Mr. W. A. T. Carnduff has been promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class I of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department with effect from the 1st April 1917.

**No. 1241-F. E.**—The following promotions in the classes of Superintendents in the Finance Department Secretariat are notified :—

*With effect from the 11th November 1917.*

Mr. G. J. Piper, Superintendent, class II, to be substantive in class I.

Mr. S. V. Aiyar, Superintendent, class II, to be sub. *pro tem.* in class I.

Mr. C. N. Chakrabarti, Superintendent, class III, to be substantive in class II.

Mr. V. K. Menon, Superintendent, class III, to be sub. *pro tem.* in class II.

Mr. Ram Nath, Secretariat Assistant, class II, to be sub. *pro tem.* in class III of Superintendents.

Mr. A. R. Rebello, Secretariat Assistant, class III, sub. *pro tem.*, to be temporary Superintendent, class III.

**No. 9.-Accts.-Camp.**—Lieutenant-Colonel K. H. Jackson, I.A., Military Accountant, 3rd class, and Military Accountant, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.* Military Accounts Department, is promoted substantively to the grade of Military Accountant, 2nd class, with effect from the 27th September 1917.

H. F. HOWARD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi, the 17th November 1917.*

**No. 347-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made to the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz* :—

*Add as new entries :—*

“ (B) Carborundum.”

“ (B) Carbonado.”

“ (B) Garnets.”

**No. 429-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 53 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1887 (X of 1887), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules regarding the carriage of petroleum in ships to which the said Act applies, which were published with the Notification in the Finance and Commerce Department No. 5100-S R., dated the 20th August 1903, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(1) The following shall be substituted for rule 1, clauses (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e):—

“ 1. No petroleum which is dangerous within the meaning of the Indian Petroleum Act 1899 (VIII of 1899), shall be shipped on board any ship proceeding or departing from British India, and no other petroleum shall be carried on board such a ship, except as fuel in bulk for the use of the ship, or as cargo, and under the following special conditions, namely :—

(a) Such petroleum shall have a flash-point of not less than 150° Fahrenheit by Abel's close test.

(b) Petroleum carried as fuel in bulk for the use of the ship shall be carried in double bottom tanks.

- (c) The master, owner or agent shall give notice to the Chief Customs Officer, or such other officer as the Chief Customs Officer may nominate in this behalf, before permitting any petroleum to be shipped as cargo.
- (d) Each consignment of petroleum shipped as cargo shall be covered by a declaration made and signed by the shipper in Form A (hereto annexed), if the petroleum has been imported into British India, and otherwise in Form B.
- (e) Petroleum shipped as cargo shall be shipped either in tins enclosed in outer wooden cases or in hermetically sealed iron or steel drums: provided that petroleum which has a flash-point not below 200° Fahrenheit may also be shipped in sound well-coopered wooden casks of not more than 50 gallons capacity.
- (f) The nature of every consignment of petroleum shipped as cargo shall be marked on the outside of the package containing it.
- (g) The petroleum shall be stored separately from all other cargo and as far as possible away from lights or fires; and none shall be stored in any hold adjoining an engine-room or boiler, or in any compartment situated above the passenger spaces.
- (2) Clauses (f) to (k) of the same rule shall be renumbered (h) to (m), respectively.

**No. 478-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alteration shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

*Additions.*

Australian Produce Company, Shanghai.  
China Pencil Company, Limited, Shanghai.  
Dong Chong and Company, Shanghai.  
Lapshain, S., Harbin.

*Removal.*

Chester Cowen and Company.

**No. 479-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that "Smith (S.) and Son, Limited, Bangkok" shall be added to the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2981-C. W., dated the 24th March 1917, as subsequently amended.

**No. 538-D.**—In pursuance of section 69 of the Inland Steam Vessels Act, 1917 (I of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following portions of the said Act shall apply to inland steam-vessels belonging to, or in the service of, His Majesty or the Government of India, other than vessels of the Indian Marine Service, namely :—

Chapters I, IV and V.—The whole

Chapter VI.—The whole, with the exception of sections 50 and 51.

Chapter VII—Sections 60, 61, 63, 65 and 66.

Chapter VIII.—The whole, with the exception of sections 71 and 72.

**CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.**

*The 17th November 1917.*

**No. 418-D.**—The following officiating promotions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the 20th October 1917 :—

Name.	From	To
Mr. J. A. Stevens . . .	Collector, class II, substantive	Collector, class I, officiating.
Mr. P. Eccles, I.C.S. . .	Collector, class III, officiating	Collector, class II, officiating.
Mr. A. M. Green, I.C.S. . .	Assistant Collector, officiating	Collector, class III, officiating.

**No. 516-D.**—The following promotions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the 28th October 1917 :—

Name,	From	To
Mr. P. Eccles, I.C.S. . . .	Assistant Collector, substantive Collector, class II, officiating.	Collector, class III, substantive, officiating in class II.
Mr. A. M. Green, I.C.S. . . .	Collector, class III, officiating .	Assistant Collector, substantive, and Collector, class III, officiating.

A. H. LEY,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

*Delhi, the 16th November 1917.*

### APPOINTMENTS.

**No. 1949.**—Lieutenant H. H. Broadmead, 2-5th Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding an appointment as Staff Captain. Dated 24th April 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### *Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

##### *Royal Garrison Artillery.*

**No. 1950.**—The undermentioned warrant and non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

No. 8793 Company Serjeant Major William Horace Warboys Yorke. Dated 1st November 1917.

No. 27349 Serjeant Albert George Searls. Dated 1st November 1917.

##### *Cavalry.*

**No. 1951.**—The undermentioned warrant and non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

##### *7th (Queen's Own) Hussars.*

Serjeant Henry Ross Dibble and Serjeant David Thomas. Dated 24th October 1917.

Squadron Serjeant Major Frank Russell and Corporal Robert Taylor. Dated 5th November 1917.

##### *Infantry.*

**No. 1952.**—Lieutenant V. J. Barber, 1st Battalion, Yorkshire Regiment, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain, but with the pay and allowances of a Lieutenant, while holding an appointment as Adjutant of a British Details Depot. Dated 3rd August 1917.

**No. 1953.**—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain, but with the pay and allowances of a Lieutenant, while holding appointments as Adjutants of Convalescent Sections :—

Second Lieutenant L. C. Parsons, 1-4th Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry). Dated 2nd October 1917.

Lieutenant the Honourable J. L. Bailey, 1st Brecknockshire Battalion, The South Wales Borderers. Dated 3rd August 1917.

Lieutenant C. W. Harrison, 1st Battalion, The Royal Sussex Regiment. Dated 3rd August 1917.

Second Lieutenant C. H. Abbott, 4th Battalion, 4th Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. Dated 3rd August 1917.

Lieutenant P. Clow, 1st Battalion, Alexandra Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment). Dated 3rd August 1917.

Second Lieutenant D. M. Stanley, 14th (King's) Hussars. Dated 3rd August 1917.

Second Lieutenant A. S. B. Payne, 7th Battalion, The Gloucestershire Regiment. Dated 3rd August 1917.

**No. 1954.**—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain while acting as Adjutant of a Combined Depôt, but with the pay and allowances of a Lieutenant :—

*Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry).*

Second Lieutenant T. C. Goode. Dated 3rd August 1917.

*The Manchester Regiment.*

Second Lieutenant W. Clifford. Dated 3rd August 1917.

*Highland Light Infantry.*

Second Lieutenant W. Peden. Dated 9th August 1917.

*The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).*

Second Lieutenant T. W. Stewart. Dated 1st October 1917.

**No. 1955.**—In Army Department Notification No. 512, dated 25th May 1917, regarding the grant of the rank of Captain to Second Lieutenant H. C. Shoulder for "acting" read "temporary".

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

**No. 1956.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants with effect from the dates specified :—

Coimbatore Subramania Venkataramanan . . . . .	11th September 1917.
Dhirendra Prasad Bose . . . . .	12th September 1917.
Vellathusseri Chakalambil Govinda Menon . . . . .	12th September 1917.
Nilbaran Chandra Mitra . . . . .	15th September 1917.
Manmatha Nath Chatarji . . . . .	26th September 1917.
Vadake Kurupath Kochukrishna Menon . . . . .	26th September 1917.
Hannanthayya Krishnan . . . . .	27th September 1917.
Vicculathoor Ramasami Sundaresan . . . . .	27th September 1917.
Guddu Siva Ram . . . . .	28th September 1917.
Chakyat Govinda Menon . . . . .	29th September 1917.
Devindra Singh Otto . . . . .	30th September 1917.
Edakolathur Kuriakku Thomas . . . . .	1st October 1917.
Khushbakht Rai . . . . .	3rd October 1917.
Janna Das . . . . .	4th October 1917.
Kandathil Mathew Mathulla . . . . .	6th October 1917.
Raja Singh . . . . .	6th October 1917.
Lal Gopal Banerjee . . . . .	9th October 1917.
Gorur Srinivasamurti . . . . .	12th October 1917.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENTS.

**No. 1957.**—Lieutenant-Colonel C. Herbert, D.S.O., Indian Army, 2nd grade Cantonment Magistrate, having attained the age of 55 years, is retained for service in the Department as supernumerary in his present rank and grade.

The following promotions are made with effect from the 20th October 1917, in consequence :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. L. Cowie, Cantonment Magistrate, 3rd grade (Supernumerary), to be Cantonment Magistrate, 2nd grade (Supernumerary).

Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. P. Lawrenson, Cantonment Magistrate, 3rd grade, to be Cantonment Magistrate, 2nd grade.

Major J. Moran, Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, to be 3rd grade Cantonment Magistrate, substantive.

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 1958.**—The following are appointed to the Indian Army on probation, with a view to permanent appointment, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

*To be Lieutenants.*

Captain Thomas Henry Boss, The Northern Cyclist Battalion, attached 1-107th Pioneers. Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Dennis James Leonard, 1-4th Battalion, The London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers), attached 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 8th August 1917, but to rank from the 14th May 1916.

Captain Wilfrid Shuttleworth Holden, 3rd Battalion, The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), attached 1-9th Bhopal Infantry. Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 15th May 1916.

● Lieutenant Joseph Henry Gervase Peters, 1-5th Battalion, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), attached 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from 22nd May 1916.

● Lieutenant William Russell Duff Torrance, 12th Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), attached 2nd Battalion, 67th Punjabis. Dated 24th August 1917, but to rank from the 22nd June 1916.

Lieutenant Gilbert George Collyns, Royal North Devon Hussars, attached 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse). Dated 31st July 1917, but to rank from the 5th July 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant John Henry Gradidge, North Somerset Yeomanry, attached 14th Murray's Jat Lancers. Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 12th July 1916.

Lieutenant John Carlyle Cairn-Duff, The Royal Munster Fusiliers, attached 2nd Battalion, 54th Sikhs. Dated 18th August 1917, but to rank from the 22nd July 1916.

Lieutenant Brian Gabriel Rowley, 6th Battalion, The Dorsetshire Regiment, attached 21st Punjabis. Dated 20th August 1917, but to rank from the 28th July 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Francis Herbert Lewis, 1st Battalion, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, attached 4th Battalion, 3rd Gurkha Rifles. Dated 27th July 1917, but to rank from the 24th August 1916.

Lieutenant Bernard Digby Willoughby, Special List, attached 21st Punjabis. Dated 21st August 1917, but to rank from the 1st September 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Robert Money Barnes, 2nd Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, attached 21st Punjabis. Dated 21st August 1917, but to rank from the 7th September 1916.

Lieutenant Douglas Erskine Dempster, 9th Battalion, The Worcestershire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 54th Sikhs. Dated 14th September 1917, but to rank from the 22nd September 1916.

Lieutenant Alfred Rea, 11th Battalion, The Welsh Regiment, attached 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs. Dated 11th September 1917, but to rank from the 28th September 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Alexander Delap, 6th Battalion, The Prince of Wales' Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), attached 3rd Battalion, 1st Gurkha Rifles. Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 25th September 1916.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Nicholas, 7th Battalion, The South Wales Borderers, attached 18th Infantry. Dated 11th September 1917, but to rank from the 11th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Alan Charles Ewen, 9th Battalion, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 19th September 1917, but to rank from the 22nd October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Cyril Charles Tulloh Teape, 2-5th Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), attached 21st Punjabis. Dated 24th May 1917, but to rank from the 28th October 1916.

Lieutenant Hugh Castell Pearson, M.C., 13th Battalion, The King's Royal Rifle Corps, attached 1-2nd Battalion, King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles). Dated 25th September 1917, but to rank from the 23rd November 1916.

Lieutenant William Alfred Henry Brady, 3rd Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), attached 35th Sikhs. Dated 26th October 1917, but to rank from the 23rd November 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Alastair Banks MacLachlan, Machine Gun Corps, attached 8th Rajputs. Dated 26th October 1917, but to rank from the 24th December 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Leslie Gard Matthews, 20th Battalion, The Lancashire Fusiliers, attached 2nd Battalion, 9th Delhi Infantry. Dated 1st August 1917, but to rank from the 3rd January 1917.

Second Lieutenant James Shaw Allen, 10th Battalion, The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, attached 18th Infantry. Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 19th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Gordon Christie, 3rd Battalion, The Kings Own Scottish Borderers, attached 10th Jats. Dated 30th July 1917, but to rank from the 21st January 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant Fred Parmenter, 3rd Battalion, The Border Regiment, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers. Dated 24th October 1917 but to rank from the 12th February 1917.

Lieutenant Dudley Sayers Gowing, 2-6th Battalion, The Essex Regiment, attached 2-12th Pioneers. Dated 25th September 1917, but to rank from the 17th February 1917.

Lieutenant Edward Ellis Anson, Duke of Lancaster's Own Yeomanry, attached 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse. Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 2nd March 1917.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Richardson Wilkinson, 10th Battalion, The Manchester Regiment, attached 2-12th Pioneers. Dated 15th September 1917, but to rank from the 7th March 1917.

Lieutenant Richard Ambler, Scottish Horse, attached 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse). Dated 12th September 1917, but to rank from the 10th April 1917.

Lieutenant Edgar Wilfrid Croasdale, 2-4th Battalion, The East Lancashire Regiment, attached 2-89th Punjabis. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 15th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Maurice Arthur Hepworth, 5th Battalion, The Leicestershire Regiment, attached 21st Punjabis. Dated 21st August 1917, but to rank from the 18th April 1917.

Lieutenant Archibald Ernest Brown, 18th Battalion, The London Regiment (London Irish Rifles), attached 2-107th Pioneers. Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 24th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant David Tennant Cowan, M.C., 3rd Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), attached 4th Battalion, 3rd Gurkha Rifles. Dated 27th July 1917, but to rank from the 14th May 1917.

Lieutenant Herbert James Frederick Reed, 1-4th Battalion, The Welsh Regiment, attached 2-34th Sikh Pioneers. Dated 17th September 1917, but to rank from the 1st July 1917.

Second Lieutenant Somerled Macdonald, 2nd Battalion, The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, attached 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 9th August 1917, but to rank from the 7th July 1917.

Second Lieutenant Richard Waverly Head Ballantine, 3-1st Battalion, Wessex Royal Engineers, attached 51st Pioneers. Dated 31st July 1917, but to rank from the 20th July 1917.

Second Lieutenant Charles John Morris, 5th Battalion, The Leicestershire Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 22nd July 1917.

Second Lieutenant David Thompson, 1-1st Staffordshire Yeomanry, attached 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis). Dated 29th September 1917, but to rank from the 26th August 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Arthur Gerald William Scott Craven, The Hampshire Regiment, attached 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment). Dated 24th October 1917, but to rank from the 8th September 1917.

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Stanley Jesse King, 7th Battalion, The London Regiment, attached 22nd Punjabis. Dated 14th September 1917, but to rank from the 14th September 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Harry Leon Moore, 103rd Training Reserve Battalion, attached 2nd Battalion, 9th Delhi Infantry. Dated 1st August 1917, but to rank from the 4th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Bertram Kingston Sheppard, 1-4th Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), attached 1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 7th September 1917, but to rank from the 15th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Charles Ogilvie Forth, Lovat's Scouts attached, 2-34th Sikh Pioneers. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 18th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Howard Alan Pattinson, M.C., 3-6th Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 9th Delhi Infantry. Dated 9th August 1917, but to rank from the 9th March 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Felix William Keenan, 2nd Battalion, The Border Regiment, attached 72nd Punjabis. Dated 28th July 1917, but to rank from the 7th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Frank Hollamby Skinner, 8th Battalion, The London Regiment (Post Office Rifles), attached 2-12th Pioneers. Dated 26th September 1917, but to rank from the 5th June 1917.

Second Lieutenant William Ledingham Rennie, 5th Battalion, The Gordon Highlanders, attached 2-89th Punjabis. Dated 16th September 1917, but to rank from the 19th September 1917.

**No. 1959.**—The following are admitted to the Indian Army on probation from the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

*Lieutenants to be Lieutenants*

Keith Wilfred Robert O'Reilly, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment) Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 20th August 1916.

Arthur James Medlicott Reeves, 62nd Punjabis. Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 14th October 1916.

Alexander Francis Wemyss, M.C., 62nd Punjabis. Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 14th October 1916.

Edward Grainger Wallace, 96th Berar Infantry. Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 5th December 1916.

Lorraine Errol Hay Jahans, 109th Infantry. Dated 3rd November 1917, but to rank from the 18th March 1917.

Gordon Wallace Cox, 31st Punjabis. Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 20th April 1917.

Thomas Oswald Corrin, 31st Punjabis. Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 8th June 1917.

Edmund Louis Cecil Hasell-Wright, 92nd Punjabis. Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 1st October 1917.

*Lieutenant to be Second Lieutenant.*

Horace Stanley Morris, 92nd Punjabis. Dated 2nd November 1917, but to rank from the 20th November 1916.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 1960.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

CAVALRY BRANCH.

*To be Lieutenant*

William Graham Dickinson. Dated 15th November 1917.

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Thomas George Rutherford. Dated 5th November 1917.

Percy Brereton Hudson. Dated 12th November 1917.

Donald Stuart Fraser. Dated 15th November 1917.

INFANTRY BRANCH.

*To be Captain.*

Archibald Dougan Buzzard. Dated 1st October 1917.

*To be Lieutenants.*

Gilbert Henry Smyth. Dated 17th August 1917.

John Drury. Dated 5th October 1917.

(Army Department Notification No. 1685, dated the 5th October 1917, so far as it relates to these officers is cancelled.)

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Leonard Hulbert. Dated 28th October 1917.

Gilbert Isdell Harvey-Kelly. Dated 1st November 1917.

Edwin Wilfred Killocksley Green } Dated 5th November 1917.

Richard Joseph Hallahan.

Frank Herbert Dracott.

Arthur Johnson.

Arthur Wesley Robinson.

Vincent Robert Seed Threlfall.

Robert James Douglas Graham.

Edward Macey Evans.

George Staley.

Dated 7th November 1917.

Dated 8th November 1917.

**No. 1961.**—Second Lieutenant Gilbert Isdell Harvey-Kelly, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Assistant Superintendent of Recruitment, dated the 1st November 1917.

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### LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 1962.**—The following extract is published for general information :—

*London Gazette of the 6th July 1917, page 6710.*

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*India Office,  
6th July 1917.*

### ROYAL WARRANT.

Whereas We deem it expedient to amend Our Warrant of 25th June, 1907, under which the Indian Distinguished Service Medal may be awarded to Indian commissioned and non-commissioned officers and men of Our Indian Regular Forces, including the reserve of the Indian Army, Border Militia and Levies, Military Police and Imperial Service troops, for distinguished service in the Field ;

Our Will and Pleasure is that Indian non-combatants attached to Forces engaged on field service shall be included amongst the classes eligible for the aforesaid Medal ; and further, that where Indian commissioned and non-commissioned officers and men, including non-combatants attached to Forces engaged on field service, who are in possession of Medals for Distinguished Service awarded under Our Warrant of 25th June, 1917, or this Our Warrant, have been recommended on account of further distinguished service, a Bar shall be added to the Distinguished Service Medal already conferred.

Given at Our Court at *Buckingham Palace*, this Thirtieth day of *June*, in the Eighth year of Our reign and in the year of our Lord 1917.

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### PROMOTIONS.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

**No. 1963.**—The following acting promotion is made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

Lieutenant H. L. H. Payne to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a Battery of Royal Horse Artillery. Dated 1st October 1917, *vice* Lieutenant E. F. Wilton, reverted 16th September 1917.

Lieutenant (*acting Captain*) E. F. Wilton relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to perform the duties of Captain of a Battery of Royal Horse Artillery. Dated 16th September 1917.

**No. 1964.**—The following acting promotions are made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The undermentioned officers to be acting Captain but with pay and allowances as for a Lieutenant while acting as Adjutant.

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

Lieutenant G. Begbie.

Dated 18th September 1917.

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

Lieutenant C. H. Dorman.

Dated 21st August 1917.

*Cavalry.*

**No. 1965.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*7th (Queen's Own) Hussars.*

Captain W. Paget-Tomlinson to be acting Major while serving as Major on the headquarters of a regiment. Dated 4th November 1917, *vice* Captain (*acting Major*) T. A. Thornton, relinquished his acting rank with effect from the 20th October 1917.



*Infantry.*

**No. 1966.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).*

Sergeant George Mitchelson. 16th October 1917.

## TERRITORIAL FORCE.

**No. 1967.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*Royal Field Artillery.*

Lieutenant R. W. Brailsford to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 10th September 1917, *vice* Captain H. A. Brown, promoted, 10th September 1917

Lieutenant R. Beverly to be acting Captain but with pay and allowances as for a Lieutenant while acting as Adjutant of a Brigade of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 3rd August 1917.

*Infantry.*

**No. 1968.**—The following relinquishments of acting rank are made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).*

Captain (acting Major) F. C. G. Stratton relinquishes the acting rank of Major on ceasing to be employed on the headquarters of a battalion. Dated 22nd October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. F. H. Mievill relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company. Dated 22nd October 1917.

**No. 1969.**—The following relinquishment of acting rank is notified, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment).*

Captain (acting Major) the Honourable G. S. Herbert relinquishes the acting rank of Major on ceasing to be employed on the headquarters of a battalion. Dated 19th August 1917.

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 1970.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*To be Colonel.*

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Frederick George Hugh Davies, Indian Army. Dated the 31st August 1917.

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.*

*14th September 1917.*

Stanley Jesse King, attached 22nd Punjabis.

*4th October 1917.*

Harry Leon Moore, attached 2nd Battalion, 9th Delhi Infantry.

*15th October 1917*

Bertram Kingston Sheppard, attached 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

**No. 1971.**—Second Lieutenant Austen Bertram Knight, attached 4th Cavalry, to be Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 17th March 1916.

*3rd Sappers and Miners.*

**No. 1972.**—Lieutenant (acting Captain) T. Pearce, Indian Army Reserve of Officers relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company. Dated 31st July 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant A. A. Gross, Royal Engineers, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 15th August 1917 to 19th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant T. Pearce, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated with effect from the 31st July 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant H. D. Bennett, Royal Engineers, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 4th October 1917, *vice* temporary Lieutenant A. A. Gross, Royal Engineers, vacated with effect from the 19th September 1917.

Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. G. Stevenson, Royal Engineers, relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company. Dated 18th September 1917.

Lieutenant R. A. Drake Brockman, Royal Engineers, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 16th August 1917, *vice* Captain E. V. Binney, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, vacated with effect from the 1st August 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant H. Fitzgerald, Royal Engineers, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 16th September 1917, to fill an existing vacancy.

**No. 1973.**—The following acting promotions and relinquishments of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*32nd Sikh Pioneers.*

Major A. V. W. Hope to be Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 17th February 1917.

Lieutenant M. S. Teversham to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th February 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant R. S. Moberly, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, vacated from 30th January 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.*

Major G. S. Clarke, 34th Sikh Pioneers, attached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 17th February 1917, *vice* Captain (temporary Major) J. H. G. Marriott, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment), attached, relieved with effect from the 16th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant N. A. Shove, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be Captain while commanding a wing. Dated 22nd March 1917 to 20th April 1917 inclusive, *vice* Captain B. Christie, relieved 7th March 1917.

Lieutenant H. D. Dawes, 1st Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, attached, to be Captain while commanding a wing. Dated 19th to 21st July 1917 inclusive, *vice* Major B. Turnbull, relieved 4th July 1917.

*3rd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.*

Second Lieutenant F. B. Blackie, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be Captain while commanding the Special Manipur Company. Dated 17th February 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 113th Infantry.*

Major A. A. James, 29th Punjabis, attached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 31st October 1917, *vice* Major C. A. G. Shoubridge, vacated from 16th October 1917.

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) C. A. G. Shoubridge, 112th Infantry, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion. Dated 16th October 1917.

*1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.*

**No. 1974.**—Captain (acting Major) J. R. Hartwell, D. S. O., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 5th September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. A. Lawson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 5th September 1917.

**No. 1975.**—Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. E. Giles, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 7th May 1917.

Lieutenant H. E. Giles, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 4th November 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant A. A. Buist, 61st Training Reserve Battalion, attached, vacated with effect from 20th October 1917.

Second Lieutenant E. N. Harris, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 20th September 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant R. A. Lawson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, relieved with effect from the 5th September 1917.

**No. 1976.**—Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. A. Buist, 61st Training Reserve Battalion, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 20th October 1917.

*3rd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Major A. C. Wall, 2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles, attached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 23rd August 1917, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. Roosmale-Cocq, relieved 8th August 1917.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 1977.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.**Cavalry Branch.*

5th October 1917.

Robert Hastings Rogers.

6th October 1917.

Herbert Ellis Horsefield.

Carl Albert Henning.

Stanley Brabant Smith.

Cyril Martin Connell.

7th October 1917.

Cecil Claude Wilson.

10th October 1917.

Robert Bruce Boswell.

11th October 1917.

Temporary Captain William Louis Lindsay  
Reed, V. D.

12th October 1917.

Frederick James Tabor Frost.

13th October 1917.

Robert Esmonde Gordon George.

20th October 1917.

Henry Horseman.

*Infantry Branch.*

1st October 1917.

Hugh George Milchem.

Evan Powell Williams.

5th October 1917.

Alfred Clement Williams.

6th October 1917.

Sidney Oliver Monies.

Thomas William Oliver.

Albert Frederick Cambridge.

Kenneth William Wilkinson.

Harold Vivian Fox.

Frank Ritchie Blair.

Reginald Maurice Lindsley.

John Macqueen Cowan.

Lionel Kingsley Cooper.

Robert Francis Cooper.

Kenneth McLean.

Samuel Robert Carroll.

George Thomas Lloyd.

William Grieve.

Dudley Charles Hussey.

Percy Newton Corry.

John Garnet Millar.

William Alfred Bailey.

Oswald Ernest Samuel Power.

Edward Augustus Cuvelier.

Charles Dunn Wheeler.

Alfred Mawson Milwood.

John Henry Lyall.

Temporary Captain Frederick Arthur  
Schomberg Thomas.

Cyril Michael Galvin.

7th October 1917.

John Finlay.

George William Baldwin.

Frank Addison Adlard, M. C.

10th October 1917.

Stanley Clapham.

Albert Gerald Benjamin Bridgewater.

Samuel Arthur Roberts.

Kenneth Preston.

Temporary Captain James Seymour  
Hayercroft.

11th October 1917.

John Stuart Armour.

Matthew Longfellow Anderson.

Walter Henry Elkins.

Edwin Lawrence.

14th October 1917.

Joseph Frederick Wilkinson

15th October 1917.

William Charles Buddle.

Arthur John Broadwith Chapman

Willie King Meares.

George David Walker.

17th October 1917.

Cedric St. John Lucas.

18th October 1917.

George Alfred Norton.

William George John Kemp.

20th October 1917.

Harry Patrick McDonald.

Luther Barlow.

George Charles King Meares.

Bertram Russell Townley.

Richard William O'Brien.

Henry Fiddling.

Clement Fitzpatrick.

Joseph Reginald Lowncs.

21st October 1917.

Thomas Albert Kay.

Stanley Hubert Sutton.

Cecil Henry Marsh.

Thomas Murray Christie.

Theodore Rector.

Michael Henry Ausbro Morley.

25th October 1917.

William Colgan Langer.

27th October 1917.

Ralph Currey Dawson.

Daniel Frederick Bartlett.

25th October 1917.

Cecil Richard John Roberts.

Charles Henry Trusler.

Felix Lionel Edge.

Frederick Charles Shaw.

Percival James Bothwell.

## INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

## ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

*Madras Establishment.*

**No. 1978.**—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion, with effect from the 1st October 1917, of the undermentioned warrant officer of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department for services during the war :—

2nd Class Assistant Surgeon Emanuel Antony Stevenage, to be 1st Class Assistant Surgeon.

## NATIVE ARMY.

## APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

**No. 1979.**—The following promotions are made :—

*10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).*

Kot-Dafadar Hari Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th July 1917; and to be seconded.

*53rd (Reserve) Mountain Battery.*

Havildar-Major Latif Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917; *vice* Bakar Khan, transferred to the pension establishment.

*No. 1 Ammunition Column, Royal Field Artillery.*

Havildar Shah Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Labour Corps.*

Jemadar Nek Alam (1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners) to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*16th Cavalry.*

Jemadar Raghunath Singh to be Risaldar, Jemadar Rattan Singh to be Ressaidar, Kot-Dafadars Gourdhan and Amar Singh, Dafadars Durga Parshad and Kanwal Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.*

Kot-Dafadar Mir Aslam Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th June 1917; and to be seconded.

*14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.*

Havildar Sarmukh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).*

Jemadar Wazir Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Niyaz Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*24th Punjabis.*

Subadar Labh Singh to be Subadar-Major with effect from the 7th April 1917, Colour-Havildar Karam Ilahi to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th May 1917 and Havildar Sayid Ahmad Khan to be Jemadar with effect from the 19th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*33rd Punjabis.*

Colour-Havildar Bela Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*38th Dogras.*

Jemadar Fateh Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 25th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*44th Merwara Infantry.*

Colour-Havildar Bhaira to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd May 1917, and Colour-Havildars Lala and Birdha to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Havildar Muhammad Azam to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd April 1917, and Havildar Chaudhri to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*61st King George's Own Pioneers*

Havildar Muhammad Abdul Haq to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th June 1917, Idar Munisami (81st Pioneers) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th June 1917, and Idar Sangli Naidu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*71th Punjabis.*

Jar Dost Muhammad to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Sher Zaman to be , with effect from the 1st May 1917, *vice* Chet Singh, transferred to the pension establishment. Colour-Havildar Sultan Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st May 1917, *vice* Wilayat Khan, transferred to the pension establishment. Colour-Havildar Bhagat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st July 1917, *vice* Kashmira Singh, transferred to the pension establishment.

*81st Pioneers.*

Colour-Havildar Arunachellam to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*88th Carnatic Infantry.*

Jemadar Muhammad Abdul Azim Khan to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Ibrahim Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 89th Punjabis.*

Havildars Nizam Din and Nur Muhammad to be Jemadars, with effect from the 15th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*112th Infantry.*

Jemadar Rajwali Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 9th June 1917, Jemadar Maharaj Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 4th August 1917, Colour-Havildar Muhammad Din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th June 1917, and Colour-Havildar Gulab Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).*

Jemadars Jit Sing Bohra, Gomer Sing Gurung and Dilaram Thapa to be Subadars, Colour-Havildar Kharakbir Thapa and Havildars Bahadur Thapa, Kala Gurung, Lachman Sing Khattri, Bala Sing Gurung and Narain Mal to be Jemadars, with effect from the 12th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.*

Jemadar Anc Thapa to be Subadar and Havildar Budhibal Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.*

Havildars Rupdhan Pun, Nain Sing Thapa and Lalbahadur Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Colour-Havildar Kesar Ale to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles.*

Jemadar Bkhatbahadur Limbu to be Subadar and Havildar Karandhoj Limbu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd July 1917, to complete the establishment.

*64th Pioneers.*

**No. 1980.**—The promotions of Jemadars Vadumalai and P. Narayanasami published in Army Department Notification No. 1259, dated the 20th October, 1916, are antedated without pay and allowances to the 9th August 1916. They will rank senior to Jemadar Narayanasami IV.

*1st Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.*

**No. 1981.**—The promotion of Subadar Narotan Jaisi published in Army Department Notification No. 1163, dated the 20th July 1917, is antedated without pay and allowances to the 2nd April 1916.

## DISMISSALS, REMOVALS AND DISCHARGES.

**No. 1982.**—Second Lieutenant Frederick Sewell Culver James, Indian Arm of Officers, attached Supply and Transport Corps, is dismissed the service by sentence of General Court Martial, with effect from the 4th September 1917.

## INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

## ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

*Bengal Establishment*

**No. 1983.**—3rd Class Assistant Surgeon Frederick John Duckworth is discharged from the service under the provisions of paragraph 1, Appendix II, Army Regulations, India, Volume VI, with effect from the 7th August 1917.

## INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

## APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS

*Punjab Light Horse.*

**No. 1984.**—Lieutenant Henry Alexander Robert Lyon resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Lieutenant Alexander Montagu Stow resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 1985.**—Second Lieutenant Louis Frederick Ernest Vanrenen resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

## MEDALS AND DECORATIONS

**No. 1986.**—His Excellency the Governor-General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer:—

*1st Battalion, North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.*

Captain Arthur Terance Stowell.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**MARINE DEPARTMENT.**

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*Delhi, the 16th November 1917.*

**No. 71.**—The following promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 26th September 1917 :—

*To be Engineer-Lieutenant.*

Engineer Sub-Lieutenant Robert Harold McKillican

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**RESIGNATIONS.**

**No. 72.**—Temporary Sub-Lieutenant R. E. Bacon-Hill, Royal Indian Marine, is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the 1st November 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India*

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**RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.**

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Simla, the 14th November 1917.*

**No. 48-P.-17.**—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a survey being carried out by the agency of the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway with a view to determine the best line of railway on the 5' 6" gauge between Luni and some point on the Nagda-Muttra Railway so as to fit in with an extension towards Cawnpore.

The survey will be known as the Luni-Cawnpore Railway Survey.

*The 15th November 1917.*

**No. 1425-1-E.-17.**—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1425-E., dated the 8th October 1917, Mr. H. M. R. Morse, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 25th October 1917.

**No. 1425-2-E.-17.**—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1425-E., dated the 7th November 1917, Mr. G. W. Lloyd, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent (Supernumerary), North-Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 25th October 1917.

**No. 1647-E.-17.**—Mr. B. I. Cameron, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent, in class II of that Establishment, with effect from the 1st October 1917, and until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,  
*Secretary, Railway Board.*

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**INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Simla, the 9th November 1917.*

**No. E.-232.**—Mr. C. S. Waite has been appointed Deputy Controller (Inspection) Calcutta, with effect from the 12th October 1917.

*The 12th November 1917.*

**No. E.-207.**—Mr. D. Isaacs is appointed Assistant Controller (Indian Indents) with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1917.

T. RYAN, C  
*Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.*



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 15th November 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

A disturbance in the Bay gave rain in Madras, and on the Orissa and Bengal coasts. A few falls occurred in Burma.

2. *Burma*.—Local falls of rain were reported, chiefly from the coast districts.

*Northeast India, including Orissa*.—Rainfall was nearly general on the Orissa coast on the 12th and in southeast Bengal on the 14th.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces*.— } Weather was dry.  
*Northwest India*.—

*Peninsula*.—Nearly general rain fell in Malabar on the 11th, in the Madras Deccan 4th, and on the north Madras coast on the 12th, 13th and 14th.

The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November 8th. Mergui 1·85" and Negapatam 2·50".

" 9th. Victoria Point 2·67".

" 10th. Madras 1·05".

" 11th. Nellore 3·93" and Masulipatam 1·05".

" 12th. Port Blair 1·49", Monywa 1·00", False Point 1·64", Gopalpur 2·21", Cocanada 1·25", Nellore 1·35" and Ootacamund 1·85".

" 13th. Diamond Island 2·30", Akyab 1·86", Cox's Bazar 2·92", False Point 4·42", Mysore 1·10", Calicut 1·34" and Salem 1·09".

" 14th. Akyab 1·87", Cox's Bazar 3·45", False Point 2·31", Bellary 1·32", Cuddalore 3·35", Masulipatam 6·95" and Waltair 1·88".

1. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in excess in Lower Burma, Bengal, Orissa, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. It was 20 per cent. or more in defect in Assam, Bihar, Kashmir, Central India East, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, and Madras Southeast. It was within 20 per cent. of the normal in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma and Malabar. No rain fell in the remaining divisions, but none usually falls there at this time of the year.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad and the Madras Coast North. It differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent. in the remainder of the country.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 15TH NOVEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 4TH MAY TO 15TH NOVEMBER 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	2.5	2.4	+0.1	87.1	100.3	-13.2	-13	-14
Lower Burma . . . . .	1.6	0.8	+0.8	139.0	139.4	-0.4	0	-1
Upper Burma . . . . .	0.5	0.5	0	42.9	42.1	+0.8	+2	+2.6
Assam . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	51.0	75.4	+5.6	+7	+8
Bengal . . . . .	0.2	0.1	+0.1	74.8	68.7	+6.1	+9	+9
Orissa . . . . .	2.2	0.2	+2.0	69.1	57.9	+11.2	+19	+16
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	0	0	0	69.0	49.1	+19.9	+41	+7
Bihar . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	52.8	49.5	+3.2	+8	
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0	0	48.0	39.0	+9.0	+23	
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0	0	48.8	39.0	+9.8	+25	
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0	0	0	41.2	21.1	+20.1	+95	
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0	0	23.1	7.9	+15.2	+192	+192
Kashmir . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	10.8	8.4	+2.4	+29	+30
N.-W. Frontier Provinces . . . . .	0	0	0	8.6	5.8	+2.8	+48	+48
Baluchistan . . . . .	0	0	0	5.9	2.2	+3.7	+168	+168
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	8.0	4.7	+3.3	+70	+70
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0	0	0	37.0	11.2	+25.8	+230	+230
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0	0	51.7	22.9	+28.8	+126	+126
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0	0	14.0	23.3	+20.7	+89	+80
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0	0	55.7	29.7	+26.0	+83	+88
Central India, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	55.6	41.6	+14.0	+34	+34
Berar . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	28.8	31.4	-2.6	-8	-8
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	54.7	15.0	+9.7	+22	+22
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	60.3	48.0	+12.3	+26	+26
Konkan . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	112.4	96.8	+15.6	+16	+16
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	28.4	27.2	+1.2	+4	+5
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	45.0	32.9	+12.1	+37	+37
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0.1	0.2	-0.1	35.9	30.0	+5.9	+20	+20
Mysore . . . . .	0.5	0.7	-0.2	25.5	26.9	-0.4	-1	-1
Malabar . . . . .	1.2	1.4	-0.2	90.5	96.3	-5.8	-6	-6
Madra, South-East . . . . .	1.6	2.0	-0.4	28.6	26.3	-2.7	-10	-10
Madras Deccan . . . . .	1.0	0.4	+0.6	28.2	23.7	+4.5	+19	+17
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	5.1	1.0	+4.1	51.0	33.8	+17.2	+51	+40

GILBERT T. WALKER,

Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 15th November 1917.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

## DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for week ending Saturday,  
10th November 1917.

**Burma.**—Mergui and Southern Shan States report over two and one inches rain respectively, elsewhere practically no rain fell. In Lower Burma reaping of early variety of paddy has commenced. In Upper Burma ploughing for island crops, cultivation of peas and other miscellaneous crops and plucking of cotton and gathering of groundnut continue. Standing crops are in good condition. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon has risen slightly to Rs. 82 per hundred baskets which is Rs. 32 below the normal rate. The market for white rice is weak at Rs. 190 per hundred baskets for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather is seasonable. The manufacture of tea and sowing of mustard continue and that of pulses has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are on the whole good. Cattle disease is reported from three districts. The price of common rice is almost stationary.

**Nagaland.**—There was no rain during the week. The sowing of spring crops is in full progress. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced in the Eastern districts. The outturn is expected to be generally good. The prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle disease is reported in seven districts. The price of common rice shows a tendency to fall.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—There was practically no rain during the week. Sowing of spring crops continues. Harvesting of early winter paddy is going on in Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has fallen in eight districts, risen in three and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from thirteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is on the whole good.

**United Provinces.**—There was no rain during the week. Sowing and preparation of fields for spring crops, picking of cotton and harvesting of autumn crops continue. Sowing of poppy has commenced in places. Standing crops are doing well. Prospects are good. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Slight cattle disease is reported from some districts. Fodder and water are adequate. Prices are almost stationary and are tending to rise.

**Punjab.**—The weather was dry. Standing autumn crops are average to good in the west, generally bad in the south-east and below average to average elsewhere. Sugarcane is doing well. Picking of cotton and reaping of maize and rice continue. The yield of cotton is generally below normal, that of rice is good and of other crops is below normal to normal. Spring crops are being sown, the area sown being normal. Germination is good. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. The canals are closed in some districts as irrigation is not needed. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. The prices are rising and range between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat :—Lahore 8½, Ambala and Rawalpindi 8½, Ferozepore and Lyallpur 9 seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—The week was rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops is in progress. The outturn is average. Sowings of spring crops are proceeding. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Malarial fever is prevalent throughout the Province. Prices of wheat in Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan were 9½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 13 seers and maize from 16 to 25 per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below the average. Cattle disease prevails in Ramban Tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—Report not received.

**Rajputana.**—The weather was cool. Harvesting of autumn crops is nearing completion. Sowings of spring crops continue. Prospects of crops are poor. Agricultural stock is in fair to good condition. Fodder and water are ample. Prices are steady.

**Central India.**—The rainfall during the week was general in Gwalior and Bhopal, *nil* elsewhere but sufficient throughout. The weather was clear and cool. Autumn crops are being harvested in Gwalior. Spring crops are being sown almost everywhere. Standing crops are unsatisfactory in Gwalior and are fair elsewhere. The probable autumn outturn is eight annas in Gwalior and fair elsewhere, having been damaged by rain in Bhopal, part of Baghelkhand and Southern States. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for cattle disease. Pasturage is sufficient. Prices are rising in Indore and Baghelkhand and are steady elsewhere.

**Central Provinces.**—No rain fell during the week. The weather continues to be clear and cool with occasional clouds. Harvesting of autumn crops, picking of cotton, ploughing of fields and spring sowings were in full swing. Standing crops are generally in good condition and prospects at present are excellent. There is no deficiency of fodder or water anywhere. Cattle are faring well. Prices of food grains remained stationary or varied slightly exhibiting an upward tendency.

**Feudatory States.**—Reaping of autumn crops, preparation of land and sowing of spring crops are proceeding.

**Bombay.**—Slight rain fell during the week in Kolaba, Ratnagiri, Ahmednagar, Poona, Satara and Savantvadi. Standing crops are generally good but have been damaged slightly by rain in parts of Karachi and by insects in two talukas of Nawabshah. Autumn harvesting continues. Spring sowing is progressing generally. Cotton picking continues in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Kathiawar. The fodder supply adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking irrigation water is sufficient. Prices of food grains have risen slightly in Gujarat and generally steady elsewhere.

**Hyderabad.**—There was practically no rain. The average fall was two inches. Autumn crops are improving and are being harvested. The early rice crop is in fair to good condition but it has suffered by blight in parts of Medak, Nalgonda and Karimnagar districts and is being harvested. Spring crops are being sown. The crop is fair to good. Cattle disease prevails in fourteen talukas. Variations in prices of grains are insignificant. The highest price of *jwar* in districts is 6 seers per rupee in Parbhani and Bidar and the lowest 20 seers per rupee in Raichur.

**Mysore.**—Prices are steady. Markets are well supplied. *Ragi* and paddy are being harvested. Standing crops and the prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—Rainfall 77 cents. Rice is in good condition. Picking of coffee and cardamoms continue. Prices of food grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

**Madras.**—The rainfall was good in the Vizagapatam Agency, Trichinopoly, South Malabar, Travancore and the Nilgiris, fair in Madras, South Arcot, Coimbatore and Cochin and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally but rain is required in parts of two districts. Harvests of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. Water supply is sufficient except in parts of Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot and South except Tanjore. Pasture is sufficient except in Tinnevely and parts of Kistna. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.  
PLAGUE.

*Delhi, the 15th November 1917.*

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 10th November 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	.....	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City . . . . .	11	7
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	609	50
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	254	112
		Kaira District . . . . .	317	199
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	52	52
		Surat District . . . . .	56	17
		Broach Port . . . . .	1	.
		Broach District . . . . .	33	15
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	6	7
		Thana District . . . . .	4	3
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	236	198
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	389	244
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	344	244
		Poona Town . . . . .	17	52
		Poona District . . . . .	277	237
		Nasik District . . . . .	850	652
		Satara District . . . . .	1,379	767
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	14	6
		Sholapur District . . . . .	115	78
	Southern	Vengurla Port . . . . .	3	2
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	2	2
		Belgaum District . . . . .	82	55
		Dharwar District . . . . .	297	167
		Bijapur District . . . . .	619	389
	Political Charges.	Baroda State . . . . .	280	203
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	9	10
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	130	117
		Kathiawar Agency . . . . .	360	287
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	511	355
		Akalkot State . . . . .	47	37
		Bhor State . . . . .	10	8
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	13	12
		Satara Agency . . . . .	92	86
		Surat Agency . . . . .	3	...
TOTAL			7,422	5,202

The following additions should be made in the return, noted below :—

27th October { Panoh Mahals District, 25 cases, 13 deaths.  
Kanara District, 11 cases, 3 deaths.  
3rd November { Hyderabad District, 45 cases, 31 deaths.  
Mahi Kantha Agency, 6 cases, 2 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADEAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Anantapur District . . . . .	14 (a)	6
		North Arcot District . . . . .	42 (b)	17
		Bellary District . . . . .	1,058 (c)	871 (d)
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	172 (a)	121 (b)
		Kurnool District . . . . .	5	...
		Cocanada Port . . . . .	1 (b)	...
		Mangalore Port . . . . .	1	1
		South Canara District . . . . .	3	3
		Salem Town . . . . .	37	24
		Salem District . . . . .	60 (b)	45
		Sandur State . . . . .	9 (b)	5
		TOTAL	1,402	1,083
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BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	...	Patna District . . . . .	47	43
		Gaya District . . . . .	9	
		Shahabad District . . . . .	17	
		Saran District . . . . .	31	
		Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	7	
		Da bhang Town . . . . .	1	
		Darbhanga District . . . . .	9	9
		Ranchi . . . . .	2	1
		TOTAL	123	115
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UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District . . . . .	2	2
		Aligarh City . . . . .	8	4
	Agra	Mainpuri District . . . . .	7	7
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	4	4
	Allahabad	Cawnpore City . . . . .	6	6
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	30	30
		Fatehpur District . . . . .	1	1
		Allahabad City . . . . .	10	10
	Jhansi	Allahabad District . . . . .	70	70
		Jhansi District . . . . .	30	30
		Jalaun District . . . . .	105	72
	Benares	Benares City . . . . .	2	2
		Benares District . . . . .	32	16
		Mirzapur District . . . . .	61	52
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	96	68
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	117	104
	Gorakhpur.	Ballia District . . . . .	51	51
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	51	52
		Basti District . . . . .	17	11
	Lucknow	Amangarh District . . . . .	102	72
		Lucknow City . . . . .	5	3
		Lucknow District . . . . .	12	12
		Unao District . . . . .	84	62
		Nas Bareilly District . . . . .	23	19
		Sitapur District . . . . .	23	18
		Hardoi District . . . . .	12	10
	Fyzabad	Kheri District . . . . .	4	1
		Fyzabad District . . . . .	12	10
		Gonda District . . . . .	38	28
		Sultanpur District . . . . .	19	18
		Partabgarh District . . . . .	38	31
		Bara Banki District . . . . .	37	27
		TOTAL	1,109	908

(a) Two imported. (b) One imported. (c) Eight imported. (d) Five imported.

In the return for the week ending 3rd November 1917, add Muzaffarpur District, 11 cases, 9 deaths

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District . . . . .	10	4
	Jullundur	Jullundur District . . . . .	33	19
		Ludhiana District . . . . .	64	18
	Lahore	Lahore City . . . . .	30	17
		Lahore District . . . . .	54	39
		Amritsar District . . . . .	1	1
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	4	2
		Sialkot District . . . . .	1	1
		Gujranwala . . . . .	22	12
	Rawal- pindi.	Jhelum District . . . . .	6	
		Rawalpindi District . . . . .	121	83
	Native State.	Patiala State . . . . .	1	
		TOTAL	347	203
	Bhamo	Bhamo Town . . . . .	10	11
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	3	2
	Irrawaddy	Bassein District . . . . .	1	1
	Tenasserim	Moulmein Town . . . . .	1	...
	Magwe	Minbu District . . . . .	16	13
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	21	18
	Meiktila	Meiktila District . . . . .	7	9
		TOTAL	59	54
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	3	3
		Nagpur District . . . . .	51	42
		Bhandara District . . . . .	22	10
		Wardha District . . . . .	39	30
		Balaghat District . . . . .	...	2
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	4	3
		Jubbulpore District . . . . .	131	90
		Saugor District . . . . .	75	40
		Damoh District . . . . .	20	14
		Seoni District . . . . .	37	33
		Mandla District . . . . .	6	3
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District . . . . .	29	19
		Nimar District . . . . .	25	19
		Narsinghpur District . . . . .	171	100
	Chhatia- garh.	Chhindwara District . . . . .	8	8
		Raipur District . . . . .	10	10
	Berar	Bilaspur District . . . . .	10	6
		Amraoti District . . . . .	211	152
		Yavatmal District . . . . .	39	39
		Akola District . . . . .	260	145
		Buldana District . . . . .	38	32
		TOTAL	1,189	800

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague sources.	Plague deaths.
ASSAM	...	...	...	...
COORG	...	...	...	...
MYSORE STATE.		Bangalore Civil and Military Station	25	23
		Bangalore City	7	1
		Bangalore District	121	80
		Mysore District	58	36
		Hassan District	20	15
		Kadur District	33	13
		Shimoga District	116	74
		Chitaldroog District	25	17
		Tumkur District	148	108
		Kolar District	44	31
TOTAL			603	403
HYDERABAD STATE.		Aurangabad District	90	...
		Bir District	36	...
		Nander District	60	...
		Gulbarga District	220	...
		Baichur District	98	...
		Usmanabad District	389	...
		Bidar District	12	...
		Nizamabad District	7	...
		Malbubnagar District	94	...
		Nalgonda District	9	...
		Atrafulda Sarkhhas District	1	...
		Warangal District	10	...
		Adilabad District	18	...
TOTAL			1034 (a)	787 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.		Indore City	35	62
		Indore State	104	87
		Indore Residency Bazzars	12	10
		Gwalior State	39	108
		Mhow Cantonment	21	11
		Neemuch Cantonment	12	11
		Schore Cantonment	3	1
		Bhopal State	167	139
		Dewas State (Junior Branch)	2	2
		Ohni State	14	14
		Ratlam Town	16	16
		Rewa State	2	1
		TOTAL		
RAJPUTANA.		Ajmer City	120	129
		Ajmer District	103	86
		Alwar State	55	21
		Jaipur City	21	10
		Jaipur State	362	351
		Jhalawar State	15	15
		Mewar State	441	316
		Partabgarh State	2	4
		Kishangarh State	26	11
		Kotah State	45	38
		Tonk State	236	84
		Marwar State	180	146
		Kushalgarh State	11	7
TOTAL			1,688	1,218
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	.....	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	8	5
TOTAL			8	5
BALUCHISTAN.	...	.....	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			15,531	11,285

In the return for the week ending 1901.

In the return for the week ending 13th October 1917, against Bir District read 48 deaths for 58 deaths.  
 (a) From the 29th October to the 4th November 1917.  
 (b) For the week ending 3rd November 1917.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

(EMIGRATION.)

RESOLUTION.

*Delhi, the 16th November 1917.*

The following paper is published in accordance with Rule 29 of the Assam Labour Board Rules:—

*Annual report on the working of the Assam Labour Board during the year ending the 30th June 1917.*

I.—ADMINISTRATIVE.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. Kennedy, C.I.E., I.A., Chairman of the Board, proceeded to England on deputation in April 1917, and Mr. R. W. Davies, Madras, was appointed to officiate as Chairman during his absence. Lieutenant-Colonel Kennedy did not resume charge of his duties as Chairman till the 10th September 1917, after the close of the year under report.

2. At the instance of the Board, rule 24 of the rules for the working of the Board was amended by notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6534-Emi., dated the 9th June 1917. This rule, which deals with the collection of the cess, has now been much simplified: Superintendents of Emigration have been relieved of the duty of furnishing monthly returns of labourers in respect of whom cess is leviable except in the case of those recruited by garden-sardars working independently of a local agent, and Supervisors have been made responsible for checking, during the course of their tours, the cess collected through the medium of local agents.

3. Two meetings of the Board were held during the year under review namely, on the 18th September 1916 and 20th March 1917. The following members were unavoidably prevented from attending:—

*September Meeting.*—Messrs. N. M. Ross, E. H. Hannay and the Hon'ble Sir E. H. Bray.

*March Meeting.*—The Hon'ble Mr. H. B. Fox, the Hon'ble Sir E. H. Bray and Mr. R. T. Fraser.

4. Two meetings of the Executive Committee attended by all the members were held, viz., on the 18th September 1916 and 20th March 1917.

5. Sanction was accorded to the strengthening of the Board's office establishment by the addition of one clerk on Rs. 60—4—80. A Provident Fund was established for the staff, and minor improvements were made in the prospects of the clerks.

During the year 2,646 letters were received and 4,668 letters issued.

6. The Chairman was on tour for 107 days, and the Acting Chairman for 51 days. In addition to interviewing Local Governments and District Officials, 20 local agencies and 4 transport agencies were inspected in the course of these tours.

In March the Chairman paid a visit to Delhi by desire of the Government of India.

7. With effect, respectively, from the 25th and 12th April 1917, the services of Messrs. Craven and McPherson, Supervisors, were placed at the disposal of the Government of Bihar and Orissa for employment with Labour Corps, leaving the Board with one Supervisor only (Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart), whose headquarters have been transferred temporarily to Calcutta as being more central. A single supervisor is insufficient for the adequate performance of the inspection, preventive and miscellaneous work of the Board, which is spread over six provinces, but it was felt that the claims of war work were paramount. Suitable substitutes for the two Supervisors, whose services have been relinquished, are not as yet forthcoming, and this, also, is largely due to the effect of the war.

The following table shows the touring and inspection work done by the Supervisors :—

Name.	No. of days inspected.	NUMBER OF STATIONS VISITED.		NUMBER OF LOCAL AGENCIES INSPECTED.		NUMBER OF TRANSPORT AGENCIES INSPECTED	
		Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.
Mr. J. McPherson, (from July 1916 to April 1917).	219	21	15	2	4	...	1
Mr. C. H. Craven, (from July 1916 to April 1917).	134	19	13	7	8	...	...
Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart	251	18	16	5	8	...	...

In addition to the inspection of local agencies and transport agencies, the Supervisors were of much service in smoothing over local difficulties. They were, also, engaged, as before, in the detection and prevention of abuses and in several cases assisted at the prosecution of offenders in Court. They did much useful work, that of Mr. (now Captain) McPherson being especially meritorious.

## II.—SUPERVISION OF LOCAL AGENTS.

8. There were altogether fifty-seven applications for the grant of licenses as local agents; in forty-eight cases the Board recommended that licenses should be granted, in five the applications were withdrawn, and in two cases the Board recommended that the applications should be rejected. The recommendations of the Board were accepted by Superintendents of Emigration in all cases except one, in which a license was issued to a person whom the Board were unable to recommend. The recipient has, however, recently resigned his license. Two applications were pending with the Board at the end of the year and have since been disposed of.

At the close of the year fifty persons held local agents' licenses, forty-four of them being employes of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, and six of individual employers or firms or combinations of firms. The special local agencies of Messrs. Barry and Company at Berhampore and of the Barduar Tea Estate at Ranchi ceased to work during the year.

9. Owing to the appointment of Supervisors the work of local agents was subjected to much closer supervision than in the previous year; it was, as a rule, satisfactory. The license of no local agent was cancelled, but one agent resigned his license in order to avoid cancellation. In one case, an application for the renewal of a license was not proceeded with, since the holder's conduct was not satisfactory in a matter outside his duties as local agent. As in the previous year, defects which came to light in the course of inspection were readily remedied on their being brought to the notice of those concerned.

10. Reference was made in paragraph 16 of last year's Report to the system of remunerating local agents. The Board are glad to be able to state that at the close of the year all local agents received fixed salaries only, with the

exception of one, who, in addition to a fixed salary, was granted a commission on each recruit. The local agent referred to has since ceased to work.

It is a matter for regret that, owing to financial stringency following upon the falling off in recruitment, the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association have been compelled temporarily to reduce the salaries of their staff, and to effect other economies. The Association have also been obliged to ask their constituents to come to their assistance with the object of enabling them to tide over a period of financial difficulty. This assistance, the Board understand, has been largely afforded. Over 90 per cent. of the recruitment for Assam is carried on under the auspices of the Association, and the Board would regard it as a great misfortune should the members decide to wind it up. A proposal is on foot to re-organise the Association by broadening the basis of membership in order that the tea industry, as a whole, may be more wholly represented on the Committee. Any measure which could strengthen the Association would be welcomed by all persons interested in clean recruitment. A central recruiting Association of some description is a necessity, since if individual estates or companies or combinations thereof were to appoint their own local agents, the result would be chaos, and the competition among garden-sardars of the different agencies to obtain recruits could not but give rise to abuses.

In paragraph 17 of the Report of the previous year allusion was made to the fact that the Government of India had been addressed with the object of Local Agents contrary to the provisions of the Board.

India had been addressed with the object of giving to the Board a veto on the appointment of local agents. That Government, after considering the replies of Local Governments, decided to leave it to the latter to issue, if they so desired, executive instructions that no local agents' license should be granted without the favourable recommendation of the Board, this decision being, however, subject to the reservation that before the procedure is finally adopted it should be reconsidered by the Local Governments concerned after a year and a report made to the Government of India. The Governments of Bengal, Madras, the United Provinces and the Central Provinces have acceded to the request of the Board. In the province of Bihar and Orissa should a Superintendent of Emigration wish to issue a license to a person whom the Board are unable to recommend, he will refer the case to the Local Government for final orders.

### III.—RECRUITMENT.

12. As was anticipated, the results for the year fell far short of those for the year 1915-16. From the 1st July 1916 to the 30th June 1917 cess was paid on

General results of the year.  
33,759 adult labourers, who were recruited by 28,317 garden-sardars, as compared with 56,588 adult labourers recruited by 37,849 garden-sardars between the 21st August 1915 and the 30th June 1916. (These figures do not agree with those given in paragraph 20 relating to realisations on account of cess, since cess accruing in June is not received by the Board till July and is, accordingly, accounted for in the year succeeding that under report.) In all areas the results compare unfavourably with those of the previous year; they were best in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum, which (including the neighbouring Feudatory States) supplied about one-half the total recruits. It will be observed that the average number of recruits per garden-sardar diminished very considerably. The main reason for the falling off in numbers is the fact that agricultural conditions were generally good. The results, also, of the previous season having been unusually favourable, certain estates had a sufficiency of labour and consequently sent down fewer garden-sardars. In the latter half of the year recruitment for War Labour Corps was partly responsible for the diminution in the number of recruits, while the general financial stringency obtaining throughout the tea industry, consequent upon the difficulty of disposing of tea owing to shortage of freight, tended towards the restriction of recruiting operations.

Prospects for the year 1917-18 are still less favourable. Larger numbers of persons are being recruited for service for the combatant and non-combatant branches of the Army, agricultural conditions are generally good and the financial position of the tea industry is still unsettled. The numbers of absconding garden-sardars have increased considerably. This has rightly or wrongly led to

the impression that a good many of them have been recruited for Labour Corps, and concerns are, therefore, reluctant to risk further loss of labourers who have been imported at great expense. In this connection it may be mentioned that the recruiting authorities for war purposes in the provinces from which Assam chiefly draws its labour, have agreed not to accept absconding garden-sardars as recruits and to grant facilities for their identification. In view of the above-mentioned difficulties most of the larger Calcutta Agency Houses at one time issued instructions prohibiting recruitment altogether or drastically restricting it. It is hoped, however, that the difficulties of the financial situation may soon be surmounted and Agency Houses are issuing instructions that recruitment should be resumed, at any rate to a moderate extent. The tea industry have no desire to compete in any way with recruitment for war purposes, but it is necessary, with a view to the future, to maintain connection with the recruiting districts. Moreover, to cut off the coolies in Assam from communication with their old homes would be liable to arouse discontent on the tea estates.

The Tea Districts Labour Supply Association have offered to assist, in any way possible, in the recruitment of War Labour Corps, and the Board have also afforded such help in this matter as has been asked of them.

### 13. Difficulties have arisen in working the areas in the Madras

Measures affecting recruitment.

Tracts lately thrown open to recruitment, the chief being that of determining the chief being that of determining coolies who wish to be sent down as garden-sardars originally came from in the open or closed areas. It is not easy for the tea-planters in Assam to distinguish between these areas, the boundaries being somewhat indefinite. It is understood that villages are not permanently located in the same place, and in some cases there are several hamlets bearing the same name, some within and some beyond the area thrown open. An additional complication arises owing to the fact that most of the coolies from these areas were obtained through contractors, before the areas were thrown open, with the result that their names and addresses are often incorrect. By arrangement with the Agent to the Governor in Ganjam, sardars for the open area are sent down and their names and addresses are tested locally, those belonging to the area still closed being returned in Assam. Objection was taken on the part of the Agency Tracts authorities to the emigration of single males without their families, who were liable to fall into a state of destitution. The authorities concerned were informed that in such cases, if necessary, an absolute guarantee would be given to return a male recruit after six months' residence in Assam in order to enable him to bring up his family or to remain at home should he not be satisfied with the work and prospects in Assam. The Acting Chairman, who had personal knowledge of local conditions, addressed the Agents to the Governor in the Vizagapatam and Godavari Tracts, explaining the difficulties of the existing system and suggesting further facilities, and a communication on similar lines will shortly be made to the Agent to the Governor in the Ganjam Agency Tract.

Closely connected with the above subject is the scheme sanctioned by the Government of Madras under which coolies in Assam recruited from the areas still remaining closed should be permitted to assist their immediate relatives to emigrate. Lists of such relatives were to be prepared in Assam, and verified locally by tehsildars, after which permission would be accorded to the coolies in Assam to come down and expatriate the persons named. Voluminous lists have been prepared, but here again great difficulty has arisen in identifying the names and addresses given, and the lists are still in process of verification.

The scheme for the regularisation of recruitment in the Feudatory States of Bihar and Orissa is still under consideration, but is approaching conclusion, and it is hoped that final orders will soon be issued.

### 14. This important subject was considered at length by a Sub-Committee appointed by the Indian Tea Association, of which the Chairman was a member.

The Indian Tea Association referred the Report of the Sub-Committee for the opinion of the Board, who generally approved of the recommendations. The matter is still under the consideration of the Association.

In this connection, it may be mentioned, that the attention of the Board was drawn to the practice followed by a few concerns of consigning garden-sardars to local agents with instructions that no advances are to be paid but

that the garden-sardars are to be rewarded by *per capita* bonuses in respect of the recruits which they may bring in. Such garden-sardars generally bring down considerable sums of money with them. The Board consider that this method of recruitment is objectionable, that garden-sardars should be financed only by the local agents and that bonuses, if any, should not be paid till the return of the garden-sardars to the tea estates.

#### IV.—ILLEGAL RECRUITMENT.

15. Though the operations of *arkatties* have been circumscribed owing to the abolition of the system of recruitment by contractors, a number of them were still active, especially during the earlier portion of the year under review. By a ruse a Supervisor, assisted by the police, caught a gang of seven persons, two of whom held Colonial recruiting licenses, red-handed at Allahabad, all of them being convicted. By a similar ruse at Puri another Supervisor secured the conviction of a well-known *arkatti*. In Sylhet, thanks to the information given by the manager of a tea estate, an *arkatti*, who was hawking coolies for hire, was run to earth by one of the Board's Supervisors, convicted and sentenced to two months' imprisonment. In several instances *arkatties* supplied recruits to garden-sardars working independently of a local agent, some of whom were large at the beginning of the year under report. An important case of description was detected at Sewan in Chapra which ended in the conviction of a gang of four persons headed by a Marwari, who obtained coolies for the United Provinces for supply to the dummy garden-sardars. The manager of the tea estate would also have been prosecuted, but for the fact that he disappeared on leave. A similar case occurred at Arrah, resulting in the conviction of the offender. A notorious *arkatti* came down to the Ghazipur Agency of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association with a sardar's certificate and collected a batch of coolies from the persons with whom he was in touch. His prosecution unfortunately failed owing to a technical error. In five cases offers were made to supply coolies to local agents, in two of which prosecutions were instituted and convictions obtained, but in one of these the accused persons were acquitted on appeal. In a third case the license of a Colonial contractor at Bahraich was cancelled. These are the more important cases in which the Board were concerned. There is reason to believe that the policy of harassing illegal recruiters is bearing fruit, as the number of offences reported diminished during the latter part of the year. So far as the Board are aware, there are now no garden-sardars working independently of a local agent; thus an easy channel for the commission of abuses has been blocked. The Central Provinces Administration has lately prohibited recruitment by garden-sardars not working under a local agent, and the Board will consider whether other Local Governments should not be asked to pass similar orders. The fact that the Government of the United Provinces has, as recommended in paragraph 26 of last year's Report, amended the notification published under section 91, Act VI of 1901, the certificates of all garden-sardars being now required to be countersigned in the labour districts, has facilitated control over those working *malu fide*. It may be added that in all cases in which there is reason to believe that the manager of a tea estate is concerned in the malpractices of his subordinates, he is called upon for an explanation and dealt with through the Indian Tea Association or his employer, and in an extreme case his prosecution is recommended.

16. For many years past it has been the practice on certain estates to grant leave *chits* instead of sardari certificates to coolies proceeding at their own expense to visit their old homes in the recruiting districts, it not being the intention of such persons to engage in recruiting. In practice, however, some of their relatives or friends not infrequently wish to accompany them back to Assam. Difficulties then arise. If the coolie brings these people to a local agent, the latter cannot send them forward unless there happens to be a certificated garden-sardar in the neighbourhood who can nominally recruit them. Indeed, the coolie who brought them in has probably already committed the technical offence of engaging or attempting to engage them. Or, perhaps, the coolie will take these persons back with him to Assam, without producing them before the local agent of the estate, and instances of this have occurred during

the past year. The latter practice is not only totally illegal but most objectionable, as in some cases the persons recruited by the coolie on leave would not have been passed by a responsible local agent, and complaints are subsequently received from the recruiting districts regarding their recruitment. The Tea Districts Labour Supply Association have advised their constituents to furnish coolies proceeding on leave with sardari certificates, and the Board strongly recommend to all employers the adoption of this advice. The possession of such a certificate not only obviates any trouble should recruits be obtained, but is an advantage in that it enables the local agent to keep touch with the coolie and to finance and otherwise assist him on his return journey.

17. No cases of coolies being recruited ostensibly for Chittagong and sent Recruitment nominally for Chittagong and the up to Assam came to light during the Duars. year, and there is no reason to suppose that this form of illegal recruitment is now being practised. There can be no doubt however, that from the Ranchi district batches of coolies were smuggled up to Assam under the pretence that they were intended for the Duars. In consequence of the prevalence of rumours to this effect, a Supervisor was deputed specially to investigate the matter, and he eventually succeeded in tracing a batch to a tea estate in the Darrang district. The manager and recruiters were prosecuted, but the case was eventually withdrawn on the Directors of the Company satisfying the Chairman that they were ignorant of the manager's proceedings and on their undertaking to dismiss him and pay Rs. 500 to a war. In another case a different procedure was followed. The batch was taken from a plains district in Bengal, and there handed over to a garden-sardar who produced the coolies before the local agent of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, it being alleged by the parties that they had left their own district in search of work, and had been recruited locally by the garden-sardar. Subsequent investigation elicited the true facts. It is to be hoped that the action taken in the Darrang case has acted as a deterrent, since no further information of such cases has lately been received. On the other hand, however, this particular form of malpractice is not very easy to detect, and, owing to the depletion of the Board's staff of Supervisors, it has not been possible to maintain the same vigilance as formerly.

#### V.—FINANCIAL.

18. For the year under review the cess was again fixed at Rs. 2 on each garden-sardar and emigrant, *vide* Department of Commerce and Industry notification No. 2475-15, dated the 6th May 1916. The cess was collected punctually and without difficulty, that on garden-sardars, including those working in the United Provinces whose certificates are now required to be countersigned in the labour districts, being, since the 1st September 1916, realised by countersigning officers in Assam and remitted by them to the Board. The cess on labouring emigrants was, by the courtesy of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association and the employers of local agents not belonging to that Association, entirely collected through local agents, to whom the Board beg to tender their thanks, no garden-sardars having been appointed to recruit independently of a local agent.

19. During the year under review a sum of Rs. 1,366 was refunded on account of cess erroneously paid, Rs. 202 being in respect of 101 sardars on whom cess was twice realised and Rs. 1,164 in respect of 582 emigrants who had not gone forward, who had absconded *en route* or who had been repatriated either *en route* or within a short time of their arrival on the tea estates.

20. The estimate of receipts provided for an income of Rs. 2,33,133, *viz.*, an opening balance of Rs. 81,000, a Government grant of Rs. 16,133 and Rs. 1,36,000-0-0 derived from cess on 27,000 garden-sardars and 41,000 emigrants. The actual credits amounted to Rs. 2,71,875-5-7, the excess being due to the fact that the opening balance (Rs. 1,20,243-2-1) was larger than was anticipated. The cess realised amounted to Rs. 1,31,912 (excluding the refund of Rs. 1,366-0-0) which was paid on 31,483 garden-sardars and 34,473 emigrants. In addition, Rs. 1,125 were received on account of interest on a sum of Rs. 75,000 which was placed on fixed deposit with the Bank of Bengal from the 5th of August 1916 to the 4th of February 1917. A further sum of



Rs. 1,485-13-8 was realised as interest on Rs. 75,000-0-0 invested in the 5½ per cent. Indian War Loan Bonds on the 4th of April 1917. The Board deemed it desirable to afford the War Loan this measure of support, providing Rs. 50,000-0-0 from the surplus funds at credit and borrowing Rs. 25,000 from the Bank of Bengal on the security of the fixed deposit of Rs. 75,000-0-0. The loan has since been repaid. The contribution payable by the Government of India for the months March to June 1917 has been received since the close of the year.

The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 1,12,461-4-9 as compared with the estimate of Rs. 1,18,190-3-0. The savings accrued principally under the heads travelling allowance of all classes (Rs. 9,160), and salary of Chairman (Rs. 3,257); while the chief excess payment (Rs. 4,000) was due to the grant of an advance to one of the Supervisors for the purpose of purchasing a motor car, a charge for which budget provision had not been made.

21. The budget estimate for 1917-18, which was passed at the meeting of the Board held in March 1917, provides for an opening balance of Rs. 1,59,000-0-0 (the actual opening balance being Rs. 1,59,414-0-10), a contribution from Government of Rs. 14,145-9-8, Rs. 1,18,000-0-0 as realisations from cess at 2 on 26,000 garden-sardars and 33,000 emigrants and Rs. 2,250-0-0 on account of interest. The latter item is likely to be exceeded as the investment War Loan bonds was made after the budget had been drawn up.

In view of the fact that a substantial balance has accumulated, the Board considered whether a recommendation should not be made to the Government of India that a reduction be made in the rate of cess. It was, however, deemed to be inadvisable to recommend that the rate should be reduced since recruiting prospects during the current year are very uncertain owing to the existence of war conditions, especially the recruitment of Labour Corps and the financial stringency consequent upon the restrictions on imports of tea into the United Kingdom, which are likely to react unfavourably on the receipts of the Board. The poor recruiting results up to date constitute a justification of the Board's attitude in this matter, as under present conditions there is every prospect of realisations on account of cess falling far short of the estimate. The budget provides for an expenditure of Rs. 1,21,116-7-9 and a closing balance of Rs. 1,72,279-1-11. Since it includes expenditure on account of the two Supervisors who have left the service of the Board considerable savings may be expected.

## VI.—MISCELLANEOUS.

22. The special Supervisor appointed to supervise the transit routes between Assam and the recruiting districts made frequent tours prior to his deputation to military duty, and did much useful work in drawing attention to defects and suggesting improvements which were brought to the notice of the railway administrations concerned with satisfactory results.

The Eastern Bengal Railway authorities have now completed their arrangements to facilitate coolie traffic, and they will be brought into operation when they receive an intimation from the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association that the volume of traffic warrants their adoption. At present comparatively few coolies are going up to Assam.

In consultation with the Sanitary Commissioner, Assam, improved measures for notifying the existence of epidemic diseases along the transit routes and for arranging for the vaccination of emigrants from areas infected with small-pox have been adopted.

23. The Board again wish to tender their thanks to the Local Governments and their officers, with whom they deal, for their courtesy and support, as also to the Indian Tea Association and Tea Districts Labour Supply Association for the assistance which has been so readily afforded them.

Statement of RECEIPTS and  
RECEIPTS.

PARTICULARS.	Budget.			Actuals.			Short.			Excess.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Opening Balance . . .	81,000	0	0	1,20,243	2	1	...			39,243	2	1
1. Cess received from employers on garden-sundries and emigrants . . .	1,36,000	0	0	1,33,278	0	0	2,722	0	0	...		
2. Contribution from the Government of India on account of Chairman's salary . . .	16,133	0	0	*14,913	14	4	1,219	1	8	...		
3. Balance of contribution from the Government of India towards salary of Chairman for the year ending 31st March 1916 . . .	...			2	0	0	...			2	0	
4. Interest on the Fixed Deposit of Rs. 75,000 . . .	...			1,125	0	0	...			1,125		
5. Interest on Rs. 75,000 invested in the 5½ per cent. War Bonds . . .	...			1,485	18	8	...			1,485		
6. Recoveries . . .	...			†605	4	0	...			605		
7. Recoveries from the salary of Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart towards payment of Motor Car Advance . . .	...			222	3	6	...			...		
TOTAL . . .	2,83,133	0	0	2,71,875	5	7	3,941	1	8	42,461	3	9

\* Contribution by the Government of India towards the salary of Chairman from 1st April 1916 to 28th February 1917.

† Includes recovery of Rs. 600 given to Messrs. C. H. Craven and J. McPherson as permanent advance.

W. M. KENNEDY, Lt.- Col.,  
Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

T. H. WORGAN,  
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.



**EXPENDITURE for the year 1916-17.****EXPENDITURE.**

PARTICULARS.	Budget as sanctioned by Government of India.	Reappropriation.	Budget after reappropriation.	Actuals.	Savings.	Excess.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Salary of Chairman . . .	32,266 11 0	...	32,266 11 0	29,008 11 3	3,257 15 9	...
2. Travelling allowance of Chairman.	5,000 0 0	-975 0 0	4,025 0 0	4,021 12 0	3 4 0	...
3. Travelling allowance of Members of the Board.	5,000 0 0	-3,075 0 0	1,925 0 0	2,083 14 9	...	158 14 9
4. Salary of Board's office . . .	3,489 8 0	...	3,189 8 0	3,301 8 5	187 15 7	...
5. Travelling allowance of Board's office.	1,800 0 0	...	1,800 0 0	2,241 10 2	...	441 10 2
6. Grain compensation allowance of Board's office.	48 0 0	...	48 0 0	48 8 3	...	0 8 3
7. Printing books and periodicals.	500 0 0	...	500 0 0	368 4 0	131 12 0	...
8. Stationery and printing . . .	500 0 0	+300 0 0	800 0 0	718 2 10	81 13 2	...
9. Postage . . .	600 0 0	...	600 0 0	455 0 0	145 0 0	...
10. Postage . . .	600 0 0	...	600 0 0	531 5 0	68 11 0	...
11. Office . . .	2,100 0 0	...	2,100 0 0	2,100 0 0	...	...
12. Telephone charges . . .	250 0 0	+150 0 0	400 0 0	350 0 0	50 0 0	...
13. Electric lights and fans . . .	150 0 0	...	150 0 0	70 2 3	79 13 9	...
14. Board's office contingencies . . .	700 0 0	...	700 0 0	313 12 6	386 3 6	...
15. Purchase of furniture . . .	200 0 0	+478 0 0	678 0 0	651 4 0	26 12 0	...
16. Temporary establishment and job typing.	600 0 0	...	600 0 0	172 6 2	427 9 10	...
17. Liveries . . .	50 0 0	+100 0 0	150 0 0	113 8 0	36 8 0	...
18. Tour charges . . .	400 0 0	...	400 0 0	390 7 0	9 9 0	...
19. Unforeseen charges . . .	1,000 0 0	-450 0 0	550 0 0	216 0 0	304 0 0	...
20. Refund of cess . . .	...	...	1,700 0 0	1,366 0 0	334 0 0	...
21. Purchase of Typewriter . . .	320 0 0	+372 0 0	692 0 0	372 0 0	320 0 0	...
<i>Supervisors.</i>						
22. Salary of supervisors including contribution towards pension and leave allowances.	39,450 0 0	+4,100 0 0	43,550 0 0	42,560 12 1	49 3 11	...
23. Travelling allowance of supervisors.	15,000 0 0	-3,500 0 0	11,500 0 0	10,067 1 3	1,432 14 9	...
24. Salary of supervisors' office . . .	1,672 0 0	...	1,672 0 0	1,619 0 7	52 15 5	...
25. Grain compensation allowance	72 0 0	...	72 0 0	58 0 10	13 15 2	...
26. Travelling allowance of supervisors' office.	2,400 0 0	+600 0 0	3,000 0 0	2,070 9 2	929 6 10	...
27. Contingent expenditure including stationery and tour charges.	2,142 0 0	...	2,142 0 0	865 15 3	1,276 0 9	...
28. Office rent . . .	1,080 0 0	...	1,080 0 0	975 0 0	105 0 0	...
29. Purchase of furniture . . .	200 0 0	+200 0 0	400 0 0	380 9 0	19 7 0	...
30. Purchase of books . . .	600 0 0	...	600 0 0	...	600 0 0	...
31. Motor Car advance . . .	...	...	...	4,000 0 0	...	4,000 0 0
TOTAL . . .	1,18,190 3 0	...	1,18,190 3 0	1,12,461 4 9	10,329 15 5	4,601 1 2
Add . . .	...	...	...	*75,000 0 0	...	...
Add . . .	...	...	...	†50,000 0 0	...	...
GRAND TOTAL . . .	1,18,190 3 0	...	1,18,190 3 0	2,37,461 4 9	10,329 15 5	4,601 1 2

\* Fixed deposit.

† Part of War Loan.

‡ Sanctioned by the Board.

W. M. KENNEDY, Lt.-Col.,  
Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

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3278. W. C. Eehlin. *Improvements in vacuum brake gear for railway rolling stock and the like.*
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3285. D. C. Bose. *An adjustable band for wrist watches.*
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3301. F. Tallada and A. Ras. *Process for atomising and projecting metals in a state of fusion.*

3302. E. A. Ashcroft. *Improvements in the manufacture of anhydrous magnesium chloride.*  
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 3304. C. Wright. *Improvements in ventilators.*  
 3306. J. G. Robinson. *Improvements in and connected with the employment of pulverised fuel in the furnace of steam generators.*

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3135. Cary and Stephen.	3143. Gordon.
3137. Martin & Co.	3144. David

### PATENTS SEALED.

2572. Gitsham.	2580. Hanneborg.
2573. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ltd.	2916. Edman.
2574. Wireless Press, Ltd.	3098. Markwick.
2577. Ferriter and Peters.	3100. Stewart.

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- 136 of 1904. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ltd. (To 11 November 1918)  
 230 of 1904. Graaf. (To 23 December 1918.)  
 108 of 1906. Wheatley. (To 19 September 1918.)  
 51 of 1907. Jost. (To 21 April 1921.)  
 248 of 1907. Eschaliar. (To 7 December 1918.)  
 220 of 1910. Spencer. (To 9 November 1918.)  
 476 of 1910. Greenwood & ors. (To 15 November 1918.)  
 559 of 1912. Cook & anr. (To 28 October 1918.)  
 1270 of 1913. Maccaferri. (To 30 October 1918.)  
 1299 of 1913. Ridley. (To 11 November 1918.)

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#### 3151 of 1917.

- On page 1 by inserting in the title "Sodium aluminate" before "Alumina."  
 On page 1, line 12 by omitting "Arsenic Trioxide ( $As_2O_3$ ) ... 133."  
 " 1, " 14 by inserting "133 parts" after "trioxide."  
 " 2, " 13 by substituting "hydroxide" for "oxide" after "calcium."  
 " 3, " 5 by inserting "acid" after "hydrochloric"  
 " 3, " 13 by inserting "sodium aluminate" after "of."

#### 3152 of 1917.

- On page 1 by inserting in the title "Potassium Aluminate" before "Alumina."  
 " 1, line 12 by omitting "Arsenic Trioxide ( $As_2O_3$ ) ... 133."



On page 1, line 14 by inserting " 193 " after " trioxide."

" " 2, " 13 by substituting " hydroxide " for " oxide " after " calcium."

" " 3, " 8 by inserting " acid " after " hydrochloric."

" " 3 " 14 by inserting " potassium aluminate " after " of."

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1908.

5, (Johnson).

1911.

765, (Perkins & anr.).

1912

415, (Dorwald).

1913.

86, (Kaliajee & anr.). 1089, (Fraser). 1090, (Bagh Singh & ors.). 1091, (Mengelbier) 1092, (Hawthorn & anr.). 1093, (Hamidulla). 1095, (Buchholtz) 1096, (Buchholtz) 1097, (Sedneff). 1099, (Island) 1106, (Danilevsky). 1103, (Crosbie). 1107, (Roberts). 1108, Auchary).

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*N.B.* Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue

**NOTICE.****DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBIHUM.****INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.**

Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

**G. F. ADAMS**Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.**CURRENCY NOTE.**

The following Currency Notes of the Lahore Circle are stated to have been destroyed and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers, any other person claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

**NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.**

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
D-2 of 1917-18	EC-58	{ 34961 .	Messrs. Devi, Dool & B. Co. Merchants, Sadul Bazar, Rajpoot District, Peshawar, North-West Frontier Province
		{ 99303 .	
		{ 89506 .	
	EC-39	{ 08779 .	
		{ 17738 .	
		{ 00868 .	
	EC-40	{ 12533 .	
		{ 06612 .	
		{ 12515 .	
		{ 12417 .	
		{ 06607 .	
		{ 12438 .	
		{ 10491 .	
		{ 07167 .	
	EC-76	93026 .	

**RANG BEHARI LAL.**

Currency Officer.

PAPER CURRENCY OFFICE.

LAHORE;

The 7th November 1917.

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**THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—

(a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.

(b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD, C

Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

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**DEPUTY DIRECTOR, CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Delhi, the 7th November 1917.

No. 1724—3.—In exercise of the powers delegated to the Director of Criminal Intelligence by the Government of India, Mr. Abdul Majid, a Deputy Superintendent of Police of the second grade in the Criminal Intelligence Department, is granted privilege leave for 3 months, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th November 1917.

Khan Sahib Tassaduk Husain, an Inspector of the 4th grade in the United Provinces Police, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Superintendent of Police in the Criminal Intelligence Department, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th November 1917 and during the absence of Mr. Abdul Majid on privilege leave.

V. VIVIAN,

Deputy Director, Criminal Intelligence

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**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Delhi, the 7th November 1917.

**LEAVE.**

No. 1280-E.—Mr. C. G. Blomfield, Assistant Architect, attached to the Chief Engineer's Office, Delhi, is granted privilege leave for 16 days under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th November 1917, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

Delhi, the 8th November 1917.

**Transfer.**

No. 1283-E.—Mr. P. Bourne, Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade, is transferred from the III Project Division, 2nd Circle, which he left on the afternoon of the 29th October 1917, to the I Project Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 30th October 1917.

H. T. KEELING,

Secretary, P. W. D.



## NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

The 20th October 1917.

No. 191.—The following acting promotions and reversions of officers in the Northern India Salt Revenue Department are ordered during the month of September 1917.

Name.	From	To	Promotion or Reversion.	With effect from
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1. In the vacancy caused by the absence on military duty of Mr. A. V. Nash, Superintendent, 3rd grade, from 29th July 1915.

Mr. E. R. Goodwin	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Reversion .	1st.
Mr. E. R. Goodwin	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Assistant intendant, grade, Sub. <i>pro</i> <i>tem.</i>	Super- 1st	Promotion .	17th.

2. In the vacancy caused by the appointment as General Manager of Salt Mines, of Mr. F. D. Reid, Assistant Commissioner, from 27th February 1917.

Mr. G. L. Fanthome	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Reversion .	1st.
Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, B.A.	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Promotion .	1st.

3. In the vacancy caused by the absence on one year's combined leave of Mr. P. C. Scott O'Connor, Deputy Commissioner, from 13th May 1917.

Mr. Bijay Krishna De, B. Sc.	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Reversion .	1st.
Mr. G. L. Fanthome	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Promotion .	1st.

4. In the vacancy caused by the absence on 2 months and 28 days' privilege leave of Mr. H. A. H. Scott, Superintendent, from 17th June 1917 to 13th September 1917.

Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, B. A.	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Reversion .	1st.
Mr. E. R. Goodwin	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Promotion .	1st.
Mr. Bhagwan Das	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Inspector, 3rd grade		Reversion .	14th.

5. In the vacancy caused by the absence on 6 months' combined leave of Mr. P. T. Watling, Superintendent, from 24th June 1917.

Mr. Ahmad Husain	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Reversion .	1st.
Mr. Bijay Krishna De, B. Sc.	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Promotion .	1st.

Name	From	To	Promotion or Reversion.	With effect from
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6. In the vacancy caused by the absence on 6 months' combined leave of Mr. W. O. Davy, Superintendent, from 10th July 1917.

Mr. Shiv Charan Das	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade	Reversion . .	1st.
Mr. Ahmad Huson	Assistant Superintendent, grade	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . .	1st.

7. In the vacancy caused by the absence on 18 days' privilege leave of Mr. H. O'Donnell, Superintendent, from 30th August 1917 to 16th September 1917.

Mr. Shiv Charan Das, B. A.	Assistant Superintendent, grade	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . .	1st.
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8. In the vacancy caused by the absence on one month's privilege leave of Mr. E. R Goodwin, Assistant Superintendent, from 4th September 1917

Mr. Hargobind Singh	Inspector, 2nd grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade	Promotion . .	4th.
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9. In the vacancy caused by the absence in transit from Jatta to Malgin of Mr. N. Daly, Superintendent, for 14th and 15th September 1917.

Mr. E. R Goodwin	Assistant Superintendent, grade	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . .	14th.
Mr. Bhagwan Das	Inspector, 3rd grade .	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Do . .	14th.

10. In the vacancy caused by the absence on one month's privilege leave of Mr. Harnam Singh, Superintendent, from 15th September 1917.

Mr. E. R Goodwin	Assistant Superintendent, grade	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . .	16th only.
Mr. Shiv Charan Das, B. A.	Assistant Superintendent, grade.	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Do . .	17th.
Mr. A. Gardner	Inspector, 2nd grade .	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Do . .	15th.

(139 A. P. of 1917)

The 6th November 1917.

**No. 203** —Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, Assistant Superintendent, Nurpur Circle, Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division, is granted privilege leave for 12 days in extension of the period sanctioned by Notification No. 166, dated the 2nd October 1917.

(10 P. of 1917.)

J. C. FERGUSSON,

Offg. Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

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**IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Pusa, the 10th November 1917.

**No. 2364.**—Notification No. 337-C, dated the 24th September 1917, granting privilege leave to Mr. Jatindra Nath Mukerji, First Assistant to the Imperial Agricultural Chemist, is cancelled.

**No. 2365.**—Notification No. 338-C, dated the 24th September 1917, appointing Mr. A. V. Iyer, Second Assistant to the Imperial Agricultural Chemist, to act as First Assistant is cancelled.

J. MacKENNA,

Agricultural Adviser to the Govt. of India.

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**SURVEY OF INDIA—NORTHERN CIRCLE.****NOTIFICATIONS.**

Mussorie, the 6th November 1917.

**No. 4**—Mr. H. T. Hughes, Extra Assistant Superintendent, attached to No. 3 Party (Northern Circle), Survey of India, is granted under articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for 1 month and 16 days from 8th October 1917.

**No. 5.**—Mr. G. J. S. Rao, Extra Assistant Superintendent, attached to No. 1 Party (Northern Circle), Survey of India, is granted under articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three months with effect from 1st November 1917 or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

C. L. ROBERTSON, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,

Offg. Superintendent, Northern Circle

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**MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATIONS.**

Delhi, the 13th November 1917.

**No. 56-G-Camp.**—Rai Sahib Satyendra Nath Aditya, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary and supernumerary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 1st November 1917.

**No. 57-G-Camp**—Mr. Khazan Singh, Accountant, 1st grade (provisional), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 1st November 1917, during the absence of Rai Sahib Satyendra Nath Aditya, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary and supernumerary), on privilege leave.

**No. 58-G-Camp.**—Mr. K. R. Sadashiva Rao, B.A. (Cantab), an officer of the Indian Finance Department, on deputation in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 7th (Meerut) Division, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty days on medical grounds, in extension of the privilege leave for six weeks granted in Military Accounts Department Notification No. 3155-G., dated 9th October 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,

Military Accountant-General.

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**CHIEF COURT OF THE PUNJAB.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Lahore, the 5th November 1917.

**No. 5903-G.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 52 (1) of the Punjab Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and with the previous sanction of the Local Government, the Hon'ble Judges of the Chief Court are pleased to direct that the Official Receiver appointed for the District of Delhi shall, subject to the directions of the Court, have the following powers namely:—

- (1) to hear insolvency petitions, to examine the debtor and to make orders of adjudication,
- (2) to frame schedules and to admit or reject proofs of creditors,
- (3) to grant orders of discharge,
- (4) to approve compositions or schemes of arrangement,
- (5) to make interim orders in any case of urgency,
- (6) to hear and determine any unopposed or *ex parte* application.

By order, etc ,

J. A. FERGUSON,  
Registrar.

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**DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 9th November 1917.

**No. 19** —The services of 3rd class Assistant Surgeon F. P. Linton, I.S.M.D., are placed at the disposal of the Director, Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 31st December 1916.

H. ROSS, Major, I.M.S.,

for Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND  
CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Quetta, the 10th November 1917.

**No. 3267.**—The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Baluchi language by the Higher Standard at an examination held at Quetta on the 5th and 6th November 1917 :—

1. Mr E. J. Bolus, Collector of Larkana. (Passed with credit.)
2. Mr. B. H. Ford, Treasury Officer, Quetta. (Passed with credit.)
3. Mr. R. M. Macgregor, Irrigation Officer in Baluchistan.
4. Captain E. E. Doyle, I.M.S. (Passed with credit.)
5. Assistant Surgeon G. J. Cowper, I.S.M.D.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,  
First Assistant.

## CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 8th November 1917.

**No. 9433-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 3rd November 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No. Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.										Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
Delhi . . . . .	225,471	160	137	297	111	95	206	...	...	...	82	15	62	...	47	...	48	33	81	64.50	47.61	
Notified Area . . . . .	3,673	5	7	12	2	2	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	69.88	6.62	
Total . . . . .	229,144	165	144	309	113	97	210	...	...	...	85	15	62	...	48	...	49	34	83	70.12	47.65	

**No. 9434-Home.**—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending the 31st October 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
P. S. Alipur . . . . .	60	54	...	...	...	34	1	18	...	...	1	...	18	8	26	
Nangloi . . . . .	50	61	...	...	...	32	2	22	...	...	5	2	11	13	24	
Najafgarh . . . . .	34	50	...	...	...	26	...	24	...	...	.	...	11	14	25	
Subsimundi . . . . .	5	6	...	..	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	.	2	..	2	
Paharganj . . . . .	...	1	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	..	
Mehrauli . . . . .	58	66	...	...	...	30	...	32	...	...	4	2	11	15	26	
Raisina . . . . .	15	6	...	...	1	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	
Shahdara . . . . .	14	16	...	...	...	11	...	5	.	...	...	...	6	3	9	
New Cantonment . . . . .	22	21	...	...	...	11	3	6	...	...	1	...	1	...	4	
Total of the District . . . . .	258	281	...	...	1	154	6	109	...	...	11	4	65	54	119	

The 12th November 1917.

**No. 9509-Education.**—In accordance with the provisions of section 15 (2) of Act XX of 1883 (The Punjab District Boards Act), the Chief Commissioner is pleased to notify that Pandit Madan Gopal of Mehpalpur is appointed a member of the District Board, Delhi, *vice* Chaudhri Amin Lal Zaildar of Palam, deceased.

W. M. HAILEY,

Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

## ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

### NOTIFICATION.

Camp Ajmer, the 9th November 1917.

**No. 1593 C. S.**—Whereas the land designated below is required for a public purpose; this declaration is made accordingly under the provisions of section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894.

District.	Pargana.	Mauza.	Approximate area.	For what purpose.	REMARKS.
Abu . . .	Abu . . .	Abu . . .	<p>(1) 79174 square feet = 2.92 Sirohi Bighas or 1.83 acres, as defined below.—</p> <p>Boundaries—North—Sikar House.</p> <p>South—Abu Cart Road</p> <p>East—Compound of Mountain Motor Co., Garage, etc.</p> <p>West—Sikar House</p> <p>(2) 41180 square feet = 1.51 Sirohi bighas or say 1.00 acre, as defined below :—</p> <p>Boundaries :—North—Victoria House.</p> <p>South—Abu Cart Road .</p> <p>East—Klema Lok's field.</p> <p>West—Brooke Sarai and Mewar Bhil Corps Lines.</p>	<p>For the construction of New Tehsil and Forest Buildings at Abu.</p> <p>For the construction of New Police Buildings at Abu.</p>	The plans can be seen at the office of the Collector of Abu.

Under section 7 of the Act, the Collector is hereby directed to take order for the acquisition of the land specified above.

By order,

C. E. HALL,

Secretary to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, in the Public Works Department.

Mount Abu, the 12th November 1917.

**No. 7009.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914 (VIII of 1914), the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana is pleased to make the following rule for the regulation of motor vehicles, let or plied for hire in the District of Abu.)

No motor vehicle shall be let or plied for hire within the limits of Abu District including the road from Mount Abu to Abu Road without an owner's permit granted by the District Magistrate of Abu, subject to such conditions and for such period as the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana may prescribe from time to time. The permit shall be in the Form A appended to this Notification, with such variations as the circumstances may require.

## FORM A.

## OWNER'S PERMIT FOR MOTOR VEHICLE LET OR PLYING FOR HIRE.

*Number of permit.*

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Notification of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana, No 7009, dated the 12th November 1917, I grant to you

residing at this permit on the conditions mentioned in the said  
 \*Notification to let or ply for hire the motor vehicle numbered below from the date hereof  
 till the 191 , unless this permit is previously cancelled or suspended.

\* Copy of the Notification may be printed as an accompaniment to the permit.

District Magistrate, Abu.

The Mount Abu, 191 .

By order,  
 B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana.

## REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st F. S. Garr. Bn., Somerset L. I., of 2nd-Lt. P. Willis, dated at Rawalpindi, this 6th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—2nd-Lieut., Phillip Willis.  
 Age—25 years.  
 Height—5 feet 7 inches.  
 Colour of—Complexion, sallow; eyes, brown.  
 Trade—Rancher Canada.  
 Date of Enlistment: Commission—17th September 1915.

Place of Enlistment—England.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—15th October 1917.  
 Place of Desertion or absence—Burbhan Camp.  
 Marks—Clean shaven, good looking, wears hat tilted in a jaunty fashion towards the left.  
 Speaks with marked American accent.  
 On furlough.  
 Under three years' service.

T. W. BONE, Lt., Adjutant, 1st F. S. Gn. Bn. Somerset L. I.  
 for Lieut.-Colonel Commanding 1st F. S. Gn. Bn., Somerset L. I.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Garrison Battalion, Manchester Regiment, dated at Fyzabad, this 9th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—45559, Private, Oakes Alfred.  
 Age—33 years 6 months.  
 Height—5 feet 7½ inches.  
 Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, dark brown.  
 Trade—Painter  
 Date of Enlistment—20th August 1902.

Place of Enlistment—Birmingham.  
 Parish and County in which born—Warwick.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—8th November 1917.  
 Place of Desertion or absence—Fyzabad, U P.  
 Marks—Nil.  
 15½ years (under 16 years' service).

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Garrison Battalion, Manchester Regiment, dated at Fyzabad, this 9th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—45546, Private, Taffinder Phillip.  
 Age—25 years 9 months.  
 Height—5 feet 3½ inches.  
 Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, auburn; eyes, blue.  
 Trade—Labourer.  
 Date of Enlistment—7th June 1911.

Place of Enlistment—Hall, England.  
 Parish and County in which born—Drypool, Yorks, England.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—8th November 1917.  
 Place of Desertion or absence—Fyzabad, U. P., India.  
 Marks—Nil.  
 6½ years (under 7 years' service).

H. W. BRETHERTON, Colonel,  
 Commanding 1st Garrison Battalion, Manchester Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Garrison Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers, dated at Jhansi, this 13th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank and Name—51232, Private, John McDonald.  
 Age—39 years 1 month.  
 Height—5 feet 4½ inches.  
 Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, black; eyes, grey.  
 Trade—Fireman.  
 Date of enlistment—17th December 1914.  
 Place of enlistment—Glasgow.

Parish and County in which born—Anderson, Glasgow.  
 Date of desertion or absence—26th October 1917.  
 Place of desertion or absence—Bombay.  
 Scar on right chin and Appendix scar, was employed as Sanitary Orderly on Hired Transport "Hong-moh."  
 Under 3 years' service.

W. B. RANKIN, Major,  
 Commanding 1st Garrison Battalion, R. S. Fusiliers

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.
723—1915	Bhervanand Swami Gura Brohmanand.	Hindu . . .	Panatal Terraces, Grant Road . . .	Lately dealing in native drugs under the name of Dr. S. Hermit and now unemployed.	29th	November .	1915.
246—1917	Shaik Ennos Shaik Ismail Kakni .	Mahomedan . . .	Nawa Nagpada . . .	A Boilermaker in the employ of Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas.	16th	May .	1917.
382—1917	William Alfred Stephens . . .	Anglo-Indian . . .	Proctor Road, Girgaum . . .	An Assistant in the employ of Messrs. Stephens & Son.	28th	July .	1917.
731—1915	Harkisondas Madanji Sha . . .	Hindu . . .	No. 30, Frere Road . . .	Lately speculator in Government Papers, etc., and now Clerk in the employ of Dorabji Framji.	4th	December .	1915.
742—1915	Gajanan Rajaram Mathure . . .	" . . .	Agar Bazar, Lower Mahim . . .	Lately Clerk in the Textile Mills and now unemployed.	7th	" .	"

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, BOMBAY; }  
 Bombay, this 6th day of November 1917.

R. B. PATEL,

Chief Clerk.



# IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
564—1917	Gordhandas Bilasrai Marwari .	Hindu .	Kalbadevi Road .	Formerly general broker in partnership with Haribux Bilasrai Marwari and Ramtison Gulabrai and now in partnership with Haribux Bilasrai.	5th	November .	1917	5th	November .	1917
565—1917	Ramjan Badloo alias Ramjan Baloo Masin.	Mahomedan .	Madanpura .	Lately weaver and now unemployed .	"	"	"	"	"	"
566—1917	Adamji Abdul Kayam Mewala .	"	Bhusari Molla .	Embroiderer .	"	"	"	"	"	"
567—1917	Dominic De Souza alias D. J. D'Souza.	Portuguese .	Mazagon Dockyard Road .	Lately extra tally clerk in different Docks and now unemployed.	"	"	"	6th	"	"
568—1917	Bhagwan Mulji Makwana .	Hindu .	Kamatipura 5th Lane .	Lately dealer in boots, shoes, etc., and now servant in the employ of Pacha Deway	"	"	"	5th	"	"
569—1917	Haribux alias Hirabux Bilasrai Marwari.	"	Kalbadevi Road .	Formerly general broker in partnership with Gordhandas Bilasrai and Ramtison Gulabrai and now in partnership with Gordhandas Bilasrai.	"	"	"	"	"	"
570—1917	Bhugwandin Mahadeo Doobay .	Hindu .	Jacob Circle .	Servant in the employ of Haji Dawood Haji alias.	6th	"	"	6th	"	"
571—1917	Mohanlal Mulji Rawal .	"	Girgaon Back Road, Badamwadi.	Clerk to Messrs. Ardesir Hormuji Dinsha and Co., Solicitors, High Court Buildings.	7th	"	"	7th	"	"
572—1917	Thakernay Mooni Sna .	"	Bhudy Bazar .	Hawker in Udad flour wafers .	8th	"	"	8th	"	"
573—1917	Moreshwar Babulji Desai .	"	Dadar .	Lately fitter in the employ of Pestonji Byramji Press and now unemployed.	9th	"	"	9th	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 12th day of November 1917. }

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.****Insolvency Jurisdiction.****CASE No. 192 of 1917.**

Rangoon, the 25th October 1917.

In the matter of Maung Po Yin, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Yin, clerk, of No. 168, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 25th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Yin.

**CASE No. 193 of 1917.**

Rangoon, the 26th October 1917.

In the matter of Edwin Charles Oliver, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Edwin Charles Oliver, Telegraphist, residing at No. 19-D, Bigandet Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Edwin Charles Oliver.

**CASE No. 28 of 1917.**

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of C. Murugasa Pathar, goldsmith, of No. 20, 32nd Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said C. Murugasa Pathar an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

**CASE No. 92 of 1917.**

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of Kanchirla Yenklah, No. 33, 15th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Kanchirla Yenklah an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

**CASE No. 118 of 1917.**

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba Aye, clerk, residing at Mohr Brothers' Compound, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Ba Aye an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

**CASE No. 121 of 1917.**

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of Bal Kristnadas Kaniyalall, cloth merchant, of No. 153 C, Surati Bazaar, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Bal Kristnadas Kaniyalall an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 189 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th October 1917.

In the matter of Paul Thorvald Christensen, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Paul Thorvald Christensen, of No. 25, 44th Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Paul Thorvald Christensen.

## CASE No. 194 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st November 1917.

In the matter of D. P. Rao, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by D. P. Rao, clerk, of No. 71, 27th Street, Rangoon, on the 31st day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said D. P. Rao.

## CASE No. 195 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st November 1917.

In the matter of Koana Allahpitchay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Koana Allahpitchay, Bazaar supplier, residing at No. 31, 22nd Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 1st day of November 1917 against the said Koana Allahpitchay.

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Offg. Registrar.

## IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

## SUIT No. 45 of 1917.

Dated 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Kanahia, son of Ram Parshad, and Molar, son of Kanahia, of Narela.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Kanahia and Molar to be adjudicated insolvents has been admitted in this Court, and will be heard on 1st December 1917.

Dated 9th November 1917.

Notice is hereby given under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act (III of 1907) that the undermentioned persons were adjudged insolvents by this Court on the dates mentioned in column 4. Creditors are hereby required to prove their debts as soon as possible.—

1	2	3	4
Number of the case.	NAME, PARENTAGE, OCCUPATION AND PLACE OF RESIDENCE OF THE		Dates on which the petitioners were adjudicated insolvents.
	Petitioners.	Creditors.	
41	Fauju, son of Jamal Khan, caste Shaikh, Contractor of Pahar Guj, Delhi.	R. B. Sardar Narain Singh and 21 others.	2-11-17.
46	Abdul Razak, son of Ghulam Ahmad, Shaikh, of Bara Hindu Rao, Delhi.	Fazli Haq and 6 others	7-11-17.

TOPAN RAM,  
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

**NOTIFICATION.**

Calcutta, the 14th November 1917.

**No. 5907-T.**—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 8th November 1917 to 11th November 1917:—

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Chakdara Camp . . .	Punjab . . . . .	18th October 1917 . . .	Closed.
Ghagra . . . . .	Bihar and Orissa . . .	21st . . . . .	"
Meerut Artillery Lines . .	United Provinces . . .	21th . . . . .	Opened.
<i>Railway Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Ahmadpur . . . . .	Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway .	1st November 1917 . . .	Opened.
Ambalgram . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Chowpatta . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Daskalgram . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Kirnabar . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Labpur . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Moheshpur . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Nirole . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Pachandi . . . . .	Ditto . . . . .	" " " " . . .	"
Palh . . . . .	North-Western Railway .	12th " " " . . .	Closed.
Ramjibanpur . . . . .	Ahmadpur Katwa Railway .	1st " " " . . .	Opened.
Talhar . . . . .	North-Western Railway .	12th " " " . . .	Closed.

The following alteration in the name of a Government Telegraph Office is notified:—

" Hetampur-Rajbati " instead of " Hetampur ".

W. SUTHERLAND,

Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

The 14th November 1917.

**No. 5881-T.**—Mr. R. T. E. Culpeper, Telegraph Master, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent of post offices, Traffic, Bombay Circle, with effect from the 29th October 1917, *vice* Mr A. G. Moore on field service.

**No. 5896-T.**—The following Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, on attaining the maximum pay of the Rs. 325—400 grade, is permitted to rise, by annual increments of Rs. 25, to Rs. 500 with effect from the 6th January 1917:—

Name.	Office.	Nature of appointment.	Date on which first increment is due.
Mr. J. Steele . . . . .	Calicut . . . . .	Permanent on probation .	6th January 1918.

**No. 5909-T.**—Mr. R. W. Hodges, late Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, was granted furlough on medical certificate for 5 months and 8 days from the 14th September 1916 to the 21st February 1917.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

### POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS. (TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 12th November 1917.

**No. 3640 E.-E.**—The following reversion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. A. E. Mallik . . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, officiating.	Inspecting Telegraphist .	15th August 1917.

The 13th November 1917.

**No. 3708 E.-E.**—Mr. P. N. Biswas, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted privilege leave for one month and thirteen days combined with leave on medical certificate for four months and eighteen days with effect from the 11th October 1917.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

### POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS. (POST OFFICE.)

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th November 1917.

**No. 2796 s-App.**—Pundit Lachmi Narain Tewari, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 11th November 1917 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Pundit Mahtab Chand, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Pundit Lachmi Narain Tewari or until further orders.

The 10th November 1917.

**No. 2802 s-App.**—Mr. H. R. MacLeod, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, officiating in the 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 3rd November 1917 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. Muhammad Zaman Khan, probationary Superintendent of post offices, Punjab and N.-W. F., is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. H. R. MacLeod or until further orders.

The 12th November 1917.

**No. 2808 s-App.**—The following reversions are ordered with effect from the 19th October 1917 :—

Rai Radhika Mohan Lahiri Bahadur to revert as Assistant Director-General of the Post Office in the grade of Rs. 1,000;

Mr. C. G. Hamilton to revert as sub. *pro tem.* Assistant Director-General of the Post Office in the grade of Rs. 800.

Babu Manindra Nath Banerji to revert as Personal Assistant to the Director-General, pay Rs. 400—500 and to work as Financial Personal Assistant to the Director-General;

Mr. A. J. L. Genet to revert as Chief Clerk, Office of the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, Simla.

No. 2826*s-App.*—Lala Sukhdial Das, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 2nd grade, is granted a further extension of privilege leave for one month with effect from the 14th October 1917.

The 13th November 1917.

No. 2832 *s-App.*—Mr. L. F. D'Sa, Postmaster, Jubbulpore, pay Rs. 300—400, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 15th November 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Babu Haridas Goswami, Postmaster, Jodhpur, pay Rs. 150—200, is appointed to officiate as Postmaster, Jubbulpore, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. L. F. B. D'Sa, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

### OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

The following is a statement of the cash balances at the Home Treasury of the Government of India on the last day of September 1917 and of the form in which they were held:—

	General Balance.	Gold Standard Reserve.
	£	£
Cash at the Bank of England . . . . .	1,853,661	...
Short loans . . . . .	7,187,846	6,062,154
Total Home Treasury balances as shown in the accounts . . . . .	9,041,507	6,062,154
	13,103,661	

M. M. S. GUBBAY,

Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;  
Calcutta, the 13th November 1917.

With reference to paragraph 2 of the Resolution of the Government of India in Finance Department No. 1175-F. E., dated the 30th October 1917, it is notified that the percentage on salary admissible as Exchange Compensation Allowance has been fixed at Rs. 3-3-9 per Rs. 100 for the quarter commencing 1st December, 1917. The allowance is subject to a maximum of Rs. 71-14-2 per mensem.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,

Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;  
Calcutta, 16th November 1917.

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## ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

### NOTIFICATION.

Abu, the 12th November 1917.

**No. 2204—687.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Super-tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917), such powers having been delegated by the Government of India in their Notification in the Finance Department, No. 760-F., dated the 6th April 1917, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rules for carrying out the purposes of the said Act, namely :—

1. (1) These rules may be called the Ajmer-Merwara Super-tax rules, 1917.

(2) They shall apply to whole of the Ajmer-Merwara District.

2. The return to be furnished to the Collector under section 5 of the Act shall be made in the form of return given in form A hereto appended, and the return shall be delivered or caused to be delivered to the Collector by the person or company concerned within 30 days from the date of the notice issued under the said Section.

3. The notice of assessment required by section 6 of the Super-tax Act shall be in form B hereto appended :

Provided that when the person or company chargeable or charged with super-tax has, with the permission of the Collector, agreed to pay his or its tax by instalments the notice of assessment shall be in form B-1 hereto appended.

4. In the case of a person or company chargeable or charged with super-tax, the Collector may, on application by such person or company, allow at his discretion the payment of the super-tax by instalments which shall not exceed three in number with such intervals between the payments as will permit the last instalment being paid *not later than the 15th of January* in the financial year to which the assessment relates.

5. The form of petition required by section 5 (b) of the Super-tax Act shall be in form C hereto appended.

6. All applications for refund of super-tax, due on account of modification or revision of an assessment on objection or appeal, shall be dealt with by the Collector in accordance with the procedure prescribed under the principal Act, in respect of applications for a refund of the tax chargeable under that Act, so far as the procedure may be applicable.

#### FORM A.

*Notice and Return of income for assessment under section 5 (1) of the Super-tax Act, 1917.*

Income-tax year 19 -19 .

Income Tax Office,  
19 .

No. — — —

To

In pursuance of the provisions of the Super-tax Act, 1917, you are hereby required to prepare a true and correct statement of your income in the form of return printed within so far as it is applicable to your case, and to deliver it to me at my office duly signed by you within 30 days from the date of this notice.

If you desire any information on any point you should apply to the Collector of Income Tax at the Income Tax Office.

Should you desire to pay the super-tax by instalments please apply to the Collector at the time of submitting this return.

Collector of Income Tax.

*Note.*—In cases where there is no income to be returned for assessment, the word *none* should be tendered in column 2 and the general declaration should be signed.

*N.B.*—Under section 35 of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886, and section 5 (2) of the Super-Tax Act, 1917, if a person makes a statement in a declaration mentioned in section 5 (1) of the Super-tax Act, 1917, which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true he shall be deemed to have committed the offence described in section 177 of the Indian Penal Code.\*

\* By section 177 of the Indian Penal Code, it is provided that whoever, being legally bound to furnish information on any subject to any public servant, as such furnishes, as true, information on the subject which he knows or has reason to believe to be false, shall be punished with simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

## RETURN OF INCOME.

## 1.—Total Income.

Source. 1	Amount. 2	REMARKS. 3
I. Salary, annuity, pension or gratuity received during the year ending 31st March 19 ..		
II. Dividends from Joint Stock Companies during the year ending 31st March 19 ..		
III. Interest on securities during the year ending 31st March 19 ..		
<i>Note.</i> —Securities means—		
(a) promissory notes, debentures, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and		
(b) debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.)		
IV. Income received under the following heads during the year ending 31st March 19 ..:—		
A. Trade or profession .. Rs.		
B. Profits accrued in partnership with others ( <i>vide</i> further particulars attached) .. "		
C. Interest on mortgages, fixed deposits, current accounts, sums lent to traders and loans to others, club debentures, etc. .. "		
D. House property .. "		
E. Income received from outside British India including pensions, dividends and income from agricultural land not paying land revenue to the British Government .. "		
F. Profits accrued on transactions not accounted for under the returns given for A and B .. "		
G. All other income not specified above, e.g., Director's Fees, Survey Fees, etc. .. "		
H. Share in joint family income .. "		
GRAND TOTAL .. Rs.		

Total Life Insurance Premiums paid during the year .. Rs.

\* When the accounts of the person or company making this return have been made up in the year ending 31st March 19 (e.g., the financial year immediately precessing that in which the assessment is to be made), the required information may be given for the year ending on the day on which the accounts were made up

II. Further particulars of profits accrued in partnership with persons, firms, companies syndicates (*vide* Part I of return head IV-B).

Person, Firm, Company or Syndicate.		Share in profits	
Name	Address.	per cent.	Amount.

## Declaration.

I  
We  
The Company  
this return is truly estimated on each of the sources therein mentioned, that it has actually accrued within the period stated, and that I we have no other sources of income. The income shown accrued in the year ending  
Dated .. 19 .. Signature ..

*Penalty.*—By section 171, Indian Penal Code, it is provided that whoever, being legally bound to furnish information on any subject to any public servant, as such, furnishes, as true, information on the subject which he knows or has reason to believe to be false, shall be punished with simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

## Instructions.

1. Name, Residence and Designation.—In the case of a firm or company the ordinary designation of the firm or company should be entered. If the person, firm, company or Hindu undivided family making the return has several places of residence or business, they should be all mentioned, the principal place of residence or business being specified.



2. In column 1 particulars of the total income should be given against the heads specified.

The income shown in the return should be that for the "previous year" for which the accounts have been last made up, i.e., the year ending on the 31st day of March in the year immediately preceding that in which the assessment is to be made, or, if the accounts of a person or company have been made up in the year immediately preceding that in which the assessment is to be made, then, at the option of such person or company, the year ending on the day on which his or its accounts have been so made up. The date of the close of the previous year should be stated in the declaration.

3. The following sources of income, exempted under section 2 of the Act, read with section 5 (I), (a), (b), (c), (e) and (g) of the principal Act, should not be included in the particulars of income :—

(I) any rent or revenue derived from land which is used for agricultural purposes and is either assessed to land-revenue or subject to a local rate assessed and collected by officials of the Government as such, or

(II) any income derived from—

(i) agriculture, or

(ii) the performance by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind of any process ordinarily employed by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind to render the produce raised or received by him fit to be taken to market, or

(iii) the sale by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind of the produce raised or received by him, when he does not keep a shop or stall for the sale of such produce; or

(III) any building owned and occupied by the receiver of the rent or revenue of any such land as is referred to in clause (I) or by the cultivator or the receiver of rent-in-kind of any land with respect to which or the produce whereof any operation mentioned in clause (II) is carried on :

Provided that the building is on or in the immediate vicinity of the land, and is a building which the receiver of the rent or revenue, or the cultivator or the receiver of the rent-in-kind by reason of his connection with the land, requires as a dwelling-house, or as a store-house, factory or other out-building;

(IV) any income derived from property solely employed for religious or public charitable purposes; or

(V) subject to any conditions and restrictions which may be prescribed in this behalf, such portion, not exceeding one-sixth, of the income in respect whereof a person would, but for this exception, be chargeable under this Act, as is deducted from the salary of the person under the authority or with the permission of the Government for the purpose of securing a deferred annuity to him or a provision to his wife or children after his death or is paid by the person to an insurance company in respect of an insurance or deferred annuity on his own life or on the life of his wife; or

(VI) in the case of a Hindu undivided family, so much of the joint income of such family as has been actually expended or paid for the maintenance or other expenses of any member of such family or paid or finally allotted to any such member [see instruction 4 (a)];

(VII) in the case of a firm, so much of the income of the firm as has been paid or finally allotted to any of the members of the firm [see instruction 4 (b)];

(VIII) in the case of a company so much of the income of the company as has been paid or declared for payment by way of dividends or otherwise to any of its members [see instruction 4 (c)].

NOTE.—Nothing in clause (VI), (VII) or (VIII) shall be deemed to exempt from super-tax any income therein referred to when received by any member of such family, firm or company.

4. In the remarks column particulars should be given to show—

(a) in the case of a Hindu undivided family, so much of the joint income of such family as has been actually expended or paid for the maintenance or other expenses of any member of such family or paid or finally allotted to any such member;

(b) in the case of a firm, so much of the income of the firm as has been paid or finally allotted to any of the members of the firm;

(c) in the case of a company, so much of the income of the company as has been paid or declared for payment by way of dividends or otherwise to any of its members;

(d) in the case of a company or firm the amount of the excess profits duty levied in England in respect of Indian profits liable to super-tax;

(e) where income is derived from property solely applied for religious or public charitable purposes, the amount of that income;

(f) where a deduction is made from the income on account of the exemptions described in instruction 3 (V) above, the amount of the deduction.

5. The amount of income-tax assessment in the year preceding that for which super-tax is to be charged must not be deducted from the income shown in column 1 of the return. For the purpose of the return income-tax deducted at the source in respect of dividends of companies and interest on securities should be added to the amount actually received by the assessee in order to ascertain the sum liable to super-tax.

FORM B.

*Notice under section 6 of the Super-tax Act, 1917.*

Income Tax year 19 -19 .

Income Tax Office,

19 .

No. \_\_\_\_\_

To \_\_\_\_\_

Notice is hereby given that you have been assessed under the Super-tax Act, 1917, as follows, namely :—

Sources of income in respect of which you are chargeable.	Year or portion of the year for which the tax is to be paid.	Place or places, district or districts, where the income accrues.	Amount of tax to be paid	
1	2	3	4	5
	Year commencing 1st April 19 .			

2. You are hereby required to pay the abovementioned tax to the Collector in this office within sixty days from the \_\_\_\_\_ or to apply to the Collector within thirty days from such date to have the assessment reduced or cancelled.

3. Should you desire to pay the tax by instalments, application should be made to the Collector within 30 days from the date of this notice.

4. In case of default in payment, a sum not exceeding double the amount of the tax may be recovered from you under Chapter V of the Income-tax Act, 1886, and section 8 (c) of the Super-tax Act, 1917.

Collector of Income Tax.

FORM B-1.

*Notice under section 6 of the Super-tax Act, 1917.*

Income Tax year 19 -19 .

Income Tax Office,

19 .

No. \_\_\_\_\_

To \_\_\_\_\_

Notice is hereby given that you have been assessed under the Super-tax Act, 1917, as follows, namely :—

Sources of income in respect of which you are chargeable.	Year or portion of the year for which the tax is to be paid.	Place or places, district or districts, where the income accrues.	Amount of tax to be paid.	Date or dates when the tax is payable.
1	2	3	4	
	Year commencing 1st April 19 .			1st instalment.
				2nd instalment.
				3rd instalment.

2. You are hereby required to pay the abovementioned tax to the Collector in this office by the instalments shown in column 5 or to apply to the Collector within thirty days from the date on which the first instalment falls due.

3. In case of default in payment, a sum not exceeding double the amount of the tax may be recovered from you under Chapter V of the Income-tax Act, 1886, and section 8 (c) of the Super-tax Act, 1917.

Instalments having been granted this fresh notice is served on the assessee under section 6, Act VIII of 1917.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Collector of Income Tax

Collector of Income Tax.

FORM C.

*Petition for reduction or cancellation of assessment under section 8 (b) of the Super-tax Act, 1917.*

To

The Collector of Income Tax for the City of

The \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 .

(A one-anna Court Fee stamp must be affixed to the petition.)

The petition of (full name) \_\_\_\_\_ of (full address) \_\_\_\_\_

Sheweth as follows:—

1. Under Act VIII of 1917 your petitioner has been assessed in the sum of Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ for the year commencing the first day of April 19 .

2. Your petitioner's income and profits accruing from all sources for the year ending \_\_\_\_\_ were \_\_\_\_\_ rupees (as will appear from the documents\* of which a list is presented herewith).

3. Such income and profits actually accrued and arose during a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months and \_\_\_\_\_ days.

4. During the said year your petitioner had no other income or profits.

Your petitioner therefore prays that he may be assessed accordingly or that he may be declared not to be chargeable under the said Act.

(Signature)

*Form of verification.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ the petitioner named in the above petition, do declare that what is stated therein is true to the best of my information and belief.

Before me

(Signature)

Declared

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 .

\*To be struck out if the petitioner does not rely on any documents. The list, if the petitioner wishes, may be presented in a sealed envelope.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the  
Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

**STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD  
FROM 1ST NOVEMBER TO 7TH NOVEMBER 1917.**

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

NAME OF MINT.	COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.										COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.			SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS GOVERNMENT.	
	RECEIPTS.		COINAGE.		BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.						Receipt of Bullion for transfer- ren from currency balance.	Pia- tres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bul- lion.	Receipt of Subsi- diary coin for coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
	Pur- chased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasury, etc.	Native coins.	TOTAL.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasury or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	TOTAL.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Govern- ment Bullion.	With- drawn and un- current coins.	TOTAL.			
Calcutta . . .	19	2	...	12	11	...	11	1	(a) 19	4	6	30	...	...	...
Bombay . . .	24	...	...	24	10	...	10	...	(b) 49	2	...	51	1	1	...

(a) Exclusive of 8 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

(b) Exclusive of 47 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT; }  
Calcutta, the 18th November 1917.

A. MCCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,  
Master of the Mint.

**STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD  
FROM 8TH TO 15TH NOVEMBER 1917.**

● (In Lakhs of Standard Toles.) ●

NAME OF MINTS.	COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.										COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.			SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENT GOVERNMENT.		
	RECEIPTS.			COINAGE.			BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.				Receipt of Bullion for coined transferred from currency balance.	Pistres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidary coinage.	Subsidi- ary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
	Pur- chased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasures, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees small silver coins delivered to Treasures or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Govern- ment Bullion.	With- drawn and un- current coins.	Total.				
Calcutta	7	2	...	9	7	...	7	4	18(a)	4	6	32	...	...	...	...
Bombay	27	...	...	27	13	...	12	...	64(b)	2	...	66	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 20 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

(b) Exclusive of 20 ditto ditto.

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LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up . . . . .	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government Securities . . . . .	6,28,38,971	0 0
Reserve Fund <sup>Rs.</sup> 2,17,50,000 <sup>A. P.</sup> 0 0			Other authorized Investments . . . . .	1,32,16,640	0 0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, <i>see below</i> . . . . .	67,50,000	0 0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	5,20,08,245	7 10
	1,50,00,000	0 0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	4,91,51,823	10 10
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments . . . . .	67,50,000	0 0	Bills discounted and purchased . . . . .	2,74,78,963	0 10
Public Deposits at Head Office <sup>Rs.</sup> 1,35,80,706 <sup>A. P.</sup> 4 9 } <sup>Rs.</sup> 2,93,68,826 <sup>A. P.</sup> 1 1			Balances with other Banks . . . . .	48,87,835 <sup>1</sup>	8 3
Public Deposits at Branches <sup>Rs.</sup> 1,57,86,119 <sup>A. P.</sup> 12 4 }			Bullion . . . . .	.....	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . . . .	31,04,29,739	6 1	Dead Stock . . . . .	28,96,008	4 0
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . . .	13,19,119	6 3	Stamps . . . . .	11,080	0 11
Sundries . . . . .	14,67,528	11 5	Sundries . . . . .	3,73,061	11
<b>RUPRES</b> . . . . .	<b>38,13,33,213</b>	<b>8 10</b>	<b>RUPRES</b> . . . . .	<b>21,28,62,609</b>	<b>12</b>
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* <sup>Rs.</sup> 10,63,53,032 <sup>A. P.</sup> 9 4		
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† <sup>Rs.</sup> 6,51,17,571 <sup>A. P.</sup> 3 6		
			<b>RUPRES</b> . . . . .	<b>17,14,70,603</b>	<b>12 10</b>
			<b>RUPRES</b> . . . . .	<b>38,43,33,213</b>	<b>8 10</b>

\* Includes Sovs. &  $\frac{1}{2}$  Sovs., value Rs. 3,78,022 8 0

† Do. do. do. ,, 6,53,430 0 0

Rs. 10,31,452 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;  
Calcutta, 16th November 1917. }H. MITCHELL,  
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**E. R. SESHU IYER,**

Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

## Joint Stock Companies.

SEPTEMBER, 1917.

Table 1.

Abstract Statement of Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of September, 1917.

Classification of Companies	Number of Companies	Aggregate authorised capital
		Rs. (1,000)
Banking and Loan . . . . .	3	6,30
Co-operative Association . . . . .	1	2,50
Printing, Publishing, and Stationery . . . . .	3	2,10
Trading other than Co-operative Association, Printing, Publishing, and Stationery . . . . .	11	47,70
Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses . . . . .	1	2,00
Mills and Presses other than Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses . . . . .	1	15,00
Tea Planting . . . . .	2	5,20
Coal Mining . . . . .	1	1,00
Mining and Quarrying other than Coal . . . . .	1	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>82,30</b>

Table 2.

Abstract Statement of Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the six months, April to September, 1917, as compared with those in the corresponding months of the preceding year.

Classification of Companies	1916 (April to September)		1917 (April to September)	
	Number of Companies	Aggregate authorised capital	Number of Companies	Aggregate authorised capital
		Rs. (1,000)		Rs. (1,000)
Banking and Loan . . . . .	13	55,80	20	19,15
Insurance . . . . .	1	1,00	...	...
Railways and Tramways . . . . .	...	...	3	28,00
Shipping, Landing, and Warehousing . . . . .	...	...	1	5,00
Co-operative Association . . . . .	...	...	1	2,50
Printing, Publishing, and Stationery . . . . .	3	5,00	8	3,90
Trading other than Railways, Shipping, Co-operative Association, Printing, etc. . . . .	20	3,51,84	42	1,26,32
Cotton Mills . . . . .	3	68,00	...	...
Jute Mills . . . . .	3	1,88,50	...	...
Mill for wool, silk, hemp, etc. . . . .	...	...	1	1,00
Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses . . . . .	...	...	1	2,00
Paper Mill . . . . .	...	...	1	2,00
Rice Mills . . . . .	1	75	2	1,70
Flour Mill . . . . .	1	8,00	...	...
Other Mills and Presses . . . . .	...	...	1	15,00
Tea Planting . . . . .	12	32,40	15	34,93
Coffee and Cinchona . . . . .	...	...	1	3,00
Planting other than tea, coffee, and cinchona . . . . .	2	15,00	4	5,48
Coal Mining . . . . .	4	25,20	5	14,00
Mining and Quarrying other than Coal . . . . .	3	1,02	4	46,50
Land and Building . . . . .	1	50	1	1,00
Brewery . . . . .	...	...	1	6,88
Ice Manufacturing . . . . .	...	...	1	60
Companies other than those specified above . . . . .	1	45,00	6	32,35



Table 3.

Detailed statement showing particulars of Joint Stock Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of September, 1917.

No.	Class and Name	Situation of Registered Office	Objects	Authorised capital
	<b>I.—Banking, Loan, and Insurance.</b>			Rs.
1	Cachar Loan Co. . . . .	Silchar, Assam . . . . .	Banking and money-lending.	30,000
2	Co-operative Bengal Loan Co. . . . .	Bengal . . . . .	Financing industries and money-lending.	2,00,000
3	Mayavaram Permanent Fund . . . . .	Mayavaram, Madras . . . . .	Banking . . . . .	3,90,985
	Total, Banking, Loan, and Insurance . . . . .	.....	.....	6,20,985
	<b>II.—Trading.</b>			
	(a) Co-operative Associations.			
4	Delhi Swadeshi Co-operative Stores . . . . .	Delhi . . . . .	Trading in Indian goods . . . . .	2,50,000
	(b) Printing, Publishing, and Stationery.			
5	Rangoon Mail . . . . .	Rangoon, Burma . . . . .	Purchasing and publishing the <i>Rangoon Mail</i> , etc.	10,000
6	Hindustan . . . . .	Bombay . . . . .	Printing, publishing, etc.	1,00,000
7	Sons of India . . . . .	Madras . . . . .	" " . . . . .	1,00,000
	Total, Printing, Publishing, and Stationery . . . . .	.....	.....	2,10,000
	(c) Others.			
8	Htye Gwan Co. . . . .	Rangoon, Burma . . . . .	Shipowning, trading, and commission agency.	1,00,000
9	Hopes* . . . . .	Calcutta, Bengal . . . . .	General merchants, contractors, and agents.	5,00,000
10	Dr. Bose's Sanatorium . . . . .	" " . . . . .	Starting sanatoriums, hotels, dispensaries, etc.	50,000
11	Robert Hudson (India)* . . . . .	" " . . . . .	General merchants and commission agents.	5,00,000
12	Reliance Fire-Brick and Pottery Co. . . . .	" " . . . . .	Manufacturing and exporting fire clay, bricks, etc.	3,00,000
13	Currimbhoy and Co. . . . .	Bombay . . . . .	General merchants and commission agents.	25,00,000
14	Premier Furnishing and Decorating Co. . . . .	" . . . . .	Decorators, florists, etc. . . . .	1,00,000
15	Sind Swadeshi Stores . . . . .	Karachi, Bombay . . . . .	Dealing in swadeshi goods, etc.	1,00,000
16	Kapadvanj Soap Factory . . . . .	Bombay . . . . .	Manufacturing soap, etc. . . . .	1,00,000
17	Electro-metal Refining Co. . . . .	" . . . . .	Electro metal refiners, electro-platers etc.	5,00,000
18	Chidambaram Indian Vastu Sala . . . . .	Chidambaram South Arcot, Madras.	Selling indigenous articles . . . . .	20,000
	Total, others. . . . .	.....	.....	47,70,000
	Total, Trading . . . . .	.....	.....	52,30,000

\* Registered as a private company.

Table 3—contd.

Detailed statement showing particulars of Joint Stock Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of September, 1917—contd.

No.	Class and Name	Situation of Registered Office	Objects	Authorised capital
III.—Mills and Presses.				Rs.
(a) Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses.				
19	Dacca Baling Co. *	Calcutta, Bengal	Baling and pressing jute and other fibres.	2,00,000
(b) Other Mills and Presses.				
20	Bhagirath Spinning, Weaving, and Manufacturing Co.	Jalgaon, Bombay	Bleaching, dyeing, etc.	15,00,000
Total, Mills and Presses		.....	.....	17,00,000
IV.—Tea and other Planting Companies.				
21	International Tea and Trading Co.	Calcutta, Bengal	Cultivation and manufacture of, and dealing in, tea, etc.	2,00,000
22	Oodla bari Co.	" "	" "	3,20,000
Total, Tea and other Planting Companies		.....	.....	5,20,000
V.—Mining and Quarrying.				
(a) Coal.				
23	Tisra Colliery	Calcutta, Bengal	Mining coal, etc.	1,00,000
(b) Others				
24	J. D. Jones & Co. (Bombay)	Bombay	Manufacturing mica, etc.	50,000
TOTAL, MINING AND QUARRYING		... ..	.....	1,50,000
GRAND TOTAL		.....	.....	82,29,985

\*Registered as a private company.

CALCUTTA :  
November 13, 1917. }

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,  
Director of Statistics.

## COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 2 of 1917-18.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 30th September, 1917.

(Season 1917-18, i.e., from 1st September, 1917, to 31st August, 1918.)

Province or State	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (a)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half- month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	TOTAL QUANTITY PRESSED FROM 1ST SEPTEMBER TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1917 (BALES OF 400 LBS EACH)	
						Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda . . .			196	23	4,075	4,880	7,509
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States) . .			168	...	...	...	...
Madras . . . . .			55	38	(b) 5,093	11,449	(f) 22,296
Punjab (including Native States) . . . . .			92	...	...	...	193
United Provinces . . . . .			85	7	1,398	1,398	684
Sind . . . . .			15	1	...	...	86
Burma . . . . .			19	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .			...	...	...	...	...
Bengal . . . . .			3	...	...	...	10
Assam . . . . .			...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province . . . . .			1	1	...	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara . . . . .			9	...	...	...	...
Delhi . . . . .			1	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (c)</b>			<b>644</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>10,566</b>	<b>17,786</b>	<b>30,773</b>
Hyderabad . . . . .			41	(e)	(e)	...	...
Central India . . . . .			32	(e)	(e)	...	...
Rajputana . . . . .			10	2	1,206	1,206	3,915
Mysore . . . . .			3	(e)	(e)	...	...
<b>TOTAL NATIVE STATES (d)</b>			<b>86</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1,206</b>	<b>1,206</b>	<b>3,915</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>			<b>730</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>11,772</b>	<b>18,942</b>	<b>34,693</b>

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 30th September, 1917.  
(Season 1917-18, i.e., from 1st September, 1917, to 31st August, 1918.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	TOTAL QUANTITY RECEIVED FROM 1ST SEPTEMBER TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1917 (BALES OF 400 LBS EACH)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	178	46	8,401	10,457	18,243
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	6	32	52	2
Madras	14	11	(a) 820	856	(f) 497
Punjab	3	2	82	320	1,667
United Provinces	15	1	2	2	66
Sind	1	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Bengal	10	9	1,397	2,940	6,133
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	257	359	...
Delhi	2	1	283	341	182
<b>TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (c)</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>11,334</b>	<b>16,329</b>	<b>26,740</b>
Hyderabad	3	2	1	1	...
Central India	3	1	976	1,011	3,236
Rajputana	1	(e)	(c)	...	...
Mysore	2	(e)	(c)	...	...
<b>TOTAL NATIVE STATES (d)</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>1,042</b>	<b>3,236</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>12,311</b>	<b>17,369</b>	<b>29,976</b>

*Note.*—This statement shows the quantity of unpressed cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 22nd and 29th September, 1917.

(b) No returns received.

(c) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.

(d) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.

(e) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

(f) Revised figure.

III.—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September to 30th September, 1917, in British Provinces (including Native States within provincial boundaries).

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 30th September, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 30th September, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 2 and 3 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda		4,889	10,457	15,346	
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)		...	52	52	
Madras		11,419	1,856	13,305	
Punjab (including Native States)		...	661	661	
North-West Frontier Province		...	...	...	
Delhi		...	...	...	
United Provinces		1,308	2	1,400	
Sind		...	...	...	
Burma		...	...	...	
Bengal		...	...	...	
Bihar and Orissa		...	2,940	2,940	
Assam		...	...	...	
Ajmer-Merwara		...	359	359	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>17,736</b>	<b>16,827</b>	<b>34,063</b>	

*Note.*—This table contains the totals of tables I and II, excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore.

\* See footnote (a) to statement I.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA,  
November 15, 1917.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,  
Director of Statistics.



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## PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

### HOME DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### ESTABLISHMENTS.

*Delhi, the 19th November 1917.*

**No. 366-C.**—Mr G. Eyre Wilson, Registrar of the office of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy, has been permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st December 1917.

**No. 368-C.**—His Excellency the Viceroy is pleased to appoint Mr. H. St. Clair Freitas to be Registrar of the office of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy, with effect from the 1st December 1917.

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**MEDICAL.**

*The 19th November 1917.*

**No. 334-C.**—Brevet-Colonel H. F. Cleveland, V.H.S., I.M.S., Deputy Director General, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to officiate as Director General, Indian Medical Service, from the 3rd to the 21st October 1917 (both days inclusive), and to be Director General, Indian Medical Service, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 22nd October 1917, until further orders.

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**POLICE.**

*The 19th November 1917.*

**No. 349-C.**—Sir C. R. Cleveland, K.C.I.E., I.C.S., Director, Criminal Intelligence, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 1st November 1917.

This cancels the Home Department notification no. 842, dated the 22nd September 1917.

**No. 350-C.**—Mr. V. P. T. Vivian, Assistant Director, Criminal Intelligence, is appointed to officiate until further orders as Deputy Director, Criminal Intelligence, with effect from the 1st November 1917.

This cancels the Home Department notification no. 844, dated the 22nd September 1917.

**No. 351-C.**—Mr. F. A. R. Sempkins, on special duty, is appointed in addition to his own duties to officiate as Assistant Director, Criminal Intelligence, with effect from the 1st November 1917 and until further orders.

This cancels the Home Department notification no. 845, dated the 22nd September 1917.

S. R. HIGNELL,

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.**


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**NOTIFICATIONS.**
**AGRICULTURE.**

*Delhi, the 17th November 1917.*

**No. 42-C.**—Dr. W. H. Harrison, D.Sc., Agricultural Chemist, Madras, is appointed to be Imperial Agricultural Chemist, Fusa, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th November 1917.

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**FORESTS.**

*The 23rd November 1917.*

**No. 54-C.**—Mr. C. E. Muriel, Conservator of Forests, 1st grade (on leave), is permitted to retire from the service of Government with effect from 9th November 1917.

From the same date the following promotions are made:—

Mr. H. Carter, Conservator of Forests, 2nd (Officiating 1st) grade, is confirmed in the 1st grade

Mr. R. McIntosh, Conservator of Forests, 3rd (*s. p. t.* 2nd) grade, is confirmed in the 2nd grade.

Mr. R. M. Williamson, Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade, *s. p. t.*, is confirmed in that grade

Mr. F. Trafford, Conservator of Forests, 3rd (Officiating 2nd) grade, is appointed Conservator of Forests, 2nd grade, *s. p. t.*

Mr. R. C. Milward, Officiating Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade, is appointed Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade *s. p. t.*

R. A. MANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATION.***Delhi, the 19th November 1917.*

**No. 28.**—Mr William Sinclair, Sub-engineer, 3rd grade, United Provinces, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, and is posted to the United Provinces.

F. C. ROSE,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATIONS.***Delhi, the 19th November 1917.*

**No. 1962-Est. A.**—The Hon'ble Sir E. G. Colvin, K.C.S.I., a Resident of the 1st class, and Agent to the Governor General in Rajputana and Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-three days with effect from the 12th November 1917.

**No. 1963-Est. A.**—Lieutenant-Colonel J. Manners Smith, V.C., C.V.O., C.I.E., a Resident of the 2nd class, is appointed to officiate as a Resident of the 1st class and Agent to the Governor General in Rajputana and Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara with effect from the 12th November 1917.

**No. 1966-Est. A.**—Lieutenant-Colonel A. L. Jacob, C.I.E., of the Political Department, on return from leave is posted as Political Agent, Zhob, with effect from the 19th October 1917.

**No. 1967-Est. A.**—Major C. E. Bruce, of the Political Department is posted as Assistant Political Agent, Loralai, with effect from the 20th October 1917.

**No. 1975-Est. A.**—Lieutenant-Colonel A. D'A. G. Bannerman, C.V.O., C.I.E., of the Political Department is appointed to officiate as a Resident of the 2nd class and is posted as Resident in Kashmir, with effect from the 9th November 1917.

*The 20th November 1917.*

**No. 1818-G.**—The following officiating promotions are made in the Secretariat :—

Mr. C. W. Kirkpatrick, Superintendent, 1st grade to officiate as Registrar. Dated 15th November 1917.

Mr. C. O'H. Teeling, I.S.O., Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Superintendent, 1st grade. Dated 15th November 1917.

Mr. R. C. Albert, Superintendent, 3rd grade, to officiate as Superintendent, 2nd grade. Dated 15th November 1917.

Mr. A. F. Emmer, Secretariat Assistant, Class I, to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade. Dated 15th November 1917.

*The 21st November 1917*

**No. 1995-Est. A.**—Major G. F. W. Anson, of the Political Department, is posted as Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, with effect from the 27th October 1917.

**No. 1998-Est. A.**—Major G. H. Anderson, of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for two months and five days, combined with furlough on Medical Certificate for nine months and twenty-six days, with effect from the 30th October 1917, under Articles 233 and 308(a), Civil Service Regulations.

*The 22nd November 1917.*

**No. 2014-Est. A.**—Major W. G. Neale, Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, with effect from the 15th November 1917, and until further orders.

**No. 2016-Est. A.**—Mr. T. G. B. Waugh, Registrar, Foreign and Political Department Secretariat, is appointed temporarily to officiate in the Political Department of the Government of India, and is posted as Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, with effect from the 15th November 1917, and until further orders.

**No. 2019-Est. A.**—Major W. A. Garstin, of the Political Department, is posted as District Judge, Kohat, with effect from the 5th November 1917.

**No. 2020-Est. A.**—Mr. T. B. Copeland, of the Political Department, on return from leave, is posted as Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, with effect from the 5th November 1917.

**No. 2021-Est. A.**—Major D. G. Wilson, of the Political Department, is posted as District Judge, Peshawar, with effect from the 1st November 1917.

**No. 2719-I. B.**—*Erratum.*—In the Second Schedule to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No 2441-I. B, dated the 18th October 1917, cancelling certain notifications relating to the appointment of Justices of the Peace in the States of Travancore and Cochin, for the words and figures "Foreign Department No. 2028-I. A., dated the 8th May 1900" the words and figures "Foreign and Political Department No. 424-D., dated the 21st January 1915" shall be substituted.

J. B. WOOD,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

*The 22nd November 1917.*

**No. 2011-Est. A.**—Mr. E. L. Norton, I.C.S., (United Provinces), is placed on special duty under the orders of the Hon'ble the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, with effect the 30th September 1917.

A. H. GRANT,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

*Delhi, the 22nd November 1917.*

**No. 1278-F. E.**—In notification No. 1148-F. E, dated the 19th October 1917, published on page 1702 of Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 20th October 1917, relating to Mr. A. H. King, read "until further orders" for the words "during the absence on leave of Mr. Gwyther" in the last line.

*The 23rd November 1917.*

**No. 1285-F. E.**—Mr. K. M. Abraham has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bengal, with effect from the 4th November 1917.

**No. 1286-F. E.**—Mr. P. G. Shah has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bombay, with effect from the 2nd November 1917.

## SEPARATE REVENUE.

### STAMPS

*The 23rd November 1917.*

**No. 2531-F.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, clause (a) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to remit the stamp duty chargeable under Article 62 of schedule I of the said Act on instruments of transfer of Government stock registered in the book debt account.

H. F. HOWARD,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*



## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi, the 24th November 1917.*

**No. 690-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7762, dated the 7th July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

## ADDITIONS.

## ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

*All persons or bodies of persons whose names appear in the Statutory List under any one or more of these three countries are included in the Statutory List for each and all of these three countries.*

Alonso Freire, Raphael, Calle 25 De Agosto 378, Montevideo, Uruguay.  
 Alonso, Raphael, Calle 25 De Agosto 378, Montevideo, Uruguay.  
 Bauer, H., & Company, Calle Piedras 132-154 and Calle Chili 1175, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Boiso, Manuel, Calle Sarmiento 643, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Boston, Exposicion, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Compania Pastoril y Comercial Harteneck, Limitada (in liquidation), Calle Peru 375, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Cramer and Weyer, Independencia Nacional 112, Asuncion, Paraguay.  
 Darmstädter, L., & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 373, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Exposicion Boston, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Fremery, H., & Company, Calle Piedras 756, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Giberti, Juan, Montevideo, Uruguay.  
 Gonzalez Vega, Federico, Calle Piedras 369, Montevideo, Uruguay.  
 Harteneck Limitada, Compania Pastoril y Comercial (in liquidation), Calle Peru 375, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Kaufman, Rodolfo, Casilla 936 and Balcarce 444-454, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Lanza and Denis, Montevideo, Uruguay. (No connection with Lanza & Company, Calle Andes 1470-72, Montevideo, Uruguay.)  
 Löhr & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 1164, Buenos Aires, Argentina; & Ciudadela 1114, Montevideo, Uruguay.  
 Müller, A. H., Calle Alsina 430-434, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Ott, Luis, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Ruiz, Alejo, Calle Alsina 430, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Schroeder, J. and A., Montevideo, Uruguay.  
 Seifart, Armin, Libertad, entre Caballero and Escaleda, Asuncion, Paraguay.  
 Soler Hill, Juan, & Company, Pasaje Guemes, Buenos Aires and Calle Santa Fé 941, Rosario, Argentina.  
 Soler, I., Montevideo, Uruguay.  
 Thyssen, Compania Comercial Alemana Transatlantica de las Fabricas, Avenida de Mayo 651, and Rivadavia 654, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Weinbrecht, Adolfo, Calle Sarmiento 385, and Calle Moreno 655, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Wertheim Exporting Society (Wertheim Sociedad Importadora y Exportadora Limitada), Calle Alsina 1644, Buenos Aires, Argentina.  
 Vega, Federico Gonzalez (see Gonzalez Vega, Federico.)

## BOLIVIA.

Demmer (or Demner) Guillermo, Riberalta.  
 Majluff Hermanos, La Paz.

Mattis, Juan, Calle Bolivar 101, Potosi.  
 Thiel, Francisco, Villazon.

## BRAZIL.

Aguiar, Francisco, & Company, Avenida Maranhense 11, S. Luiz, Maranhao.  
 Argos Industrial, Jundiahy.  
 Baross, Monteiro De, & Company, Santos.  
 Bortholdo, Silva & Company, Rua Florencio de Abreu 59, Sao Paulo.  
 Carvalho, Onofre, & Company, Roncador.  
 Drogaria Martel (see Schroeder & Company).  
 Gourley, T. P. & Company, Rua da Candelaria 76, Rio de Janeiro.  
 Lisboa, Pedro Christ, Caixa 18, Santos.

Pegas, Fructuoso, Rua Marechal Floriano 282, Rio Grande, Rio Grande do Sul.  
 Rebecchi, R., & Company, Santos.  
 Schmidt and Andréas, Cuyabá.  
 Schott, Adolf, Rua Sao Pedro 38, Rio de Janeiro.  
 Weber and Schweizer, Bahia.  
 Witte, Paulo, Edificio do Jornal do Brazil, Avenida Rio Branco 110, Rio de Janeiro.  
 Woernke and Linau, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 113, Porto Alegre.

## CHILE.

- Bohlen, Max von, & Company, San Donso 45, Valparaiso.  
 Brockhaus, Carlos, Casilla 3605, Valparaiso; Casilla 619, Santiago; and Valdivia.  
 Cantolla, Jose Isaac, Antofagasta.  
 Casa Importadora (see Kruger, Maximo and Piza).  
 Emanuel, Victor, & Company, Huertanos 917, Santiago.  
 Fabricas Unidas de Catres, Sociedad Anonima, Santiago.  
 Kruger, Maximo, & Piza (casa Importadora), Blanco 466, Valparaiso.  
 Lucr & Paye, San Antonio 164, Santiago; and Brazil 37, Valparaiso.  
 Meier, Rodolfo, Calle San Martin 126, Antofagasta.  
 Mex & Schauenberg, Bandera, 569, Santiago; and Avenida Brasil 419, Valparaiso.  
 Meyer, Johann, Punta, Arenas.  
 Schuyler, Eduardo, Talcahuano.  
 Schwager, Carlos (of Victor Emanuel & Company), Santiago.  
 Wagner, Adolfo & Company (late Wagner, Klein & Company), Valparaiso & Santiago.  
 Wenz, A., & Company (Grajales Foundry), Casilla 2661, Santiago.  
 Wiegand & Company, Valparaiso and Huasco.

## COLOMBIA.

- Droescher, Wilhelm & Company, Bogota  
 Germania, Bogota.  
 Hollmann Carlos (see Hollmann & Company).  
 Lindemeyer, Wiese & Company, Barranquilla.  
 Transocean, Bogota.

## CENTRAL AMERICA.

- Davidson Hermanos, Ahuschapan, Sonsonate, Santa Ana, and San Salvador, Salvador.  
 Dieseldorff & Company, Coban, Guatemala.  
 Goldtree, Liebes & Company, Sonsonate, Santa Ana, and San Salvador, Salvador.  
 Koper & Bornholt, Quezaltenango and Guatemala City, Guatemala.  
 Koper, Federico, & Company, Guatemala.  
 Laeisz & Company, Quezaltenango and Guatemala City, Guatemala.  
 Lunders, Juan, San Salvador.  
 Mugdan & Company, San Salvador.  
 Munkel, Muller & Company, Managua, Leon, Granada and Jinotega; Nicaragua.  
 Nottelbohm Hermanos, Guatemala City, Guatemala.  
 Sapper, R. Successor, Coban, Guatemala.  
 Schlubach, Dauch & Company, Guatemala City, Guatemala.  
 Tefel, J. R. E., & Company, Managua, Nicaragua.  
 Wolff, Simon, & Company, Granada, Nicaragua.

## ECUADOR.

- Buchwald, Juan Otto von, Quito.  
 | Nevarez, Roberto, Casilla, 112, Guayaquil.

## GREECE.

- Angelides, John Pantazis, Volo.  
 | Scialone, Albert & Company, Salonika

## MOROCCO.

- Deleiro, Abdelkrim, Tetuan.

## NETHERLANDS.

- Alboid-Britannia Metal Warenfabrik (see Kurz, C., & Company).  
 Eschauzier, K. W., Vendel-traat 19, Amsterdam.  
 Hendrix, Sieckel & Company, Rokin 6, Amsterdam.  
 Hille & Chida, Mercurius Building, Prins Hendrikkade 20, Amsterdam.  
 Internationale Import and Export Handels-Gesellschaft, Oude Ebbingestraat 38, Groningen.  
 Jongh, I. B. de (see Wicke's, Dr. Gustav, Drukinkt-fabrieken).  
 Kurz, C., & Company, Alboid Britannia Metal Warenfabrik, Tiel.  
 Liebert & Meyerhoff, Amsterdam.  
 "Lucellus" Caca & Vischconservefabriek, 21 Kostverlorenkade 23/25 and Post Box 131, Amsterdam.  
 Naessens, W., & Company, Stadhouderskade 19-20, Amsterdam; & Kneuterdijk 18, The Hague.  
 Prioean Cultuur Syndicaat N. V., Keizersgr. 326, Amsterdam.  
 Schmidt, Edmund, Keizersgracht 373, Amsterdam.  
 Stoessler, Eugen, Amsterdam.  
 Takken, G., Gildstraat 2, Utrecht.  
 Wicke's, Dr. Gustav, Drukinkt-fabrieken (Directeur I. B. de Jongh) Jan Hanzzenstraat 133-141, Amsterdam.

## NETHERLANDS EAST INDIES.

Asiatic Estates Supply, Medan.  
 Autenried, C. Von, Sumatra.  
 "Djatti Baroe" Lederwaren Fabrik, Weltevreden, Batavia.  
 Djoe Bie & Company, Medan.  
 Dolok Malcla, (see Bangoen Landbould Maatschappy).  
 East Coast Estates Suppliers, Medan.  
 Eastern Trading Company, The, Balikpapan.  
 General American Trading Company, "New Jersey," Batavia.  
 Goldenberg, E., Medan.  
 Hazenberg, C. F., Sourabaya.  
 Hibbeler, E. D., Sourabaya.  
 Hock Han Tjiang, Handel Maatschappy, Batavia.  
 Hundeshagen, G. Pajacombo, Sumatra.

Industrielle Ondernemingen c/o Java, Maatschappy Voor.  
 Jo Beng Tin, Medan.  
 Lederwaren Fabrik "Djatti Baroe," Batavia.  
 Lieb, C., Batavia.  
 Molenkamp, G., Pajacombo, Sumatra.  
 Nam Huat Estates, Medan.  
 "New Jersey," General American Trading Company, Batavia.  
 Oey Teng Tjhioe, Balikpapan.  
 Sarpardan, R., Batavia.  
 Scipio, A. A., Kampong Diksa, Karang Bidara, Samarang.  
 Seelig, C., Sourabaya.  
 Seelig, J. H., and Zoon, Samarang and Bandoeng.  
 Swee Eng, Medan.

## NORWAY.

Bye, Alf, Parkveien 21 and Kongensgt 2, Christiania.  
 Holmens Company A/S, Sandnaes.  
 Husvaer Canning Company, Husvaer i Alstadhaug, Søndre Helgeland and Stavanger.  
 Kotler, Felix, Hafslund, near Sarpsborg.  
 Lix, A/S., Sarpsborg.  
 Midnatsol Preserving Company, Haistad

Milberg, Daniel, Kongensgate 2, Christiania  
 Neco A/S., Stavanger.  
 Pelz, Conrad, Incognitogade 15B, Christiania.  
 Skudenaes, Sildekompani A/S, Skudenaes, Stavanger Amt.  
 Victoria Tobaksfabriken, Limited, Solheimsviken and Bergen.

## PERU.

Dalman, Juan, Salaverry.  
 Esmeralda, La (see Murgia Manuel).  
 Garcia Hermanos, Caballo Cocha.  
 Gonzalez Larranaga Hermanos, Salaverry.  
 Murgia, Manuel (La Esmeralda), Postal de Botoneros, Lima.

Orezzoli, Juan T., Casilla 451, Lima.  
 Stierlen, Carlos, Carlos, Calle Espaderos 233 and Union Mercaderes 521, Lima.  
 Vidaurrazaga, E., & Company, Trujillo.  
 Villagas, Manuel Valdivia, Arequipa.

## SPAIN.

Abad Abalo, Pedro, Villagarcia.  
 Abalo, Pedro Abad (see Abad Abalo, Pedro).  
 Aguinga Montemayor, Isidoro, Calle Sepulveda 180, Barcelona.  
 Baixas, Viuda de Joaquin, Rambla Santa Monica 6, Barcelona.  
 Banco de Castilla, Madrid.  
 Barcelo, Antonio, Turijos 31, Malaga.  
 Bergol, Abdon, Tolosa.  
 Bergol, Viuda de Pedro, Tolosa.  
 Bermejo, Ricardo, Villagarcia and Santiago de Compostella.  
 Bethencourt Diaz, José Las Palmas, Grand Canary.  
 Cabiro Federico, Port Mahon, Minorca.  
 Calafell, Joaquin, Rambla Santa Monica 6, Barcelona.  
 Canas Hermanos, Malaga.  
 Continental Hotel, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.  
 Corredor, Ricardo, Calle de San Roque 8, Madrid.  
 Corregon, Sociedad Anonima, Calle de San Roque 8, Madrid.  
 Diario de Vizcaya, Bilbao.  
 Diaz, José Bethencourt (see Bethencourt Diaz, José).  
 Domenech, Vincente Tejedo (see Tejedo Domenech, Vincent).  
 Fahndrich Y Cia., S. en C., Calle Barquillo 4-C, Madrid.  
 Garangana, La (see Herrerin, Viuda de).

Garriga, J. Pedret (see Pedret Garriga, J.).  
 Georgi, Curt, Valencia.  
 Glozas, Agusto Lopez (see Lopez Glozas, Agusto).  
 Herrerin, Viuda de (La Garangana), Garcia Olloqui E, Vigo.  
 Isla, Luis Garcia Roboredo (see Roboredo Isla, Luis Garcia).  
 Lengo Guillermo Linhoff (see Linhoff Lengo, Guillermo).  
 Lewin, Leopoldo, San Sebastian.  
 Lillo, Victor, Ronda de la Universidad 22 and Aragon 2-5, Barcelona.  
 Linhoff Lengo, Guillermo, Trinidad Grund 19, Malaga.  
 Linartz (or Linnartz) Luis, Lagasca 119, Madrid.  
 Linnartz, Luis (see Linartz, Luis).  
 Lohrengel, Federico Ernesto, Diagonal 420, Barcelona.  
 Lopez Glozas, Agusto, Calle de San Roque 8, Madrid.  
 Martinez, Eleuterio and Alejandro, Calle de la Luna 11, Madrid.  
 Medina Rodriguez, Salvador, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.  
 Metalurgica Espanola, Sociedad Anonima, Calle Diputacion 112-116, Barcelona.  
 Miele and Company, Calle Fernando 2, Barcelona: and Carrera de San Jeronimo 2, Madrid.

**VARIATIONS.**

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been included in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7762, dated the 7th July, 1917, as subsequently amended, as under :—

**ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.**

Fuhrmann, H., & Company, Calle Peru 1182, Calle Brandzen 1872, Calle Herrera 2262-2278 and Calle Cochabamba 102, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Hansa Steamship Line (Deutsche Dampschiff Gesellschaft), Calle Sarmiento 320, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Lanza, Eustaquio, Montevideo, Uruguay.

(No connection with Lanza & Company, Calle Andes 1470/72, Montevideo, Uruguay).

Siemens Schückert Companies, Calle Bernardo de Irigoyen 330 and Calle Sarmiento 1401, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Sociedad Anonima Argentina, Hidraulico-Agricola, Calle Moreno 411, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

should read

Compania Argentina Hidraulico-Agricola, Calle Moreno 411, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

**BRAZIL.**

Baross, Monteiro de & Company, Santos, should read

Barross, J. A. Monteiro de, Santos.

Schroeder & Company (Drogaria Martel) Rua dos Andradas 208 and 405, Rua Sete de Setembro 108, Rua Marechal Floriano 91, and Caixa do Correio 41, Porto Alegre.

Silva, J. Domingos da, & Company, Rua Sao Bento 28A, Sao Paulo.

**CHILE.**

Girardi & Company, Tocopilla (no connection with Girardi and Company, Santiago).

Krüger, Maximo, & Piza, Blanco 466, Valparaiso.

**COLOMBIA.**

Hollmann & Company (Carlos Hollmann), Bogota.

Wolf, Pablo, Cali, should read Wolff, Paul.

**ECUADOR.**

Hana & Cattan, Malecon 1407 and Casilla 399, Guayaquil.

Weber, Carlos, "Librairie Allemand," Quito.

**HAYTI AND SANTO DOMINGO.**

Bauch (or Bauck), William, Les Cayes, Hayti.

**MOROCCO.**

Marakko, Mannesmann & Company, Tangier, should read Mannesmann Marokko Company Tangier.

**NETHERLANDS.**

Holland and America Import and Export Company (Gustav Cohn), Het Witte Huis, Rotterdam; and Zwarteweg 20, The Hague.

Onnes, P., & Zoon, Singel 250, Amsterdam; and Wijnhaven 103, Rotterdam.

**NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.**

Ang Tian Taij, Batavia, should read  
Ang Tian Laij, Batavia.

Boer, A. de, Belawan & Medan, Sumatra; and Batavia.  
Dorssen, A. M. S. van (Miss), Raden Saleh 28, Weltevreden, Batavia.

- Cabrera Romero, Andres (of Bernardo Navarro),  
Las Palmas, Grand Canary.  
Roboredo Isla, Luis Garcia, etc.,  
should read  
Reboredo Isla, Luis Garcia, etc.  
Isla, Luis Garcia Roboredo (see Roboredo Isla,  
Luis Garcia),  
should read  
Isla, Luis Garcia Reboredo (see Reboredo Isla,  
Luis Garcia).
- Gaona, José Marco, Barroso 8 and 10, Madrid ;  
and Calle Mateos Gago 6 al 12-2'1, Seville.  
Noticiero Universal, El, Barcelona.  
Vilacaca, Sociedad Anonima, etc ,  
should read  
Vilaseca, Sociedad Anonima, etc.  
Murillo, Maria, Cortes 684, Barcelona.  
Saavedra, Viuda de Antonio, Las Palmas,  
Grand Canary.

**No. 783-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Salt Act, 1882 (XII of 1882), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 1892, dated the 27th June 1884, as subsequently amended, namely :—

After rule 14 of the said rules the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

“ 14 A. Notwithstanding anything contained in rules 13 and 14 the Governor General in Council may by order in writing direct that from the date of such order no payment other than an additional payment under sub-rule (3) of rule 13 shall be made under these rules. So long as such order remains in force no requisition shall be received or *rawannah* issued in respect of any payment made in contravention thereof.”

**No. 785-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 of the Indian Salt Act, 1882 (XII of 1882), and by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and in pursuance of the agreement made with the Chief of the State of Jaipur, dated the 7th August 1869, and of the agreements made with the Chief of the State of Jodhpur, dated, respectively, the 27th January 1870, the 18th April 1870, and the 18th January 1879, which provide for the lease to the British Government of the Salt Sources of Sambhar, Didwana and Pachbhadra within the said States, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 547-Excise, dated the 25th January 1905, as subsequently amended, namely :—

After rule 7 of the said rules the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

“ 8. Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules the Governor General in Council may by order in writing direct that from the date of such order no payment other than an additional payment under sub-rule (4) of rule 2 shall be made under these rules. So long as such order remains in force no application or indent shall be received and no salt shall be issued or despatched in respect of any payment made in contravention thereof.”

**No. 794-D.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India of any copy of a booklet entitled “An open letter to the Right Hon'ble David Lloyd George, Prime Minister of Great Britain”, by Lajpat Rai, published by B. W. Huebsch of New York.

## POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

*The 24th November 1917.*

**No. 676-D.**—Mr. M. P. C. Byrne, Postmaster-General, officiating in the 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the afternoon of the 25th October 1917.

2. The following appointments and reversions are made with effect from the date noted against each and until further orders :—

Mr. P. G. Rogers, I.C.S., Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, to officiate in the 2nd grade from the 16th October 1917 ;

Mr. W. A. Roussac, Deputy Postmaster-General, 1st grade, and Inspector-General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Southern Circle, to officiate as Postmaster-General, 4th grade, Bihar and Orissa Circle, from the 26th October 1917. He acted as Postmaster-General, 4th grade, Central Circle, up to and including the 15th October 1917.

Mr. H. S. H. Pilkington, C.I.E., M.V.O., to revert as Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, from the 16th October 1917.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

**ARMY DEPARTMENT.***Delhi, 23rd November 1917.***APPOINTMENTS.**

**No. 1987.**—Major J. P. Villiers-Stuart, D.S.O., 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier) Force, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. Dated 1st November 1917.

**No. 1988.**—Second-Lieutenant W. H. Sheppard, attached 14th (King's) Hussars, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain, while holding an appointment as Station Staff Officer, 1st class. Dated 25th October 1917.

**REGULAR FORCES.***Infantry.*

**No. 1989.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second-Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).*

Acting Serjeant-Major Joseph Henry Dobson. Dated 11th November 1917.

**INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.**

**No. 1990.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, with effect from the dates specified:—

James Freer Richardson	17th July 1917.
Rugh Nath Rai	1st October 1917.
Pernvemba Ayyasami Aeyar Ramanathan	10th October 1917.
Puthukkeril Koshy Koshy	11th October 1917.
Villupuram Rajaratna Natesan	15th October 1917.
Sivasubramanya Pillay Kanthimathinathan	17th October 1917.
Bagepalli Venkatavarada Acharya	18th October 1917.
Koladi Gopal Menon	18th October 1917.
Ravanasamudram Sundaramayyar Harihara Ayyar	20th October 1917.
Sukumar Sanyal	25th October 1917.
Kali Prasad Bagchi	28th October 1917.

**No. 1991.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be honorary temporary Captain for the period of his honorary services in the Marine Lincæ War Hospital at Bombay, with effect from the date specified:—

Cajetan Fernandes. 20th October 1917.

**INDIAN ARMY.**

**No. 1992.**—George Edward Roughton to be temporary Second-Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 10th November 1917.

**No. 1993.**—The undermentioned gentleman is granted the honorary rank of Second-Lieutenant, on resigning his commission in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 24th December 1915:—

Frederick Hemstead.

**ARMY RESERVES.**

**No. 1994.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*To be Second-Lieutenants.**Infantry Branch.*

Claude Herbert Oldall	Dated 10th November 1917.
Frederick George Alexander Hill	} Dated 12th November 1917.
Frank Sidney Chappell	
William Joseph Jackson	Dated 15th November 1917.
William Francis Byrnes	Dated 19th November 1917.

- **No. 1995.**—Second-Lieutenant G. A. Nissen, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer. Dated 8th November 1917.

**No. 1996.**—George Robert Byrne (temporary Second-Lieutenant, 21st (Empress of India's) Lancers), to be Lieutenant in the Cavalry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, dated 14th November 1917, but to rank from the 9th November 1915.

**No. 1997.**—Second-Lieutenant William Francis Byrnes, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while commanding a labour company. Dated 19th November 1917.

**No. 1998.**—The undermentioned officers are granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointments of Adjutants of Labour Companies :—

Second Lieutenant Thomas Arthur Everard. Dated 25th July 1917.

Second Lieutenant Claude John McNaught Davis. Dated 3rd August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Edward Stanhope Griffith. Dated 15th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Hector Deacon. Dated 18th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Percy Chavasse. Dated 28th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Harry Burton Perks. Dated 30th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Laurence Redmond St. John Farnon. Dated 1st September 1917.

Second Lieutenant Harry James Ring. Dated 1st September 1917.

Second Lieutenant Russell Owen Smith. Dated 3rd September 1917.

## LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 1999.**—The following extracts are published for general information :—

*London Gazette dated the 4th September 1917, pages 9153 and 9157.*

*India Office,  
4th September, 1917.*

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The KING has approved the retirement of the following officer of the Indian Army :—  
Lieutenant-Colonel Lawrence Impye, C.I.E. Dated 17th June 1917.

*Supplement dated the 18th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 18th September 1917, pages 9703 and 9708.*

*War Office,  
18th September, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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### SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.)

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29th August 1917.

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Bt.-Col. A. Beale, ret. pay, Ind. Army.

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## INFANTRY.

*Training Reserve.*

Lt.-Col. G. W. Robinson, C.B. (Ind. Army), vacates the comd. of a Bn. on account of ill-health. 21 Aug. 1917.

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*General List.*

Temp. Capt C. J. Sharp, from a Serv. Bn., E. Lan. R., to be temp. Lt. on appt. as prob. to Ind. Army. 5 Aug. 1917.

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*Second Supplement dated the 19th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 18th September 1917, pages 9720, 9722, 9723 and 9721.*

*War Office.*  
*19th September, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 3rd Cl.)—Maj H. V. Biscoe, Supern. List, Ind. Army. 15th July 1917.

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## MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lt.-Gens., Ind. Army, to be Gens. :—

Sir A. A. Barrett, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., in succession to Sir R. I. Scallan, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., D.S.O., supern. 1st Aug. 1917.

Sir M. H. S. Grover, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., in succession to Sir J. B. Woon, K.C.B., supern. 27th Aug. 1917.

Lt.-Col. E. J. M. Wood, Ind. Inf., to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst empld. as Brig. Comdr. 4th July 1917.

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## INFANTRY.

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*Service Battalions.*

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*L'pool R.*

Maj. W. J. Lambert, D.S.O. (Ind. Army), relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to be empld. with a Bn. 11 July 1917.

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*General List.*

Temp. 2nd-Lt. G. L. Matthews, from a Serv. Bn., R. W. Surr. R., to be temp. 2nd-Lt. on appt. as prob. to Ind. Army. 25 July 1917.

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*Fourth Supplement dated the 20th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 18th September 1917, pages 9747 and 9748.*

War Office,  
20th September, 1917.

#### TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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INFANTRY.

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*Rifle Brigade.*—Maj. W. J. K. Dobbin (Lt.-Col., Ind. Army R. of O.) to be Lt.-Col. (temp.). 4th Feb. 1917.

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*Supplement dated the 21st September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 21st September 1917, pages 9809 and 9810.*

War Office,  
21st September, 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES

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*General List.*

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Capt. H. Wrigley, M.C., from Aust. Infr. Bn. to be temp. 2nd-Lt on appt. as probr. to Indian Army. 25th July 1917. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 7th September 1917, page 9330.)

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*Third Supplement, dated the 22nd September 1917, to the London Gazette of the 21st September 1917, pages 9825, 9826, 9827 and 9830.*

War Office,  
22nd September, 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing.*—The undermentioned appt. is made :—

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*Flying Officers (Observers).*—

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The surname of 2nd-Lt. R. H. Morrison, Ind. Army, is as now described, and not Harrison, as in the Gazette of 22nd Aug. 1917.

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*Remt. Serv.*—Maj. George R. de H. Smith, ret. pay, Ind. Army, from Yeo., T. F., to be a Supt. 23rd Sept. 1917.

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*Gen. List.*

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Temp. 2nd-Lt. N. H. Finglas, from Cam'n Highrs., to be temp. 2nd-Lt. on appt. as probr. to Ind Army Res. of Off., 1 Sept. 1915. and temp. Lt. 4 Nov. 1915. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 6 Sept. 1917, page 9252, incorrectly specifying date of promn.)

Cadet Maclean Newsom Burder to be temp. 2nd-Lt. on appt. as probr. to Ind. Army Res. of Officers. 27 June 1917.

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*Fourth Supplement dated the 22nd September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 21st September 1917, pages 9815 and 9846.*

*War Office,  
22nd September, 1917.*

### MENTIONS IN DESPATCHES.

#### EAST AFRICA.

The names of the undermentioned officers have been brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for War by Lieutenant-General A. R. Hoskins, C.M.G., D.S.O., Commander-in-Chief, East African Force (under date 14th March, 1917), for distinguished service in the field :—

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Buller, Capt (actg. Maj.) J. H. G., Ind. Army.

Cadell, Maj. J. G., Ind. Army.

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Harris, Maj. E. T., M.B., I.M.S.

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Hulseberg, Maj. (temp. Lt-Col) H., D.S.O., Ind. Army.

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Lewis, Capt. (actg. Maj.) H. V., M.C., Ind. Army.

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Thomson, Lt.-Col. A. H. G., Ind. Army.

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Ward, Lt.-Col. A., Ind. Army.

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### ADDITIONAL MENTIONS IN DESPATCHES.

#### MEDITERRANEAN DESPATCHES.

The following names are added to the list of officers, warrant and non-commissioned officers and men mentioned for distinguished and gallant services by General Sir Charles Monro, G.C. M.G., K.C.B., in his despatch, dated 6th March, 1916 (published in the London Gazette, No. 29664, dated 13th July, 1916) :—

Burton, Col. R. G., Ind Army.

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The following names are added to the list of officers, warrant and non-commissioned officers and men whose services have been brought to notice as deserving of special mention by General Sir Percy Lake, K.C.B., (published in the London Gazette, No. 29789, dated 19th October, 1916) :—

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de Butts, Capt. F. C., D.S.O., M.C., Ind. Army.

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## SALONIKA.

The following name is added to the list of officers, warrant and non-commissioned officers and men mentioned for distinguished service in Lieut.-General G. F. Milne's despatch of the 29th March 1917 (published in the London Gazette, No. 30196, dated 21st July, 1917):—

Moore, Maj. H. D., D.S.O., Ind. Army.

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## PROMOTIONS.

## TERRITORIAL FORCE.

**No. 2000.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Royal Field Artillery.*

Captain W. G. Harrison to be acting Major while commanding a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 26th August 1917, *vice* Major G. E. M. Cowell, transferred to the Home Establishment, with effect from the 11th August 1917.

**No. 2001.** Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. F. Malcolm relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to perform the duties of Captain of a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 9th September 1917.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2002.**—The following relinquishments of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*The Buffs (East Kent Regiment).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. F. Whitfield relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 6th November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. G. Macconnell relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 6th November 1917.

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2003.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Captain to be Major.*

27th August 1917.

John Adrian Chamer, D.S.O., 33rd Punjabis

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants*

1st September 1916

John Bankes Walmsley, 5th Light Infantry.

15th November 1916.

Lionel Hugh Forrest, 47th Sikhs.

22nd December 1916.

Robert Bartley Perkin attached 10th Jats

**No. 2004.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*2nd Lancers.*

Lieutenant J. M. Lloyd-Williams Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a squadron. Dated 17th October 1917.

*29th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant C. H. W. Clifford, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 3rd October 1917, *vice* Major A. A. James, appointed temporary Commandant 2nd Battalion, 1st Infantry, with effect from the 16th October 1917.

*37th Dogras*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. Galvin, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 18th October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 59th Garhwal Rifles.*

Lieutenant R. B. E. Upton, 1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment), attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 15th October 1917.

*43rd Erinypura Regiment.*

Lieutenant W. G. H. Templeton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th September 1917.

*67th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant W. D. Churcher, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 8th October 1917.

*79th Carnatic Infantry.*

Captain (acting Major) T. R. Dawe relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 13th September 1917.

Captain B. A. S. Brunsell to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 28th September 1917.

*82nd Punjabis.*

Captain G. P. Murphy, Civil Employ, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 12th October 1917.

Lieutenant R. Hamilton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 12th October 1917.

*81th Punjabis.*

Captain G. N. G. Monek-Mason to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 25th September 1917.

*91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).*

Captain T. O. Wilkinson to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 11th October 1917 to 12th October 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant E. S. Berry, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 11th October 1917.

*95th Russell's Infantry.*

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding companies :—

Temporary Lieutenant A. C. Elliott, The Border Regiment, attached. Dated 8th October 1917.

Lieutenant H. E. E. J. Hopkins, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 8th October 1917.

*97th Deccan Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Major) C. S. Searle, M.C., reverts to acting Captain on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 15th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) M. Thorp, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 15th October 1917.

*102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. R. S. Dods, M.C., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 21st October 1917.

*112th Infantry.*

Captain (acting Major) H. V. Budgen to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 28th June 1917.

Captain W. M. Logan-Home to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 28th June 1917.

Lieutenant E. G. Savage to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 28th June 1917.

*1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).*

Lieutenant (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) F. Williamson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, reverts to acting Major on ceasing to command a battalion. Dated 15th April 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Major) F. Williamson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, reverts to acting Captain on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 19th April 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Major) E. V. R. Bellers, 2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own, Gurkha Rifles. (The Malaun Regiment), attached, reverts to acting Captain on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 18th April 1917.

Captain (acting Major) G. C. Strahan, 2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 15th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. D. Gracey, M.C., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 15th October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.*

Army Department Notification No. 1539, dated the 14th September 1917, so far as it concerns Major G. A. Perreau (since deceased), is cancelled.

*1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles. (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. D. H. Y. Nepean relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 29th September 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding companies:—

Lieutenant J. W. W. Tregale, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 14th October 1917.

Lieutenant K. J. Macintosh, M.C., attached. Dated 14th October 1917.

*1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Captain J. M. Whittall to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 30th September 1917 to 4th October 1917, inclusive.

*Army Reserves*

**No. 2005.**—In Army Department Notification No. 685, dated the 14th May 1917, for "Edwin Dickens" read "Edwin Alfred Dickens, V.D."

**NATIVE ARMY.**

**APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.**

**No. 2006.**—The following promotions are made:—

*4th Cavalry.*

Dafadars Ahmad Ali Khan and Hira Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).*

Ressaidar Ram Kunwar Singh to be Risaldar, with effect from the 20th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*32nd Lancers.*

Ressaidar Sundar Singh to be Risaldar, with effect from the 1st December 1916, Ressaidar Shaikh Hussain to be Risaldar, with effect from the 9th October 1917, Jemadar Sarup Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 1st December 1916, Jemadar Muhammad Hayat Khan to be Ressaidar, and Kot-Dafadar Balu Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.*

Ressaidar Abdul Sattar Khan to be Risaldar, Jemadars Bhure Khan and Gunga Man to be Ressaidars, Kot-Dafadars Naneh Singh and Digh Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 26th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*Railway Battalion, Sappers and Miners.*

Jemadar Alif Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st August 1917, Havildar-Major Pala Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th July 1917 and Havildar Amir Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*9th Bhopal Infantry.*

Havildar Ram Adhin Tiwari to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th October 1914; to complete the establishment.

*29th Punjabis.*

Jemadar Kesar Singh to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Bhagwan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th June 1917; *vice* Ran Singh, transferred to the pension establishment.

Havildar Saida Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).*

Jemadars Harnam Singh and Sewa Singh to be Subadars, Havildars Mian Khan, Mangal Singh, Sardar Khan and Ilam Din to be Jemadars, with effect from the 5th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*64th Pioneers.*

Jemadar Sadda Singh (32nd Sikh Pioneers) to be Subadar and Havildar Sadda Singh (32nd Sikh Pioneers) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 67th Punjabis.*

Havildar Shams Din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*71st Punjabis.*

Jemadars Gulam Khan, Shahbaz Khan and Wathawa Mall to be Subadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917 and Havildar Benjamin Arthur Joseph to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*81st Pioneers.*

Havildar Lal Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*90th Punjabis.*

Colour-Havildar Baldeo Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th August 1917; and Colour-Havildar Muhammad Yasin to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry.*

Jemadar Shaikh Abdulla to be Subadar, with effect from the 5th October 1917; *vice* Saiyid Yakub, transferred to the pension establishment.

Jemadar Shaikh Muhammad Ali to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th October 1917; *vice* Mir Muhammad Hussain, transferred to the pension establishment.

Colour-Havildar Gaya Singh and Havildar-Major Sita Ram Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 27th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*104th Wellesley's Rifles.*

Jemadar Karam Dad to be Subadar and Havildar Rahimdad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th October 1915; Colour-Havildar Sharaf Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th December 1915; and Colour-Havildar Ganpat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th January 1916; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Jemadar Sasidhar Thapa to be Subadar, Colour-Havildars Manbir Thapa, Damar Sing Thapa and Kharak Sing Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 29th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.*

Jemadar Chechar Sing Thapa to be Subadar, Colour-Havildars Nar Sing Rai, Rajdhoj Rai and Gurul Sing Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 10th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.*

Jemadar Surbir Gurung to be Subadar, with effect from the 30th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

## SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

*50th Silladar Camel Corps.*

**No. 2007.**—The following promotion is made :—

Kot Dafadar Ali Akbar Shah to be Ressaidar to complete the establishment, with effect from the 8th March 1916.

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RETIREMENTS.

**No. 2008.**—Conductor Eustace Herbert Chilvas Lindsay, Ordnance Department, Northern Army, has been transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 11th August 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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MARINE DEPARTMENT.

*Delhi, the 23rd November 1917.*

## DISCIPLINE.

**No. 73.**—The services of temporary Lieutenant J. Finlayson, Royal Indian Marine, are dispensed with, with effect from the 12th November 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

## NOTIFICATIONS

*Calcutta, the 19th November 1917.*

**No. 1329-E.-17.**—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India :—

Mr. G. Richards, Officiating Chief Engineer with the Railway Board, with effect from the 1st November 1917.

Mr. A. J. Chase, Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, with effect from the 15th November 1917.

*The 21st November 1917.*

**No. 1676-E.-17.**—Mr. S. I. R. Naidu, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in class III, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent, in class II of that Establishment, with effect from the 5th October 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 628-T.-17.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-Vessel) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt from the tax imposed under the said Act water carried by railway or inland steam vessels.

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*The 23rd November 1917.*

**No. 601-T.—17.**—Whereas the Governor-General in Council is of opinion that coal is a product which can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war :

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Rule 11 A. A. of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, in supersession of the notification in the Railway Department (Railway Board), No. 395-T.—17, dated the 20th September 1917, to authorise the Coal Controller, Railway Board, Calcutta, to exercise in respect of the said product while in transit over a railway the powers conferred on the Governor-General by sub-rules (1) and (3) of the said rule.

F. A. HADOW,  
*Secretary, Railway Board.*

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## INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

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NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 20th November 1917.*

**No. E.-187.**—Mr. J. K. Mehta, M.A., is appointed Assistant Controller (Industrial Intelligence), with effect from the afternoon of the 29th September 1917.

T. RYAN,  
*Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.*



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 22nd November 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

1. The monsoon was unusually active and gave abundant rain in Burma and the Peninsula; over the rest of the country weather was generally dry. At the close of the week conditions were unsettled in the southwest of the Bay.

● 2. *Burma*.—Rainfall occurred over the greater part of the Province.

*Northeast India, including Orissa*.—A few falls of rain were reported from southeast Bengal and Assam.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces*.— } Weather was dry.  
*Northwest India*.—

*The Peninsula*.—Rainfall was nearly general in the Bombay Deccan on the 20th, in Mysore from the 17th to the 20th, in Malabar from the 19th to the 21st, in southeast Madras on the 20th, and in the Madras Deccan on the 15th and 16th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November 15th. Akyab 2·77", Maymyo, 2·30", Salem 1·64", Cuddapah 1·13", and Masulipatanu 1·25".

„ 16th Kyaukpyn 1·78", Akyab 5·03", Lashio 1·52", Maymyo 1·16", Cochin 4·60", Madras 1·31" and Nellore 1·18".

„ 17th. Kyaukpyn 2·52", Lashio 1·05", Maymyo 1·65", Marmagao 2·51" and Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·47".

„ 18th. Marmagao 1·45" and Belgaum 3·98".

„ 19th. Diamond Island 1·40", Poona 2·18", Calicut 1·60", Cochin 2·65", Ootacamund 1·81", Coimbatore 1·90", Cuddalore 1·59", Nellore 2·31" and Kurnool 1·11".

„ 20th. Malegaon 1·40", Poona 1·20", Negapatam 2·30", Coimbatore 1·03", Ootacamund 1·15" and Mercara 1·05".

„ 21st. Negapatam 3·20".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent. or more in excess in Burma, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, Malabar, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North; and was 20 per cent. or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, Kashmir, Baluchistan, Rajputana West, Gujrat, Central India, Berar and the Central Provinces West. It was within 20 per cent. of the normal in Assam and Madras Southeast. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Gujrat, Central India, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. It differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent. in the remainder of the country.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 22ND NOVEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 4TH MAY TO 22ND NOVEMBER 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	1·8	1·9	—0·6	88·4	102·2	—13·8	—14	—13
Lower Burma . . . . .	1·8	0·6	+1·2	139·6	140·0	—0·4	0	—1
Upper Burma . . . . .	1·6	0·3	+1·3	44·5	42·4	+2·1	+5	+2
Assam . . . . .	0·1	0·1	0	51·1	75·5	+5·6	+7	+7
Bengal . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	74·8	88·8	+6·0	+9	+9
Orissa . . . . .	0	0·3	—0·3	69·1	58·2	+10·9	+19	+19
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	69·0	49·2	+19·8	+40	+41
Bihar . . . . .	0	0	0	52·8	49·6	+3·2	+6	+6
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0	0	48·0	39·0	+9·0	+23	+23
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0	0	48·8	39·0	+9·8	+25	+26
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0	0	0	41·2	21·1	+20·1	+95	+95
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0	0	23·1	7·9	+15·2	+192	+192
Kashmir . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	10·8	8·5	+2·3	+27	+29
N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0	0	0	8·6	5·8	+2·8	+48	+48
Baluchistan . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	5·9	2·3	+3·6	+157	+168
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	8·0	4·7	+3·3	+70	+70
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	37·0	11·3	+25·7	+227	+230
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0	0	51·7	22·9	+28·8	+126	+126
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	44·0	23·4	+20·6	+88	+89
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	55·7	29·8	+25·9	+87	+88
Central India, East . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	55·6	41·7	+13·9	+33	+34
Berar . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	28·8	31·5	—2·7	—9	—8
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0·1	—0·1	54·7	45·1	+9·6	+21	+22
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0	0	60·3	48·0	+12·3	+26	+26
Konkan . . . . .	1·5	0·1	+1·4	113·9	96·9	+17·0	+16	+16
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	2·0	0·1	+1·9	30·4	27·3	+3·1	+11	+4
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0·2	0·1	+0·1	45·2	33·0	+12·2	+37	+37
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0·8	0	+0·8	36·7	30·0	+6·7	+22	+20
Mysore . . . . .	1·5	0·2	+1·3	28·0	27·1	+0·9	+3	—1
Malabar . . . . .	3·2	0·8	+2·4	93·7	97·1	—3·4	—4	—6
Madras, South-East . . . . .	1·9	1·6	+0·3	25·5	27·9	—2·4	—9	—10
Madras Deccan . . . . .	1·0	0·3	+0·7	29·2	24·0	+5·2	+22	+19
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	1·4	0·8	+0·6	52·4	34·6	+17·8	+51	+51

HEM RAJ,

for Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 22nd November 1917.

B. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

## Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 17th November 1917.

**Burma.**—The rain was general throughout the Province except in ten districts. Akyab, Ruby mines and Arakan hill tracts report falls of nearly 12, 10 and 4 inches respectively, elsewhere light to moderate rain fell. In Lower Burma reaping of wet weather paddy is proceeding. In Upper Burma cultivation of island crops, peas and other winter crops is progressing. Harvesting of groundnuts and cotton continues. Standing crops are generally good. Livestock is healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon remains unchanged at rupees 82 per hundred baskets but is considerably below normal. The market for white rice is very weak at rupees 185 for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather was seasonable and favourable for standing crops. Plucking and manufacture of tea and ploughing and sowing of mustard continue. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Prospects of tea, sugarcane, winter rice and cotton are good. The crops were slightly damaged by insect pests in two districts and by cattle disease in three. Price of common rice has fallen slightly.

**Bengal.**—During the week light and scattered showers fell in parts of the Province. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Sowing of potatoes and other spring crops is in brisk progress. The prospects of standing crops are generally reported to be good. Cattle disease exists in six districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by about 2 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—During the week rain fell in Cuttack, Balasore, Angul and Puri, the fall being generally light except in parts of Puri where it was somewhat heavy. There was no rain in Bihar and Chota Nagpur. Sowing of spring crops continues. Harvesting of early winter paddy is going on in Orissa and Chota Nagpur and has commenced in some districts of Bihar. The price of common rice has fallen in seven Districts, risen in two and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from 15 districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

**United Provinces.**—No rain fell during the week. Sowing of spring crops and poppy harvesting of autumn crops and picking of cotton continue. Pressing of sugarcane and irrigation of spring crops have begun. Standing crops are good. Prospects are good. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Slight cattle disease is reported. Prices are tending to rise.

**Punjab.**—The weather was dry. Standing autumn crops are average to good in the west and below average to average elsewhere. Sugarcane is doing well. Picking of cotton and reaping of rice and other crops are in progress. The yield of cotton is generally below normal and that of other crops is below normal to normal. Sowings of spring crops continue and are normal or good. Germination is good. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. The canals are closed in some districts as irrigation is not needed. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are rising and range between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat :—Ferozepore and Rawalpindi 8½, Ambala 8½, Lahore and Lyallpore 9 seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—The week was rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops is in progress. The outturn is average. Sowings of spring crops are proceeding. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder and water are sufficient. Malarial fever is prevalent throughout the Province and is restricting ploughing operations for spring sowings in Bannu District. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 9½ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—The week was rainless. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 seers and maize from 15 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. No cattle disease is reported. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—No rain fell during the week. Spring sowings are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are high.

**Rajputana.**—The weather was cool during the week. Sowings of spring crops continue. Prospects of crops are poor. Agricultural stock is in fair to good condition. Fodder and water are ample. Prices are rising.

**Central India.**—The rainfall was general in Bhopal and elsewhere but sufficient throughout. The weather was clear and cool. Autumn crops are being harvested in Gwalior and Southern States. Spring crops are being sown everywhere. Standing crops are unsatisfactory in Gwalior and fair elsewhere. Probable autumn outturn is eight annas in Gwalior and fair elsewhere, though damaged by rain in Bhopal and parts of Southern States. Condition of agricultural stock is good except for cattle disease. Pasturage is sufficient. Prices are rising in Baghelkhand and are steady elsewhere.

**Central Provinces.**—The weather has been clear and cool. Reaping of autumn crops and picking of cotton continue. Sowings of spring crops are well advanced and germination is so far successful. The condition of crops is generally satisfactory and prospects are good. Fodder and water are adequate. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Variations in prices are unimportant.

**Feudatory States.**—The weather was occasionally cloudy. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops and sowing of spring crops are in progress.

**Bombay.**—Slight rain fell during the week in Kanara, Satara, Belgaum, Dharwar, Savantvadi and Kolhapur. Standing crops are generally good except in parts of Hyderabad and Kathiawar where they have been slightly damaged by rats and rain respectively. Autumn harvesting continues. Spring sowing is progressing generally. Cotton picking continues in Hyderabad, Thar, Purkar, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Kathiawar. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Prices of food grains are generally steady.

**Hyderabad.**—Slight and isolated showers fell during the week, the average being 25 cents. Autumn crops are suffering from excessive rain and are being harvested. Early rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. It suffered from blight in parts of Medak, Nalgonda and Karimnagar districts. Spring crops are being sown. The crop is good. Cattle disease prevails in 13 talukas. Variation in prices of grains is insignificant. Coarse rice sells at 8 and white *juar* at 10 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. Highest price of *juar* in districts is 6 seers per rupee in Parbhani and Bidar and the lowest 20 seers per rupee in Raichur.

**Mysore.**—The rainfall was good in Chitaldroog and fair to light elsewhere. Price of rice has slightly fallen in Hassan and risen in Chitaldroog and that of *ragi* has risen in Tumkur. Markets are well supplied. *Ragi* and paddy are being harvested. Standing crops are good. Prospects are generally good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—The rainfall was one inch twenty-three cents. Condition of rice is good, ears are forming. Picking of coffee and cardamoms continues. Prices of food grains are high. Public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

**Madras.**—The rainfall was very heavy in Kistna, Guntur, Nellore, heavy in Sandur, Cuddapah, Cochin, fair in Kurnool, Trichinopoly, Ramnad, Travancore, slight in Vizagapatam Agency, Banganapalle, Tinnevely and good elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally but rain is required in parts of two districts. Harvests of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. Condition of cattle is generally good. Water supply is sufficient except in parts of Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot and South except Tanjore. Pasture is sufficient except in Tinnevely. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

## SANITARY.

## PLAGUE.

*Delhi, the 22nd November 1917.*

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 17th November 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	...	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City . . . . .	20	18
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	599	545
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	178	97
		Kaira District . . . . .	232	147
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	48	49
		Surat District . . . . .	36	21
		Broach Port . . . . .	8	3
		Broach District . . . . .	43	38
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	211	165
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	236	184
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	258	195
		Poona Town . . . . .	68	55
		Poona District . . . . .	202	172
		Nasik District . . . . .	460	394
		Satara District . . . . .	1,034	760
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	23	9
	Sholapur District . . . . .	98	60	
	Southern	Kolaba District . . . . .	2	2
		Vengurla Port . . . . .	...	1
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	4	2
		Belgaum District . . . . .	61	45
		Dharwar District . . . . .	382	233
		Bijapur District . . . . .	382	234
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port . . . . .	...	1
	Political Charges.	Baroda State . . . . .	287	229
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	3	1
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	123	109
		Porbandar Port . . . . .	1	1
		Kathiawar Agency . . . . .	431	347
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	460	347
		Mahi Kantha Agency . . . . .	8	6
		Akalhot State . . . . .	31	24
		Bhor State . . . . .	4	2
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	18	14
		Satara Agency . . . . .	115	82
		Surat Agency . . . . .	4	3
TOTAL			6,068	4,485

The following additions should be made in the return dated the 10th November 1917 :—

10th November 1917 { Panch Mahals District, 76 cases, 51 deaths for two weeks.  
 Kanara District, 4 cases, 3 deaths.  
 Hyderabad District, 37 cases, 32 deaths.  
 Sukkur District, 40 cases, 24 deaths.  
 Mahi Kantha Agency, 26 cases, 19 deaths.  
 Cutch State, 1 case, 1 death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.	
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Anantapur District . . . . .	476	354	
		North Arcot District . . . . .	17 (a)	14 (a)	
		Bellary District . . . . .	1,011 (b)	819 (a)	
		Chittoor District . . . . .	4	3	
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	114 (d)	74 (a)	
		Kurnool District . . . . .	40 (e)	21 (e)	
		Nilgiris District . . . . .	2	2	
		Mangalore Port . . . . .	3	3	
		Salem Town . . . . .	30	21	
		Salem District . . . . .	42 (a)	39 (a) <sup>2</sup>	
		Sandur State . . . . .	...	1	
		TOTAL			1,789
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BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	Patna	Patna District . . . . .	41	36	
		Gaya District . . . . .	14	...	
		Shahabad District . . . . .	26	28	
	Tirhut	Saran District . . . . .	32	18	
		Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	6	5	
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	7	4	
	Bhagalpur.	Darbhanga District . . . . .	7	4	
		Monghyr District . . . . .	125	93	
		TOTAL			238
	UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Saharanpur District . . . . .	14	11
		Agra	Aligarh District . . . . .	4	2
			Mainpuri District . . . . .	2	2
Rohilkhand		Bijnor District . . . . .	1	1	
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	9	7	
Allahabad		Etawah District . . . . .	3	3	
		Cawnpore City . . . . .	3	3	
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	7	7	
		Allahabad City . . . . .	18	18	
Jhansi		Allahabad District . . . . .	74	74	
		Jhansi District . . . . .	25	25	
		Jalaun District . . . . .	53	41	
Benares		Benares City . . . . .	1	1	
		Benares District . . . . .	17	15	
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	91	70	
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	117	93	
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	78	90	
Gorakhpur.		Ba'lia District . . . . .	68	67	
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	73	45	
Lucknow		Basti District . . . . .	27	20	
	Lucknow City . . . . .	2	1		
	Lucknow District . . . . .	17	17		
	Unao District . . . . .	68	71		
	Naas Barelly District . . . . .	4	3		
	Etanpur District . . . . .	5	5		
	Hardoi District . . . . .	5	5		
Fyzabad	Kheri District . . . . .	...	1		
	Fyzabad District . . . . .	14	6		
	Gonda District . . . . .	23	31		
	Sultanpur District . . . . .	31	23		
	Parbhargh District . . . . .	29	29		
TOTAL			940	812	

(a) Two imported. (b) Sixteen imported. (c) Eight imported. (d) Four imported. (e) One imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 20,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District . . . . .	3	2
	Jullundur	Jullundur District . . . . .	78	57
		Ludhiana District . . . . .	55	31
	Lahore	Lahore City . . . . .	36	24
		Lahore District . . . . .	93	73
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	1	1
	Rawalpindi.	Gujranwala District . . . . .	6	
		Jhelum District . . . . .	1	1
	Multan	Rawalpindi District . . . . .	184	104
		Montgomery District . . . . .	10	6
BURMA.	Native States.	Nabha State . . . . .	13	6
		TOTAL	480	305
	Pegu	Bangoon Town . . . . .	6	5
		Hanthawaddy District . . . . .	1	1
		Tharawaddy District . . . . .	3	3
	Irrawaddy	Prome District . . . . .	2	2
		Bassein Town . . . . .	1	1
	Tenasserim	Thaon District . . . . .	5	8
	Magwe	Minbu District . . . . .	15	17
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	42	37
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Meiktila	Meiktila District . . . . .	9	6
		TOTAL	84	80
	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	13	12
		Nagpur District . . . . .	32	17
		Bhandara District . . . . .	12	8
		Wardha District . . . . .	71	47
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	1	
		Jubbulpore District . . . . .	44	34
		Saugor Cantonment . . . . .	1	1
		Saugor District . . . . .	75	71
		Damoh District . . . . .	2	5
		Seoni District . . . . .	13	18
		Mandla District . . . . .	7	4
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District . . . . .	41	34
		Nimar District . . . . .	25	23
		Narsinghpur District . . . . .	66	53
		Chhindwara District . . . . .	4	2
	Chhatia-garh.	Raipur District . . . . .	5	7
		Bilaspur District . . . . .	12	8
	Berar	Amraoti District . . . . .	63	48
		Yectmal District . . . . .	22	20
		Akola District . . . . .	189	107
		Buldana District . . . . .	51	41
		TOTAL	708	560

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
ASAM	...	...	...	...
COCHIN	...	...	...	...
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	84	27
		Bangalore City	5	2
		Bangalore District	115	81
		Mysore District	31	22
		Hasan District	28	20
		Kodur District	15	12
		Shimoga District	25	24
		Chitaldroog District	15	8
		Tumkur District	68	38
		Kolar District	61	30
		TOTAL		
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Aurangabad District	66	54
		Bir District	228	181
		Parbhani District	64	41
		Nander District	36	32
		Gulbarga District	9	3
		Baleghur District	311	290
		Umanabad District	748	710
		Bidar District	197	134
		Medak District	43	35
		Nizamabad District	154	129
		Mahbubnagar District	3	3
		Warangal District	3	4
		TOTAL		
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	64	51
		Indore State	184	136
		Indore Residency Basars	1	1
		Gwalior State	96	64
		Mhow Cantonment	9	3
		Neemuch Cantonment	6	3
		Sohore Cantonment	4	3
		Bhopal State	200	177
		Dewas Town	6	5
		Dhar Town	1	1
		Sailana State	8	4
		Rewa State	24	20
		TOTAL		
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer City	202	147
		Ajmer District	164	72
		Alwar State	125	92
		Jaipur State	162	134
		Bharatpur State	10	7
		Jhalawar State	5	3
		Mewar State	162	140
		Kotah State	2	1
		Tonk State	65	66
		Murwar State	679	631
		Kushalgarh State	6	3
		Shahpura State	12	...
TOTAL			1,594	1,296
M.-W. P. PROVINCE	...	...	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	21	5
TOTAL			21	5
BALUCHISTAN.	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			14,764	11,454

In the return for the week ending 10th November 1917, add Dera Ismail Khan District 2 cases.

(a) From the 5th to the 11th November 1917.

(b) For the week ending 10th November 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Secretary to the Government of India.



No. 398-C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

*Delhi, the 20th November 1917.*

**RESOLUTION ANNOUNCING ALLOTMENT TO PROVINCES OF GENTLEMEN  
RECENTLY APPOINTED IN ENGLAND TO THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.**

**R E S O L U T I O N .**

THE undermentioned gentlemen, recently appointed in England to the Indian Civil Service, are, under the orders of the Governor General in Council, allotted to the provinces shown against their names:—

Mr. Bertie Munro Staig.	}	Bengal.
Mr. Donald MacPherson.		
Mr. Jnanankur De.		
Mr. James Greig Shearer.—		Bihar and Orissa.
Mr. Shrimukhrao Laxmilal Mehta—		Assam.
Mr. Chhotalal Khushaldas Desai—		United Provinces.
Mr. Ohandulal Madhavlal Trivedi—		Central Provinces.
Mr. Claude Bertram de Kretser—		Burma.

2. The Governor General in Council is further pleased to direct that the gentlemen posted to Bengal shall, on arrival at Calcutta, report themselves to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal. The officer posted to Bihar and Orissa arriving at Bombay or Calcutta should on arrival enquire from the Resident Under Secretary to the Government of Bombay or the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal as the case may be whether any orders as to his destination await him. In the absence of any such orders he should at once proceed to Patna (Patna Junction Railway Station) and there report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa or in his absence to the Commissioner of the Patna Division. Mr. S. L. Mehta should, if he has received orders as to his destination, proceed to Assam. In the absence of such orders he should at once proceed to Calcutta and report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal. Mr. C. B. de Kretser should proceed to Rangoon and report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Burma.

3. Mr. C. K. Desai should proceed to Allahabad and report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Government of the United Provinces. Mr. C. M. Trivedi should proceed to Nagpur and report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

**ORDER**—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Governments of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the United Provinces and Burma and the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces and Assam, for information and guidance. Also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, and that a copy be forwarded to each of the gentlemen named therein.

S. R. HIGNELL,

*Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.*

No. 757-D.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

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**RESOLUTION AMENDING THE RULES FOR REGULATING THE GRANT OF  
PROSPECTING LICENSES AND MINING LEASES IN BRITISH INDIA.**

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**RESOLUTION.**

*Delhi, the 22nd November 1917.*

THE Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments be made in the rules for regulating the grant by Local Governments of licenses to prospect for minerals and the grant of mining leases in British India, published with the Resolution of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7552-7581—121, dated the 15th September 1913, as subsequently amended.

The following shall be inserted as rule 4(a) :—

“Any order passed by the Collector or District Forest Officer shall be subject to appeal and to revision in such manner and by such authority as the Local Government may prescribe by notification in the Local Government Gazette.”

Delete the second sentence in rules 21 and 30(vii).

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, for information, and that a copy be forwarded to the Foreign and Political Department and the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, to Chambers of Commerce and to the Director, Geological Survey of India, for information.

Ordered also, that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian  
Railways.**

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## PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 24th November 1917.

### CORRIGENDUM.

The following entry which appeared in the Notification published by this office in Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd December, 1916, under the heading "Cessation of Exclusive Privilege" is hereby cancelled.

1912—452 (Smith).

### APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

#### November 12.

- 3396. Y. Kono. *Improvements in automatic sack-looms.*
- 3397. H. I. Roberts. *Improvements in baling presses.*
- 3398. J. H. Marshall. *Improvements in machines or apparatus for packing tea or other analogous products into chests or boxes.*
- 3399. The Libbey-Owens Sheet Glass Company. *Improvement in method and apparatus for making sheet glass.*
- 3400. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ltd. *Improvements in or relating to severing mechanism for strip elements or printing forms.*
- 3401. D. S. McNeill. *Improvements in hooks, holdfasts and foundation pins.*
- 3402. T. Cooper. *Improvements in friction clutches.*
- 3403. H. Alfsen. *Improvements in the method of building and launching floating craft.*

#### November 13.

- 3404. James Simpson & Co., Ltd. *Improvements in and relating to valves for distributing steam or other fluid in pumping and other engines.*
- 3405 L. Nelson. *Improvements in gas producers.*
- 3406. H. Katayama. *Improvements in search light reflectors.*

#### November 17.

- 3407. N. M. Thomas and C. G. Petree. *Improvements in the process for manufacturing cane sugar.*
- 3408. W. A. Echlin. *Improvements in valve for vacuum brake gears.*
- 3409. G. Moore. *Adjustable shock absorber spring attachment for all wheel vehicles.*
- 3410. J. N. Curtis and E. D. Sampson. *Improvements in brakes for railway vehicles and the like.*

### APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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- 3298. C. de Vries. *Improvements in or relating to safety locks for bicycles and the like*
- 3329. Hari Shanker. *Improvements in and relating to the means of exposing the field of operation and closing the eye in surgical operations on the eyeball.*

3334. S. J. Murphy. *A new or improved pipe line or receptacle for oil or fluids under pressure.*
3335. J. Wilson. *Improvements in apparatus for measuring liquid.*
3338. C. F. Ryland. *Improvements in eye shields.*
3345. R. Brown. *A new or improved process for the manufacture of artificial fuel from waste products.*
3346. T. G. Mylchreest and W. Brown. *Improvements in machines for the preparation of flax, jute, hemp and similar fibres for spinning.*
3350. B. B. Das. *Pure drinking water apparatus.*
3352. H. Moore and C. Day. *Improvements in continuous stills for coal tar, mineral oils and similar products.*
3354. M. T. Pickstone. *Improvements in picking apparatus for weaving looms.*
3355. M. T. Pickstone. *Improvements in reeds for weaving looms.*
3356. J. J. Harper-Nelson. *Folding water tank.*
3357. D. M. Wallace and A. Everitt. *Improvements relating to motor tractor implements for agricultural work.*
3358. D. M. Wallace and A. Everitt. *Improvements relating to motor and motor tractor ploughs and other agricultural implements.*

### PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

3310. J. M. D. Wrench. *Improvements in safety locks for railway carriage doors.*

### SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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| 2994. Chapman.                 | 3116. Allen Bros. & Co., Ltd.                             |
| 3005. T. Balmforth & Co., Ltd. | 3147. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ltd. |
| 3024. Lane.                    | 3148. Crittall Steel Furniture Co., Ltd.                  |
| 3061. Strong.                  | 3149. Widdowson.  |
| 3105. Oswal.                   |   |
| 3145. Compress Buckle Co.      |   |

### PATENTS SEALED.

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|---|------------------------------|
| 2590. Moore and Berry.  | 3030. Drakes, Ltd., & Drake. |
| 2594. Hudson Motor Car Co.  | 3043. Coe and Coe (Jr.).     |
| 2849. Cryer and Manguall.   | 3046. Jack and Lobley.       |
| 2859. West.   | 3102. Turner.                |
| 2929. Campbell and Goodyear.  | 3117. Ross.                  |
| 2996. Melhuish.   | 3118. Vogelsang.             |
| 3019. New Motor Speciality (Empire Automatic Petrol Economiser) Co., Ltd. | 3119. Marsh.                 |
|   | 3120. Olan.                  |
|   | 3125. Sullivan.              |

### RENEWAL FEES PAID.

- 186 of 1909. Owen. (To 17 November 1918.)
- 194 of 1909. Freymuth. (To 17 November 1918.)
- 201 of 1909. Kjellberg. (To 17 November 1918.)
- 263 of 1909. Freymuth. (To 17 November 1918.)
- 94 of 1910. Spencer. (To 15 November 1918.)
- 244 of 1910. Wohle. (To 5 December 1918.)
- 402 of 1910. A. C. Clark & Co. (To 10 July 1918.)
- 447 of 1910. General Electric Co. (To 15 November 1918.)
- 526 of 1910. Archer. (To 9 December 1918.)

- 609 of 1910. Prein. (To 6 January 1919.)  
 356 of 1911. Wilbuschewitsch. (To 31 January 1919.)  
 745 of 1911. Harris. (To 27 February 1919.)  
 79 of 1912. Manganese Steel Rail Co. (To 12 February 1919.)  
 452 of 1912. Smith. (To 23 August 1918.)  
 1158 of 1913. Vains & anr. (To 2 September 1918.)  
 1219 of 1913. Abdul Aziz & anr. (To 1 October 1918.)  
 1292 of 1913. Hawes & ors. (To 11 November 1918.)  
 1309 of 1913. International Cigar Machinery Co. (To 17 November 1918.)  
 1322 of 1913. Fearless Brush Co., Ltd. (To 24 November 1918.)  
 1405 of 1914. W. R. Sykes Interlocking Signal Co., Ltd., & anr. (To 6 January 1919.)  
 1406 of 1914. Deacon & anr. (To 7 January 1919.)  
 1461 of 1914. Pure Coal Briquettes, Ltd. (To 11 February 1919.)

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#### 1911.

365, (Spong).

#### 1912.

422, (Yates). 426, (Heurtley). 436, (Ross).

#### 1913.

1109, (Price). 1117, (Fernbach & anr.). 1118, (Claviez). 1119, (Caldwell). 1121, (Campbell).

### AMENDMENT ALLOWED UNDER SECTION 17.

No. 2854 of 1916. In pursuance of leave granted on 20th November 1917, the above numbered specification has been amended in the manner set forth in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 18th August 1917.

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<b>GEOGRAPHICAL MAPS—contd.</b>				
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" " 56 . . . . .	1916	ditto	1 0	Hyderabad, Bombay, Berar, Central Provinces and Madras.
" 57 and part of 66 . . . . .	1914	ditto	1 0	Bombay, Hyderabad, Coorg, Madras, Mysore and Pondicherry.
" 58 and part of 49 . . . . .	1916	ditto	1 0	Madras, Mysore, Coorg, Ceylon, Pondicherry, Karikal and Malé.
" " 60 (Preliminary Edition) . . . . .	1917	ditto	1 0	Eastern Turkistan. (Political Edition.)
" " 61 (Provisional Issue) . . . . .	1912	ditto	1 0	Tibet and Eastern Turkistan.
" " 62 . . . . .	1916	ditto	1 0	Tibet, Nepal and United Provinces.
" " 63 . . . . .	1916	ditto	1 0	United Provinces, Central Provinces, Bihar and Orissa, Central India and Nepal.
" " 64 . . . . .	1916	ditto	1 0	Central Provinces, United Provinces, Bihar and Orissa, Central India and Madras.
" " 65 and part of 66 . . . . .	1914	ditto	1 0	Hyderabad, Bihar and Orissa, Central Provinces and Madras.
" " 70 (Provisional Issue) . . . . .	1906	ditto	1 0	Tibet and Eastern Turkistan.
" " 71 (Provisional Issue) . . . . .	1904	ditto	1 0	Nepal and Tibet.
" " 72 . . . . .	1914	ditto	1 0	Nepal, Bihar and Orissa, Bengal and United Provinces. Index to name & annex extra.
" 73 . . . . .	1915	ditto	1 0	Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, Madras and Central Provinces.
" " 74 . . . . .	1915	ditto	1 0	Madras and Bihar and Orissa.
" " 77 (Provisional Issue) . . . . .	1912	ditto	1 0	Tibet, Sikkim and Bhutan.
" " 79 . . . . .	1917	ditto	1 0	CALCUTTA, Bengal, and Assam.
" " 83 (Provisional Issue) . . . . .	1913	ditto	1 0	Bengal, Assam and Burma.
" " 84 (Political Edition) . . . . .	1904	ditto	1 0	Bengal, Assam and Burma. Boundaries corrected to 1913.
" " 85 and part of 86 (Provisional Issue) . . . . .	1913	ditto	1 0	Burma.
" " 86 (Provisional Issue) . . . . .	1905	ditto	1 0	Burma and the Andaman Islands.

Description.	Date of current edition.	Size per sheet in inches.	Price.	REMARKS.
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Sheet No 87 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1905	24 × 19	1 0	Andaman and Nicobar Islands.
" " 91 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1904	ditto	1 0	Assam, Tibet and China (Yun-nan and Szech'uan Provinces).
" " 92 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1914	ditto	1 0	Assam, Burma and Yun-nan (China).
" " 93 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1904	ditto		Burma, Siam and Yun-nan (China) (corrected in 1916.
" " 94 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1913	ditto	1 0	Burma and Siam.
" " 95 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1905	ditto	1 0	Burma and Siam. Corrected to 1909.
" " 96 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1905	ditto	1 0	Corrected 1913.
" " 100 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1911	ditto	1 0	Tibet and China.
" " 101 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1910	ditto	1 0	China.
" " 102 (Provisional Issue) . . .	1904	ditto	1 0	Burma, Siam, Tongking and Yun-nan (China). Corrected to 1910.

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MAP RECORD AND ISSUE OFFICE;  
Calcutta, 16th November 1917.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 17th November 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th November 1917.

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There was no transfer between the Paper Currency Reserve and the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th November 1917.

There was no gold in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve on the 15th November 1917.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,  
Controller of Currency.

# BANK OF BENGAL.

**Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 20th November 1917.**

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up . . . . .	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities . . . . .	6,27,06,943	0	0
Reserve Fund 2,17,50,000		0	0	Other authorized Investments . . . . .	1,32,16,640	0	0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, <i>see below</i> . . . . .	67,50,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	5,20,04,558	8	10
	1,50,00,000	0	0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	4,78,96,259	5	5
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments . . . . .	67,50,000	0	0	Bills discounted and purchased . . . . .	2,69,01,485	2	5
Public Deposits at Head Office . . . . .	1,41,66,846	12	5	Balances with other Banks . . . . .	53,97,819	11	1
Public Deposits at Branches . . . . .	1,21,80,794	10	2	Bullion . . . . .	.....		
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . . . .	30,67,57,322	0	7	Dead Stock . . . . .	28,97,662	10	7
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . . .	11,92,490	6	6	Stamps . . . . .	10,917	12	2
Sundries . . . . .	14,19,540	4	3	Sundries . . . . .	3,73,413	4	5
<b>RUPEES</b> . . . . .	<b>37,77,66,994</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>Rs. A. P.</b> . . . . .	<b>21,14,04,679</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* . . . . .	10,72,10,896	7	5
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† . . . . .	5,91,51,418	3	7
				<b>RUPEES</b> . . . . .	<b>37,77,66,994</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>

\* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,78,317 8 0  
† Do. do. do. ,, 6,20,490 0 0

Rs. 9,98,707 8 0

**By order of the Directors,**

**N. H. Y. WARREN,**

**Secretary & Treasurer**

BANK OF BENGAL; }  
Calcutta, 22nd November 1917. }

**H. MITCHELL,**  
**Chief Accountant.**  
**Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.**  
**Percentage 49.51.**

**THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

**Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.**

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—

- (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.  
(b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

**W. G. WOOD,**  
**Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee**

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**NOTICE.****DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBIHUM.****INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.****Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.**

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

**G. F. ADAMS.**Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.

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**INDIA METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATION.****Simla, the 17th November 1917.**

**No. 5636-S.**—Mr. J. Evershed, F.R.S., Director, Kodaikanal and Madras Observatories, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 12th December 1917 or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

**GILBERT T. WALKER,**

Director-General of Observatories.

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**NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATION.****The 13th November 1917.**

**No. 209.**—Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, Assistant Superintendent, Nurpur Circle, Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division, is granted privilege leave for 4 days in extension of the period sanctioned in Notification No. 208, dated the 6th November 1917.

(40 P. of 1917).

**J. C. FERGUSON,**

Offg. Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

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**NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Lahore, the 16th November 1917.

**No. 13**—Mr. V. L. Dean, Assistant Traffic Superintendent in class III, grade 3 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani held at Calcutta, on the 1st November 1917.

Lahore, the 17th November 1917.

**No. 14**.—Mr. F. S. Old, Executive Engineer, is granted, under Articles 233, 246, 260, and 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave preparatory to retirement, for 11 months and 11 days, *viz.*, privilege leave for 2 months and 16 days and furlough for the remaining period, with effect from the 30th August 1917.

Lahore, the 15th November 1917.

**No. 15**.—Mr. E. B. Beatson, Executive Engineer, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, furlough on medical certificate for 3 months, in extension of that notified in this office notification No. 10, dated the 2nd October 1917.

R. R. GALES,

Agent, N. W. Railway.

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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND  
CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Quetta, the 15th November 1917.

**No. 3214-R**.—On return from the privilege leave granted to him in notification No. 1832-R., dated the 11th July 1917, by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General, Khan Sahib M. Sharbat Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade, is reposted as Wazir, Las Bela State, with effect from the 2nd November 1917.

**No. 3215-R**.—On relief by Khan Sahib M. Sharbat Khan, Khan Sahib K. P. Saith Kaikobad, a provisional Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade, is reverted to British service and posted as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kalat, with effect from the 3rd November 1917 afternoon.

**No. 3216-R**.—On relief by Khan Sahib Seth K. P. Kaikobad L. Atma Ram, Head Clerk of the office of the Political Agent, Sibi, is retransferred to foreign service under the Kalat State for employment as Audit Officer of that State with effect from 4th November 1917.

Quetta, the 12th November 1917.

**No. 3289**.—Captain B. Fitz Randall, 3rd Skinners Horse, is appointed Cantonment Magistrate, Loralai, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 22nd October 1917 *vice* Captain C. W. D. A. Steward, 66th Punjabis.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.



## CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 19th November 1917.

**No. 9675-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 10th November 1917 is published for information:—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		16	17	
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.								Infants under one year of age.		Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.		
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.			Females.	Total.
	Delhi .	225,471	146	156	302	79	104	183	...	...	...	71	14	62	...	36	..	34	36	70	80.65	42.20
	Notified Area	3,678	...	1	4	3	1	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	56.62	50.63
	Total	229,144	146	160	306	82	105	187	...	...	...	74	14	62	...	37	...	34	36	70	80.44	42.41

Delhi, the 20th November 1917.

**No. 9697-Home.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 11 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914 (VIII of 1914), the Chief Commissioner proposes to make the following amendments in the rules published with Notification No. 2372-Home, dated the 10th April 1915 (as amended by Notifications Nos. 5914 and 7357-Home, dated the 30th August 1916 and 2nd November 1916, respectively). Notice is hereby given that the said amendment will be taken into consideration on or after the 2nd January 1918, and any objections or suggestions received by that date will be taken into consideration.

*Draft amendments.*

(1) For the existing Form A II (Registration Certificate) substitute:—

- (i) Registered number.
- (ii) Name of owner.
- (iii) Address of owner.
- (iv) Maker's name.
- (v) Type of vehicle.
- (vi) Horse power.
- (vii) Date of manufacture.
- (viii) Engine number.
- (ix) Chassis number.
- (x) Carrying capacity:—
  - (1) Up to 15 cwt.
  - (2) 15 cwt. to 30 cwt.
  - (3) 2 tons.
  - (4) 3 tons.
  - (5) 4 tons.
  - (6) 5 tons.
  - (7) 6 tons and over.
  - (8) 2 seater.
  - (9) 4 seater.
  - (10) 5 seater and over.
  - (11) If fitted with side car
  - (12) Seating capacity

In case of light vans and motor lorries. Steam lorries to be marked "S".

In case of motor cars.

In case of motor cycles.

In case of Chai-a-bancs.

(2) For the existing last sentence of rule 11 substitute:—

"Notification must also be made to the Superintendent of Police when a motor car falls into permanent disuse. No charge will be made for recording a transfer of ownership."

**No. 9710-Home.**—Khwaja Mohd. Abdul Majid Khan relinquished charge of the office of Subordinate Judge, Delhi, on the afternoon of the 11th November 1917.

**No. 9712-Home.**—The services of Khwaja Mohd. Abdul Majid Khan, Subordinate Judge, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department with effect from the afternoon of the 11th November 1917.

Delhi, proposes to declare that the unmentioned monuments are protected monuments within the meaning of the Act.

Any objection to the above proposal received in writing within one month from the date of posting by the Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, will be taken into consideration by the Chief Commissioner.

Gateways and parts of the walls of Lal Kot and of the Fort of Rai Pithora proposed to be declared protected.

No	Name of Monument.	Locality	BOUNDARY				Area
			North	South	East	West	
1	A gateway of Lal Kot	Lado Sarai, some 400 feet to the west of Delhi Qutab Road, Kh. No. 143.	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 142	Mehrauli, Kh. No. 1815	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 143	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 143.	1 Bigha and 5 Biswas.
2	Walls of Lal Kot and Rai Pithora's Fort from Sohan gate to Adham Khan's tomb including the ditch where there is an outer wall.	Mehrauli, Kh. Nos. 1788, 1765, 1766, 1767, 1770, 1772, 1773, 1798 and 1731.	Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 127, 126, 123, 121, 120, Mehrauli Kh. No. 1714.	Mehrauli, uncultivated land and Kh. Nos. 1781, 1783, 1781, 1782, 1765, 1665 and 1666.	Mehrauli, uncultivated land and Kh. Nos. 1784, 1766, 1767, 1770, 1772, 1773, 1798.	Mehrauli, uncultivated land and Kh. Nos. 1766, 1764, 1666	51 Bighas and 19 Biswas.
3	Walls of Lal Kot and Rai Pithora's Fort at the point where they meet together	Near Jamali Kamali's mosque, Mehrauli, Kh. No. 1754; Laddha Sarai, Kh. Nos. 86 and 87.	Mehrauli, uncultivated land and Kh. No. 1854	Laddha Sarai, Kh. Nos. 80, 83 and 87.	Mehrauli, uncultivated land and Kh. No. 1854; Laddha Sarai, Kh. Nos. 87, 84.	Mehrauli, uncultivated land and Kh. Nos. 1854, 90 and 83.	1 Bigha and 2 Biswas.
4	Wall of Rai Pithora's Fort including gateways and bastions.	From a ruined gateway near Bagh Nazir to a bastion immediately to the north of Qutb Tughlaq Road; Mehrauli, Kh. Nos. 38 and 29; Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 355, 358, 363, 364, 369, 370, 391, 404, 405, 406, 407 and 415.	Laddha Sarai, Kh. No. 29; Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 341, 342, 345, 346, 354, 357, 358, 410 and 414.	Laddha Sarai, Kh. Nos. 34, 30, 31, 340, 342; Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 355 and 356.	Laddha Sarai, Kh. Nos. 32, 30; Siyvdul Ajab, Kh. Nos. 24, 266; Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 405, 406, 370, 391 and 412.	Laddha Sarai, Kh. Nos. 41, 29; Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 358, 359, 363, 364, 369, 370, 391, 404, 405, 406, 407 and 416.	12 Bighas and 13 Biswas.
5	Badaun Gate	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 412; Hauz Rani, Kh. Nos. 22, 27, 23.	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 412; Hauz Rani, Kh. No. 22.	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 412; Hauz Rani, Kh. Nos. 23, 27.	Hauz Rani, Kh. Nos. 22, 27.	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 412.	3 Bighas and 19 Biswas.
6	Walls of Rai Pithora's Fort and Jahanpanah at the point where they meet together.	Near a garden at Hauz Rani, Kh. Nos. 6, 1; Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 489, 470, 481.	Hauz Rani, Kh. No. 1; Begampur, Kh. No. 203; Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 481.	Hauz Rani, Kh. Nos. 7, 6, 2, 3.	Hauz Rani, Kh. No. 61; Begampur, Kh. Nos. 202, 203.	Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 481, 490, 474, 473, 471, 470.	5 Bighas and 16 Biswas.
7	Gateway of Rai Pithora's Fort	Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 481, 514	Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 481, 514.	Lado Sarai, Kh. Nos. 480, 514.	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 481	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 514.	1 Bigha.
8	Ramp and gateway of Rai Pithora's Fort.	Adhechini, Kh. No. 99	Adhechini, Kh. No. 99.	Lado Sarai, Kh. No. 1	Adhechini, Kh. No. 99	Adhechini, Kh. No. 99	3 Biswas.
9	Bastion where a wall of Jahanpanah meets the wall of Rai Pithora's Fort.	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	2 Bighas and 3 Biswas.

W. M. HAILEY,  
Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.****Insolvency Jurisdiction.**

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CASE No. 28 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of C. Murugasa Pathar, goldsmith, of No. 20, 32nd Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said C. Murugasa Pathar an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 92 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of Kanchirla Yenkiar, No. 33, 15th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Kanchirla Yenkiar an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 118 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba Aye, clerk, residing at Mohr Brothers' Compound, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Ba Aye an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 121 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1917.

In the matter of Bal Kristnadas Kaniyalall, cloth merchant, of No. 153 C, Surati Bazaar, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Bal Kristnadas Kaniyalall an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 1st day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 189 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 21th October 1917.

In the matter of Paul Thorvald Christensen, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Paul Thorvald Christensen, of No. 25, 41th Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Paul Thorvald Christensen.

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CASE No. 194 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st November 1917.

In the matter of D. P. Rao, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by D. P. Rao, clerk, of No. 71, 27th Street, Rangoon, on the 31st day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said D. P. Rao.

## CASE No. 195 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st November 1917.

In the matter of Koana Allahpitchay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Koana Allahpitchay, Bazaar supplier, residing at No. 81, 32nd Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of October 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 1st day of November 1917 against the said Koana Allahpitchay:

## CASE No. 150 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of A. Siromoney of No. 65, Thompson Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. Siromoney an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 94 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1917.

In the matter of Gulam Rabbani, Fruit Merchant of No. 102, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Gulam Rabbani an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 12th day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 102 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th November 1917.

In the matter of K. Gowriah *alias* Jesudass of No. 99, 39th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said K. Gowriah *alias* Jesudass an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 6th day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 124 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 5th November 1917.

In the matter of Simeon George Jacob of No. 125, Kandawglay, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Simeon George Jacob an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 2nd day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 196 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of J. B. C. Jackson, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by J. B. C. Jackson of No. 1, North Bazaar Road, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said J. B. C. Jackson.

## CASE No. 197 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of C. J. Shaik Mahomed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by C. J. Shaik Mahomed, Trader of No. 110, Montgomery Street, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said C. J. Shaik Mahomed

## CASE No. 198 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of Seena Muthu Nadar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Seena Muthu Nadar, cooly of No. 260, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Seena Muthu Nadar.

## CASE No. 199 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of Ana Karpana Nadar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ana Karpana Nadar, cooly of No. 255, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ana Karpana Nadar.

## CASE No. 200 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of Shaik Hussain, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shaik Hussain of No. 50, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 6th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Hussain.

## CASE No. 201 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th November 1917.

In the matter of S. K. Chandra Shaha, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by S. K. Chandra Shaha, Money Lender of No. 31, Ahlone Road, Rangoon, on the 7th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said S. K. Chandra Shaha.

## CASE No. 202 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th November 1917.

In the matter of Syed Moideen, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Syed Moideen, Clerk, No. 8, 108th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Syed Moideen.

## CASE No. 203 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th November 1917.

In the matter of Meerna Appanna, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Meerna Appanna, Tindal of Boat No. 455, Rangoon, on the 8th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma, on the same day against the said Meerna Appanna.

## CASE No. 204 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th November 1917.

In the matter of Meerna Nookana, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Meerna Nookana, Tindal of Boat No. 455, Rangoon, on the 8th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Meerna Nookana.

## CASE No. 205 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 9th November 1917.

In the matter of Thomurathu Gurriah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Thomurathu Gurriah, Cooly Maistry, of No. 2, Clark Street, Rangoon, on the 8th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Thomurathu Gurriah.

## CASE No. 207 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1917.

In the matter of Radhay Singh, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Radhay Singh, Peon in the office of the Director of Public Instruction, Burma, on the 12th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Radhay Singh.

## CASE No. 208 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1917.

In the matter of Nakka Dashiiah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Nakka Dashiiah, Rice Cakes Seller, of No. 25, 18th Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Nakka Dashiiah.

## CASE No. 209 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Essa, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Essa, Merchant, of No. 14, 28th Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Essa.

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Offg. Registrar.

## IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.

## No. 18 of 1917.

Kalyanmal, son of Balu Ram Khati, Ajmer . . . Insolvent

against

Debt.

	Rs.
1. Pannalal, son of Hardeo Khati, Nasirabad . . . . .	1,000
2. Rasul Baksh, son of Kutul Baksh of Ajmer . . . . .	230
3. Goardhan, Mahajan, Ajmer . . . . .	50
4. Tota Ram, son of Hardeo Khati of Ajmer . . . . .	60
5. Moula Baksh, Ajmer . . . . .	50
6. Nathu Khati of Ajmer . . . . .	60

Kalyanmal has filed an application under section 11 of Act III of 1907, and the application will be heard on 7th December 1917 at 10 A.M.

The creditors are hereby informed to appear before the Court either in person or through recognised agent to oppose the application on the date fixed. In default of appearance the application will be heard *ex parte*.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 8th November 1917. .

H. B. SARDA,

Sub-Judge and Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
574—1917	Haji Mowlabux Pana Ullah Shaik	Mahomedan	281, Memonwada	Dealer in mutton balls	12th	November	1917	12th	November	1917
575—1917	Rajabali Najarlali Davoodi Vora	"	Mandvi, Koliwada	Lately general broker and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
576—1917	Esoof alias Esmail Ebrahim Variava.	"	Mahim near Durga	Lately milk vendor and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
577—1917	Munshi Mah med Esmail	"	Nal Bazar.	Tea broker	13th	"	"	13th	"	"
578—1917	Laxmidas Nathoo Chopsey Sha	Hindu	99, Frere Road, Fort	Lately speculator in shares of different Companies and now unemployed.	16th	"	"	16th	"	"
579—1917	V-lji Wagbji Lohana	"	Dana Bander	Lately broker in Cereals and since servant in the employ of Karabhai Virji and now unemployed.	17th	"	"	17th	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 19th day of November 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM  
IN BENGAL.  
In Insolvency.**

**Summary Case.**

No. 17 of 1916.

Dated the 1st November 1917.

*Re* Patrick Francis Maher.

*Ex parte* the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 4th day of December 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

**Notice of Adjudication Order.**

No. 164 of 1917.

Dated the 16th November 1917.

*Re* Ram Narain, residing in room No. 3 in Block C, at No. 55, Canning Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business in grain, oil seeds, gunny and other articles, formerly at No. 62, Clive Street, and subsequently at the aforesaid premises No. 55, Canning Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name and style originally of Ram Narain Tilokinath, afterwards of Radha Kissen Kanai Lal, at present doing nothing.

*Ex parte* the debtor. Khagendra Nath De—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 5th day of November 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 165 of 1917.

Dated the 16th November 1917.

*Re* Jyotish Chandra Dey, at present residing at No. 5-1, Heramba Chandra Dass's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a clerk in the employ of Messrs. Thomas Duff and Company, Limited.

*Ex parte* the debtor. B. L. Mukherjee—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 7th day of November 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 166 of 1917.

Dated the 16th November 1917.

*Re* Khetra Nath Bandopadhyaya, Chandi Charan Bandopadhyaya and Gobind Prosad Bandopadhyaya, of Bhabpore, in the District of Burdwan, all at present residing and carrying on business in co-partnership as dealers in Silk and Tussar cloths under the name and style and firm of Bhola Nath Bandopadhyaya, Chandi Charan Bandopadhyaya, at No. 75, Khangraputty Street, in the town of Calcutta, Traders

*Ex parte* the debtor. P. L. De—Attorney for the Insolvents.

On the 9th day of November 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,  
Official Assignee of Calcutta.



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.**  
**In Insolvency.**

Notice is hereby given that orders have been made by this Court adjudging the persons hereunder, mentioned Insolvents and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvents in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said Insolvents, or who have any of their estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

Number of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvents.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Public Examination
125 of 1917	19th July 1917	Rayamangalam Raghava Vaicker now residing at No. 42, Edapaliem Street, Peddunaick's petta, George Town, Madras.	19th July 1917	7th December 1917.
201 of 1917	17th October 1917.	V. Subba Rao and S. Govinda Rao, residing at No. 9, Veerusawmy Street, Nungambankam, Madras.	18th October 1917.	14th December 1917
207 of 1917	25th October 1917.	Pathangi Subba Row, residing at No. 17, Thirupalli Street, George Town, Madras	25th October 1917.	21st December 1917.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, }  
 Madras, 20th November 1917. }

J. R. ATKINSON,  
 Deputy Registrar.

**REPORT OF DESERTION.**

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Lahore Cantonment, this 13th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—9914, Private, Wilfred Blackstone  
 Age—25 years.  
 Height—5 feet 7 inches.  
 Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, brown; eyes, blue.  
 Trade—Labourer.

Date of Enlistment—10th June 1910.  
 Place of Enlistment—York.  
 Parish and County in which born—York, Yorkshire.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—11th November 1917.  
 Place of Desertion or absence—Lahore Cantonment.  
 Marks—Nil.  
 Under eight years' service.

J. N. ALLAN, 2nd-Lieut., for Major,  
 Commanding 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

**ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

**FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.**

Bombay, the 12th November 1917.

**No. 36.**—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Temporary Lieutenant D. T. Fulton, R.I.M., 6 months, with effect from 4th July 1917.

B. H. JONES,  
 for Offg. Director, Royal Indian Marine.

## ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for September 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1917-18.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1917-18.										RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER 1917.						
REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.					Receipts in September 1917.											
					Imperial.		Special.		TOTAL.		Imperial.		Special.		TOTAL.	
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
I.—Land Revenue	.	.	.	.	...	22,77,000	22,77,000	21,690	...	...	11,63,273	11,63,273	...	...	27,181	
II.—Opium	.	.	.	.	...	47,000	47,000	4,532	...	...	3,41,822	3,41,822	...	...	2,06,295	
IV.—Stamps	.	.	.	.	...	7,25,000	7,25,000	36,829	...	...	640	640	...	...	...	
V.—Excise	.	.	.	.	...	3,35,000	3,35,000	31,433	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
VI.—Provincial Rates	.	.	.	.	...	1,000	1,000	4,360	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
VII.—Customs	.	.	.	.	...	2,50,000	2,50,000	34,609	...	2,516	...	...	...	...	...	
VIII.—Income Tax	.	.	.	.	6,000	2,42,000	2,42,000	7,558	...	...	84,419	84,419	...	...	...	
IX.—Fees	.	.	.	.	...	45,000	45,000	4,114	...	...	26,997	26,997	...	...	...	
X.—Registration	.	.	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XI.—Tribute from Native States	.	.	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	15,481	...	...	...	...	...	
XII.—Interest	.	.	.	.	30,000	...	30,000	2,087	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	.	.	.	.	...	2,30,000	2,30,000	21,631	...	...	1,16,324	1,16,324	...	...	...	
XVIB.—Ditto	.	.	.	.	...	46,000	46,000	4,891	...	...	18,177	18,177	...	...	...	
XVII.—Police	.	.	.	.	...	23,000	23,000	2,672	...	...	21,787	21,787	...	...	...	
XIX.—Education	.	.	.	.	...	24,000	24,000	2,008	...	...	13,325	13,325	...	...	...	
XXA.—Medical	.	.	.	.	...	1,000	1,000	101	...	...	38	38	...	...	...	
XXB.—Sanitation	.	.	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	350	...	...	...	
XXIA.—Agriculture	.	.	.	.	...	6,000	6,000	...	...	...	195	195	...	...	...	
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	.	.	.	.	...	...	...	3	...	...	61	61	...	...	...	
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.	.	.	.	.	...	23,000	23,000	2,081	...	...	13,719	13,719	...	...	...	
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	.	.	.	.	...	23,000	23,000	2,919	...	...	14,660	14,660	...	...	...	
XXV.—Miscellaneous	.	.	.	.	...	1,24,000	1,24,000	4,825	...	...	55,859	55,859	...	...	...	
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	.	.	.	.	...	13,11,000	13,11,000	2,48,258	...	3,25,922	3,25,922	3,25,922	...	...	...	
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	.	.	.	.	9,08,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XXXI.—Civil Works	.	.	.	.	...	1,59,000	1,59,000	7,281	...	...	62,761	62,761	...	...	...	
TOTAL REVENUE AND RECEIPTS					9,36,000	49,89,000	59,25,000	1,34,132	3,43,919	25,79,650	29,23,569	29,23,569	...	...	...	
Add—Debt Accounts					...	...	...	96,54,908	...	...	6,13,05,177	6,13,05,177	...	...	...	
TOTAL					...	...	...	1,01,89,040	...	...	6,42,24,746	6,42,24,746	...	...	...	
Opening Cash Balance					...	...	...	(b) 35,11,605	...	...	(a) 23,71,420	(a) 23,71,420	...	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL					...	...	...	1,36,00,645	...	...	6,48,00,106	6,48,00,106	...	...	...	

(a) On 1st April 1917. (b) On 1st September 1917.

H. M. C. TROTTER,  
Accountant-General, Punjab.OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,  
LAHORE;

The 24th November 1917.

## ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for September 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1917-18.

EXPENDITURE.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1917-18				DISBURSEMENT FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH AUGUST 1917.			
	Imperial.		Special		Imperial.		Special.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	14,000	13,000	27,000	1,661	5,448	5,448	10,896	10,896
2.—Assignments and Compensations	9,000	9,000	14,000	188	4,205	4,205	8,583	8,583
3.—Land Revenue	4,14,000	2,92,000	7,16,000	43,654	1,04,793	1,04,793	3,30,888	3,30,888
6.—Stamps	14,000	15,000	29,000	1,339	4,703	4,703	9,407	9,407
7.—Excise	9,000	8,000	17,000	1,088	3,926	3,926	7,852	7,852
10.—Income Tax	1,000	1,000	1,000	87	258	258	517	517
11.—Forest	70,000	71,000	1,41,000	6,330	24,084	24,084	48,167	48,167
12.—Registration	6,000	7,000	13,000	1,252	3,221	3,221	6,447	6,447
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18.—General Administration	2,68,000	1,25,000	3,93,000	33,918	1,32,324	1,32,324	1,33,959	1,33,959
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	4,08,000	2,34,000	7,02,000	52,194	2,30,097	2,30,097	3,42,059	3,42,059
19B.—Ditto	1,51,000	1,52,000	3,03,000	24,585	79,244	79,244	1,36,483	1,36,483
20.—Police	12,50,000	12,49,000	24,99,000	2,14,856	6,38,191	6,38,191	13,76,381	13,76,381
22.—Education	3,16,000	3,15,000	6,31,000	28,971	91,184	91,184	1,82,369	1,82,369
23.—Ecclesiastical	57,000	...	57,000	4,301	28,024	28,024	26,024	26,024
24A.—Medical	1,01,000	85,000	1,86,000	12,203	43,832	43,832	78,452	78,452
24B.—Sanitation	1,20,000	1,19,000	2,39,000	1,151	54,731	54,731	1,09,432	1,09,432
25.—Political	26,17,000	24,36,000	50,53,000	3,01,297	9,92,849	9,92,849	19,01,974	19,01,974
26A.—Agriculture	76,000	77,000	1,53,000	4,733	15,134	15,134	30,269	30,269
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	4,000	5,000	9,000	753	2,431	2,431	4,862	4,862
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	61,000	...	61,000	1,968	21,169	21,169	21,169	21,169
28.—Civil, Furlough and Absentee Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	89,000	83,000	1,72,000	15,714	45,281	45,281	93,523	93,523
30.—Stationery and Printing	61,000	61,000	1,22,000	7,302	24,845	24,845	49,690	49,690
32.—Miscellaneous	21,000	21,000	42,000	4,659	10,266	10,266	20,532	20,532
33.—Famine Relief	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses	13,19,000	2,58,000	16,06,000	42,179	1,16,562	1,16,562	2,33,105	2,33,105
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	24,000	25,000	49,000	2,210	4,567	4,567	9,134	9,134
45.—Civil Works	18,84,000	13,78,000	27,32,000	1,436	1,27,785	1,27,785	2,55,570	2,55,570
<b>and Debt Accounts</b>	<b>83,23,000</b>	<b>70,74,000</b>	<b>1,59,97,000</b>	<b>8,09,238</b>	<b>28,97,219</b>	<b>28,97,219</b>	<b>54,01,784</b>	<b>54,01,784</b>
	...	...	...	94,27,955	...	...	5,78,34,936	5,78,34,936
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>1,02,37,213</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>6,32,36,769</b>	<b>6,32,36,769</b>
Balance on 30th September 1917	...	...	...	33,83,397	...	...	33,83,397	33,83,397
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>1,36,01,645</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>6,86,00,166</b>	<b>6,86,00,166</b>

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,  
LAHORE,

The 20th November 1917.

H. M. C. TROTTER,  
Accountant-General, Punjab.

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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL  
IN CENTRAL INDIA.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Central India Agency, Indore, the 19th November 1917.

**No. 5307-B**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 15, sub-section (1) of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910) as applied to the Cantonments of Mhow, Nimach and Nowgong, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the Central India Agency notification No. 54-B., dated the 22nd January 1915, namely:—

To the list of exemptions from the general rate entered in the last column of the first schedule the following shall be added:—

- (f) Buildings used as soldiers' homes or institutes and recognised as such by the Officer Commanding the Division.

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the  
Governor General in Central India.

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**MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Delhi, the 21st November 1917.

**No. 208-G. Camp.**—Mr. Provakhar Chatterjee, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 13th November 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,

Military Accountant-General.

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**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.  
(POST OFFICE.)**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 15th November 1917.

**No. 2841-s-*Ap.***—Babu Manindra Nath Banerji, Personal Assistant to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, pay Rs. 100—500, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 3rd December 1917 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. A. J. L. Gonet, Chief Clerk, Office of the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, Simla, is appointed to officiate as Personal Assistant to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, pay Rs. 400—500, during the absence on privilege leave of Babu Manindra Nath Banerji or until further orders.

**No. 2855-s-*Ap.***—Mr. J. J. Williams, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 12th November 1917 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Babu Javananda Kumar, Investigating Inspector, Office of the Postmaster-General, Bihar and Orissa, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. J. J. Williams, or until further orders.

Simla, the 16th November 1917.

**No. 2865-s-*Ap.***—Mr. Muhammad Barkat Ali, Superintendent of post offices, 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for fifteen days with effect from the 17th October 1917.

Simla, the 17th November 1917.

**No. 2885-s.-Ap.**—This office Notification No. 2855-s-Ap., dated the 15th November 1917, is hereby cancelled.

**No. 2889-s.-Ap.**—Mr. Braj Bhushan Lal, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for fifteen days with effect from the 8th November 1917.

Babu Baidya Nath Banerji, Head Assistant, office of the Inspector-General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Eastern Circle, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Braj Bhushan Lal, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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### POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS. (TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 19th November 1917.

**No. 314c-E/E.**—Mr. F. Rowland, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for three months, with effect from the 28th August 1917, under Army Department letter No. H.-4573, dated 30th April 1915.

**No. 317c-E/E.**—Mr. G. C. Perkins, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for three months, with effect from the 14th August 1917, under Army Department letter No. H.-4573, dated 30th April 1915.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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### POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS. (TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

#### NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 21st November 1917.

**No. 6033-T.**—Mr. V. Stephens who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, in Notification No. 5025-T, dated the 22nd September 1917, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 25th October 1917.

**No. 6036-T.**—Mr. J. Garrad who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, in Notification No. 5345-T, dated the 11th October 1917, reverted to the grade of Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, with effect from the 25th October 1917.

W. MAXWELL,

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Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.

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Joint Liquidators.



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November 20, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,

Director of Statistics

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	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	12 2	12 2	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 3	10 6	13 4	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon . . . .	...	...	...	...	14 9	13 4	16 3	14 9	...	...	...	...
Manbin . . . .	4 10	4 10	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	15 8	13 2	...	...	...	...
Hensada . . . .	5 1	5 5	...	...	13 4	13 4	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Prome . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	11 3	14 9	13 4	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	11 10	11 10	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay . . . .	8 4	8 —	...	...	9 6	9 6	12 2	12 2	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	12 2	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pakokku . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 1	8 5	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Meiktila . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	11 3	13 3	14 9	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway . . . .	2 10	2 10	...	...	12 12	12 12	15 14	15 14	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyn . . . .	3 3	3 8	...	...	11 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Burma—												
Sylhet . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 4	7 8	10 —	...	...	...	...	...
Cachar . . . .	4 —	4 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 12	11 4	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Kháisi and Jaintia Hills . . . .	6 2	6 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills . . . .	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur . . . .	16 —	16 —	...	...	20 —	18 —	22 —	19 —	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goalpara . . . .	13 —	13 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati) . . . .	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur . . . .	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Noakhali . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
Tippura . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 6	7 8	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 2	...	...	...	...
Calcutta . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hooghly . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Kriahnagarh) . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 10	9 6	...	...	...	...
Jessore . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.



TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CHHET (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Best sort	Common	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month
<b>Bengal—continued</b>												
<i>Western—</i>												
Bankura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 8	...	...	...	...
Burdwan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Birbhum . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	...	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Pahna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Rajahmali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 14	...	...	...	...
Malda . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Bogra . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 6	9 —	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Darjeeling . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
<b>Bihar and Orissa—</b>												
<i>Bihar, north—</i>												
Purnea . . . . .	11 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 4	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur . . . . .	10 —	10 —	20 —	19 6	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga . . . . .	9 14	9 14	18 11	18 11	...	...	10 7	10 7	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . . . .	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Saran . . . . .	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Champaran . . . . .	10 —	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	11 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, south—</i>												
Santah Parganas . . . . .	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr . . . . .	9 —	8 11	21 —	21 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya . . . . .	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	11 8	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...
Patna . . . . .	9 12	11 —	18 —	19 —	...	...	12 —	11 —	17 —	18 —	...	...
Shahabad . . . . .	9 —	10 —	14 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Chota Nagpur—</i>												
Singbhum . . . . .	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Manbhum . . . . .	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Ranchi . . . . .	7 12	8 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	9 8	9 8
Palaman . . . . .	10 2	10 11	13 8	15 3	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Hasaribagh . . . . .	7 12	8 —	...	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>												
Puri . . . . .	8 8	8 12	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 —	...	...	...	...
Cuttack . . . . .	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore . . . . .	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur . . . . .	9 4	9 —	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	...	...
<b>United Provinces—</b>												
<i>(a) AGRA—</i>												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Mirzapur . . . . .	8 8	8 8	11 8	14 8	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	12 —	12 —
Benares . . . . .	9 2½	9 6½	14 1½	14 1½	6 10	6 10	8 2½	8 2½	14 1½	14 1½	14 1½	14 1½
Ghazipur . . . . .	8 12	9 —	14 7	14 7	5 —	5 —	8 15	8 15	14 5	14 5	...	...
Jaunpur . . . . .	9 —	9 8	14 6	15 6	4 —	4 —	8 12	8 6	...	...	...	...
Allahabad . . . . .	8 12	9 4	14 12	15 4	4 8	4 8	9 —	8 8	14 —	13 12	15 8	13 4
<i>Central—</i>												
Banda . . . . .	9 10	10 8	13 12	14 4	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	14 8	17 8	...	...
Fatehpur . . . . .	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	3 8	3 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur . . . . .	9 4	9 10	13 2	13 12	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 4	13 14	14 2	...	13 12
Jalaun . . . . .	9 8	10 4	15 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	6 12	6 12	16 —	16 —	...	...
Cawnpore . . . . .	9 —	9 —	13 8	13 12	...	...	7 6	7 6	...	14 4	13 8	13 8
Jhansi . . . . .	8 4	8 10	15 4	14 15	4 12	4 12	7 14	7 10	12 8	12 15	13 8	13 9
Etawah . . . . .	9 4	9 12	13 4	14 4	3 —	3 —	8 4	9 —	...	...	...	...
Farrukhabad . . . . .	9 9	9 14	15 —	14 10	4 1	4 2	9 3	8 14	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri . . . . .	10 4	11 —	15 8	15 8	5 —	5 —	8 8	9 —	15 —	...	14 —	...
Etah . . . . .	10 —	11 —	14 8	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	8 8	...	...	18 —	...
<i>Western—</i>												
Meerut . . . . .	10 —	10 —	13 4	14 —	3 —	3 —	6 12	8 —	14 8	...	...	...
Agra* . . . . .	...	8 8	...	13 8	...	5 12	...	6 4	...	15 —	...	15 4
Muttra* . . . . .	...	10 2	...	14 —	...	4 8	...	7 —	...	16 —	...	16 —
Aligarh . . . . .	10 8	10 12	15 —	14 8	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	17 —	17 —	15 4	16 —
Bulandshahr . . . . .	10 8	10 8	15 —	14 8	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
<i>Submontane, east—</i>												
Ballia . . . . .	9 2	9 12	17 8	17 8	5 3	5 3	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh . . . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 8	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur . . . . .	10 —	10 2	15 —	15 12	7 12	7 12	11 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Basti . . . . .	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	6 4	6 4	11 4	10 —	...	...	...	...

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DISTRICTS	WHEAT (Triticum Sativum)		BARLEY (Hordeum vulgare)		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CHAMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>United Provinces— continued</b>												
<b>(a) AGRA—continued</b>												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahanpur	10 4	10 4	15 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	11 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	11 —	11 —
Pratapgarh	10 1	10 1	15 10	15 10	3 8	3 8	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	11 —	11 —
Pratapgarh	11 —	11 8	14 9	16 8	4 —	4 8	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 8	13 8	13 —
Pilibhit	10 2	10 4	15 6	15 9	4 —	4 0	8 7	8 6	15 —	14 8	13 8	13 —
Bareilly	10 —	10 2	14 12	15 4	3 12	3 12	8 14	9 —	15 —	14 8	13 8	13 —
Moradabad	10 —	10 8	15 8	15 12	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	14 8	13 8	13 —
Rampur	10 6	10 8	15 8	15 12	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	14 8	13 8	13 —
Muzaffarnagar	10 2	10 2	14 4	14 4	6 9	6 9	8 4	7 10	13 2	14 4	13 2	13 2
Saharanpur	9 9	9 13	13 13	13 13	4 4	4 4	8 —	7 3	12 12	12 12	12 —	12 —
Dehra-Dun	9 —	9 8	15 —	15 —	2 12	2 12	7 8	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	11 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
Almora	7 —	7 8	10 —	10 8	2 12	2 12	6 4	6 4	11 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
Garhwal	6 4	6 4	8 —	10 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	11 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
<b>(b) OUDH—</b>												
<b>Southern—</b>												
Partabgarh	10 —	9 8	13 8	13 8	5 —	5 —	10 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Sultanpur	10 4	10 8	17 —	16 —	4 —	4 8	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Rae-Bareilly	10 —	10 —	14 8	16 —	4 —	4 8	10 4	8 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Unao	9 2	9 4	13 12	14 4	4 8	4 8	8 12	8 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Lucknow	9 —	9 4	14 8	15 —	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Hardoi	10 —	10 8	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
<b>Northern—</b>												
Fyzabad	9 12	10 2	14 —	14 —	4 4	4 4	8 8	8 8	12 12	12 12	10 8	10 8
Barabanki	10 3	10 4	13 12	14 12	4 4	4 4	10 5	10 2	12 12	12 12	13 10	12 2
Gonda	10 4	10 8	14 8	14 12	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	17 —	16 —	16 —
Bahraich	11 —	10 8	16 —	16 8	5 —	5 —	9 12	9 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Sitapur	9 12	10 —	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Kheri	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	3 —	3 —	10 —	10 —	20 —	18 —	13 —	13 —
<b>Rajputana—</b>												
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Mewar (Udaipur)	10 6	9 13	18 4	17 14	5 —	5 3	5 10	5 8	23 13	23 10	14 2	14 2
Ajmer*	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Kishangarh	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Tonk	7 2	7 2	12 4	12 1	4 6	4 6	5 8	7 10	15 5	14 4	13 2	13 2
Jaipur	9 8	9 4	12 14	12 10	4 14	4 14	5 2	5 2	13 15	14 7	12 9	12 13
Karauli	10 5	10 5	15 10	14 6	7 8	7 8	8 2	8 2	17 8	16 4	15 15	16 4
Dholpur	10 —	10 1	13 12	13 15	4 14	5 —	5 2	5 4	14 11	15 —	14 —	15 7
Bharatpur	9 4	9 —	13 6	13 —	4 5	4 —	4 14	4 —	15 8	15 —	14 10	14 —
Alwar	10 3	10 2	14 4	13 15	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	16 12	16 13	15 13	15 15
Nasirabad	8 8	8 13	14 —	14 —	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —
<b>Western—</b>												
Bikaner*	...	8 —	11 8	11 8	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Jaisalmer*	...	7 4	11 8	11 8	4 —	4 —	5 14	5 14	12 —	12 —	11 10	11 10
Jodhpur*	...	{ 9 5 to 10 — }	15 9	15 9	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	16 9	16 9	{ 16 — and 17 11 }	{ 16 — and 17 11 }
<b>Central India—</b>												
Indore	8 12	9 —	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Neemuch	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	13 8	14 —	11 8	11 8
Gwalior	8 8	8 12	12 —	12 —	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Delhi—												
Delhi	9 4	9 4	12 11	12 9	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —
<b>Punjab—</b>												
<b>Southern—</b>												
Hissar	10 —	9 —	13 8	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 8	17 —	18 4
Ferozepur	10 —	10 —	14 8	16 12	...	...	7 8	7 —	15 —	15 8	14 —	14 —
<b>Central—</b>												
Lahore	9 —	9 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 —
Gujranwala	9 14	9 14	14 8	14 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 —
Rawalpindi	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 —
Jhelum	10 —	9 8	14 8	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 —

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MARUA OR SAGI ( <i>Eleusine coracana</i> )		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET ( <i>Setaria italica</i> )		GRAM, CHENNA, OHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA ( <i>Oler aristinum</i> )		MAISEN ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		ARHAR DÁL ( <i>Cajanus Indicus</i> )		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	18 —	19 —	15 —	15 —	16 —	20 —	11 —	11 —	9 —	12 —	United Provinces— <i>continued</i> (a) AGRA— <i>continued</i> <i>Submontane, west—</i> Shahjahanpur Budaun Pilibit Bareilly Moradabad Rijnor Muzaffarnagar Saharanpur Dehra-Dun
...	...	15 —	15 —	14 13	14 12	18 —	18 —	10 —	10 —	13 8	14 10	
...	...	...	...	18 4	20 —	...	...	11 —	10 10	8 —	15 —	
...	...	...	...	14 3	14 11	18 —	16 —	10 8	10 10	10 2	11 —	
...	...	...	...	12 14	14 4	16 12	...	11 4	11 4	11 —	14 12	
...	...	...	...	12 12	13 8	8 8	10 4	10 —	9 —	10 —	12 8	
...	...	...	...	12 2	13 2	14 12	13 2	7 10	7 10	9 14	13 2	
...	...	...	...	11 11	12 4	14 14	...	9 9	9 9	11 11	12 4	
12 —	13 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 8	13 —	8 12	9 8	10 10	13 —	
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	11 —	10 —	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	
...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	
												(b) OUDH—  <i>Southern—</i> Partabgarh Sultanpur Rae-Bareilly Unao Lucknow Hardoi  <i>Northern—</i> Fyzabad Barabanki  Gonda  Bahraich Sitapur Kheri
...	18 —	...	...	15 8	15 8	16 —	...	11 —	11 —	11 —	13 —	
...	...	...	...	17 —	17 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	
24 8	24 8	15 —	18 —	15 8	15 8	...	...	12 —	12 —	8 —	11 8	
...	...	16 —	16 —	13 12	15 4	18 8	19 8	11 8	12 8	9 8	13 8	
...	...	...	...	14 8	15 —	18 —	19 —	12 —	12 —	9 —	11 8	
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 8	21 —	...	10 —	10 —	9 —	12 —	
...	...	14 —	14 —	14 8	15 —	19 —	18 8	10 —	10 12	14 8	15 —	
20 —	20 —	16 —	16 —	16 10	17 8	19 8	20 —	11 1	11 2	9 2	13 12	
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 4	22 —	21 —	9 8	10 —	10 8	12 —	
...	...	8 8	8 —	17 —	17 —	26 —	20 —	12 —	12 —	12 8	15 —	
...	...	16 —	16 —	15 —	16 —	17 —	20 —	10 8	11 —	10 —	13 —	
24 —	24 —	12 —	13 —	15 —	15 —	24 —	21 —	11 —	12 —	9 8	13 —	
												Rajputana—  <i>Eastern—</i> Mewar (Udaipur) Ajmer Kishangarh  Tonk  Jaipur  Karauli Dholpur  Bharatpur  Alwar  Nasirabad  <i>Western—</i> Bikaner  Jaisalmer  Jodhpur  Central India— Indore Neemuch Gwalior  Delhi— Delhi  Punjab— <i>Southern—</i> Hissar Ferozepur  <i>Central—</i> Lahore Gujranwala Gujrat Jhelam
...	...	9 1	8 14	12 8	12 7	28 14	20 11	7 8	7 10	12 14	13 2	
...	...	...	4 —	...	13 —	...	15 —	...	...	...	16 —	
...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	
...	...	...	...	9 5	9 13	13 2	13 2	...	...	14 3	16 7	
...	...	15 7	15 7	11 9 and 14 7	12 2 and 14 7	18 15	14 7	10 12	10 12	11 10	14 15	
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 6	...	...	...	...	10 —	13 12	
...	...	10 —	11 —	18 7	14 —	...	...	11 —	11 8	11 5	14 8	
...	...	...	...	13 5	...	15 4	...	10 12	...	15 —	...	
...	...	9 12	9 12	13 14	14 1	13 11	14 —	20 —	20 —	11 2	16 —	

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DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum</i> <i>Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum</i> <i>vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM ( <i>Andropogon</i> <i>sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR CHUNSI ( <i>Pennisetum</i> <i>typhoides</i> )	
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Best sort	Common	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month
<b>Punjab—continued</b>												
<i>South-eastern—</i>												
Gurgaon	10 4	10 4	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	14 —	14 8
Rohtak	9 14	10 2	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	18 —	16 —
Karnal	10 —	10 4	15 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Submontane—</i>												
Ambala	9 12	9 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 12	7 12	14 —	13 8	18 —	18 —
Ludhiana	9 —	9 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 2	13 —	13 —	13 —
Jullundur	9 12	10 —	14 8	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 —	12 —	15 8	12 —
Hoshiarpur	10 —	10 —	14 —	15 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Gurdaspur	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	...	...
Amritsar	10 —	10 —	15 12	15 12	...	...	8 —	7 12	15 —	19 12	12 12	21 12
Sialkot	9 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Simla	8 4	8 —	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 12	6 4	10 —	9 4	10 12	10 12
Kangra	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Rawalpindi	9 —	8 14	14 8	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 —	15 —	15 8
Attock	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 —	13 8
<i>Western—</i>												
Shahpur	10 —	9 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	14 8	14 —
Jhang	9 12	9 8	14 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	11 —
Lyallpur	9 4	9 8	14 —	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	9 12	9 12	13 8	13 —	...	...	9 —	8 12	13 —	13 —	13 4	13 4
Montgomery	10 —	10 —	12 8	12 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	13 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Muzaffargarh	10 2	10 2	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	9 —	9 6	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 12	8 12	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 —
<b>N.-W. F. Province—</b>												
Hazara	12 8	9 2	15 4	15 4	3 9	3 9	8 9	9 —	...	...	10 —	10 —
Peshawar	9 10	9 10	15 6	16 10	5 3	5 3	7 3	7 3	12 6	12 6	13 —	13 —
Kohat	8 14	9 2	14 15	14 15	3 13	3 13	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	15 1	15 1
Bannu	11 9	11 14	13 12	16 6	4 8	4 11	8 7	8 12	16 4	16 4	18 7	18 2
Dera Ismail Khan	10 —	10 —	13 —	...	3 7	3 12	6 8	7 —	14 12	11 4	16 4	12 —
Tochi	11 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 4	10 4	15 12	15 12	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	10 8	10 8	13 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 14	7 14	11 8	9 8	2 15	2 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>												
Karachi	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	12 —	12 —	11 8	11 8
Hyderabad	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —
Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)	8 —	8 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	16 —	16 —	13 —	14 —
Shikarpur	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	7 8	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —
Upper Sind Frontier	7 12	7 12	...	...	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	14 —	14 —
Quetta	...	...	10 —	10 3	3 1	3 2	6 8	6 8	11 14	12 1	10 13	11 4
<b>Bombay—</b>												
<i>Konkan—</i>												
Karwar	6 5	6 5	...	...	5 9	6 1	7 4	7 4	9 10	10 3	...	...
Ratnagiri	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 11	5 13	7 2	7 9	8 11	8 11	8 13	8 13
Alibag	6 7	6 7	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 15	6 15	...	...	9 4	9 4
Bombay	6 6	6 6	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	8 —	9 13	8 —	8 5
Thana	7 2	7 2	...	...	5 9	5 9	6 7	6 7	10 8	11 6	8 14	8 14
<i>Deccan and Karnatak—</i>												
Dharwar	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 4	5 10	5 13	5 13	10 13	10 13	8 15	8 15
Belgaum	7 14	7 15	...	...	6 7	6 7	7 1	7 1	10 9	10 14	11 7	11 7
Satara	7 5	7 5	...	...	4 13	4 13	5 14	5 14	8 6	8 6	8 9	8 9
Sholapur	7 11	8 2	...	...	6 7	6 7	7 7	7 7	11 7	11 7	11 9	...
Bijapur	8 5	9 11	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 5	7 5	12 —	12 —	...	...
Poona	6 —	7 3	...	...	5 10	5 10	6 11	6 11	10 3	10 13	9 —	...
<i>Chandesh and N. E.</i>												
<i>Deccan—</i>												
Ahmednagar	7 10	8 —	...	...	6 2	6 2	6 14	6 14	12 15	12 15	9 13	9 13
Nasik	8 2	8 14	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	9 7	9 7
Dhule	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 7	7 7	12 4	12 4	11 —	11 —
Jalgaon	7 2	7 2	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	11 6	11 6	10 1	9 10
<i>Gujarat—</i>												
Surat	...	7 6	...	...	4 6	4 6	6 15	6 15	9 8	10 3	9 8	10 3
Broach	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	10 8	11 —	9 —	9 —
Kaira	6 8	7 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	13 6	16 —	12 8	13 8
Baroda	7 —	7 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 8
Ahmedabad	7 8	8 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	11 —	12 —	11 —	14 —
Godhra	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	9 —	9 —
Dasa	9 4	9 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 —	5 —	14 —	15 —	13 —	13 —
<i>Kathicwar—</i>												
Rajkot	9 8	10 —	...	...	3 8	3 8	4 8	4 8	13 8	13 8	9 8	10 —
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
Nimar	8 8	9 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 1	7 6	12 6	13 6	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 11	11 11	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	11 11	13 1	...	...
Betul	10 2	10 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 9	6 9	12 6	12 6	...	...
Chhindwara	9 11	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	11 14	11 14	...	...
Nagpur	8 15	9 4	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 7	8 7	11 14	12 2	...	...
Wardha	8 12	9 1	...	...	4 13	5 2	8 15	8 15	12 2	13 6	...	...

\*Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

RASI OR MARUA ( <i>Eleusine coracana</i> )		KANKRI OR KAKRI, ITALIAN MILLET ( <i>Scleria italica</i> )		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SIVAGA ( <i>Oryza sativum</i> )		MAIZE ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		ARHAR DAL ( <i>Cajanus Indicus</i> )		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 8	12 8	13 —	8 8	9 —	10 8	13 —	Punjab—cont. nced
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	13 —	South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	18 8	15 —	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	12 —	Gurgaon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnal
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	18 —	12 12	15 —	15 —	8 4	8 12	12 4	13 —	Submontane—
...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Ambala
...	...	8 8	8 8	11 8	12 4	13 —	13 —	...	...	12 —	14 —	Ludhiana
...	...	...	...	11 4	12 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	12 12	12 —	Jullundur
...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	Hoshiarpur
...	...	14 8	18 12	12 8	12 12	14 —	15 12	8 8	8 12	12 8	14 —	Gurdaspur
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	14 —	13 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	9 8	10 —	5 12	6 —	9 —	9 —	Sialkot
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	11 8	Hills—
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	13 —	12 6	8 8	9 —	15 8	16 8	Simla
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	12 8	12 8	5 4	5 4	13 —	15 —	Kangra
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	14 8	14 —	Northern—
15 —	14 —	11 8	11 8	12 —	12 —	11 8	12 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Rawalpindi
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	Attock
...	...	18 4	13 4	12 —	12 8	12 12	13 —	8 4	8 4	12 12	12 —	Western—
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Shahpur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 10	...	...	...	...	13 8	18 8	Lyallpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Multan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ghazi Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	N. W. F. Province—
...	...	8 8	8 8	9 14	9 14	14 8	14 4	...	...	18 8	12 —	Hazara
...	...	13 11	13 11	11 14	12 —	11 11	11 11	10 7	10 7	20 3	19 13	Peshawar
...	...	11 —	11 —	11 6	11 8	12 6	12 6	...	...	22 —	22 —	Kohat
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 9	15 —	15 2	...	...	23 —	23 2	Bannu
...	...	...	...	11 0	11 12	10 —	...	...	...	15 —	16 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 6	12 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	16 —	13 —	...	...	18 —	14 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	9 4	...	...	...	...	Wano
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karachi
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkar
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 8	12 8	(Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	16 —	16 —	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	9 12	10 1	8 7	9 7	5 5	5 8	12 10	11 6	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	...	...	to 7	to 7	7 —	6 13	...	...	Quetta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay—
12 8	12 8	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	6 4	6 4	11 14	12 12	Konkan—
10 18	10 2	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	5 6	5 6	9 15	11 15	Karwar
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	6 5	6 5	12 13	17 9	Ratnagiri
8 6	8 6	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	6 2	6 2	13 8	13 3	Alibag
11 —	11 —	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	6 3	6 3	15 12	15 12	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Thana
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	5 10	5 10	12 —	...	Deccan and Karnatak—
15 5	14 8	...	...	9 —	8 13	...	...	5 8	5 8	12 2	12 —	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	...	...	6 13	6 2	9 13	9 13	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	10 7	10 3	...	...	6 11	6 11	12 —	12 12	Satara
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 3	...	...	6 2	6 2	12 5	12 5	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 14	6 14	10 6	12 5	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	...	9 14	10 9	...	...	6 14	7 9	10 11	12 1	Khandesh and N.E.
12 10	12 10	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	7 4	7 4	10 10	13 4	Deccan—
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	7 7	7 7	10 13	10 13	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	10 15	10 15	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	Nasik
...	...	...	...	9 11	10 3	...	...	5 9	5 9	10 11	19 14	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	Jalgaon
16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	10 —	...	...	9 —	8 8	30 —	20 —	Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	19 —	19 —	Surat
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 6	...	...	6 —	6 8	23 —	23 —	Broach
18 —	16 —	...	...	10 8	12 —	...	...	6 7	6 8	20 —	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	...	10 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	80 —	80 —	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Diss
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajkot
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	7 15	7 15	11 6	11 6	Central Provinces—
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 2	9 2	12 —	12 —	Western—
...	...	...	...	9 —	11 5	...	...	6 6	6 6	13 —	13 —	Nimar
...	...	...	...	10 11	11 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	18 —	18 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	11 —	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 —	11 1	Betul
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	9 10	9 10	9 —	9 8	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER, 1917—continued

Districts	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLU ( <i>Ambrosia sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR OHOLU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>Central Provinces—</b> <i>continued</i>												
<b>Central—</b>												
Narsinghpur . . .	9 6	10 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	7 1	7 1	15 1	15 1	...	...
Saugor . . .	9 8	9 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	...	...
Damoh . . .	10 6	10 6	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Jubbulpore . . .	8 12	9 —	...	...	5 —	5 8	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 2	6 1	10 4	9 7	...	...	...	...
Seoni . . .	10 4	10 4	...	...	5 12	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Balaghat . . .	10 4	10 15	...	...	5 11	5 11	11 9	11 8	...	...	...	...
Bhandara . . .	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	14 1	14 1	...	...
Chanda . . .	7 11	9 9	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 12	9 —	11 4	12 8	...	...
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Bilaspur . . .	9 14	9 14	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Drug . . .	11 2	11 2	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 5	9 12	...	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>												
Buldana . . .	8 2	8 7	...	...	4 15	4 15	7 —	7 —	13 6	14 9	...	...
Akola . . .	7 13	8 15	...	...	4 11	4 11	8 3	8 13	13 3	12 3	...	...
Amritoli . . .	8 1	8 1	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	12 —	12 —	...	...
Yectmal . . .	9 7	9 7	...	...	4 9	4 9	8 12	8 12	13 —	13 —	...	...
<b>Hyderabad—</b>												
Secunderabad . . .	6 4	6 7	...	...	4 1	4 1	8 3	7 4	10 4	10 8	11 10	11 8
<b>Madras—</b>												
<b>Malabar Coast—</b>												
Malabar . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 11	6 14	...	...	...	...
<b>South, central—</b>												
Coimbatore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 10	9 7	10 3	...	...
Nilgiris . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 6	11 6	9 4	9 4
<b>Central—</b>												
Bellary . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Anantapur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	13 8	13 8	...	...
Cuddapah . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	11 —	11 —	...	...
<b>East Coast, north—</b>												
Gunjam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 5	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatnam . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 18	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godavari . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 18	8 13	...	...	19 8	20 —
<b>East Coast, central—</b>												
Kistna . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	9 12	9 12	...	...
Guntur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	11 8	12 —	11 8
Nellore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 7	11 7	11 7	...	...
<b>East Coast, south—</b>												
Madras . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 8	...	...	...	...
Chingleput . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 11	13 5
S. Arcot . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 12	11 12	11 10	11 10
<b>Southern—</b>												
Tinnevely . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 12	12 9	10 4	10 4
Madura . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 13	9 13	8 9	8 9
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore . . .	6 8	6 8	4 12	4 12	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	12 8	12 8	...	...
Bangalore . . .	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
<b>Coorg—</b>												
Coorg . . .	5 —	5 8	5 —	6 —	5 8	5 4	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Aden . . .</b>	4 6	4 6	...	...	3 6	3 9	4 3	4 —	7 —	7 —	4 13	4 13







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Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th Septem- ber 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port . . .	Karachi (white)* .	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0		
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9		
	Ferozepur . . .	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0		
	Lyallpur . . .	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0		
	Amritsar . . .	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0		
	Multan . . .	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0		
	Rawalpindi . . .	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6		
Delhi . . .	Ambala . . .	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6		
	Delhi . . .	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0		
United Provinces	Benares . . .	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5		
	Aligarh (Hathras). . .	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8		
	Cawnpore . . .	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0		
	Meerut . . .	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0		
	Shahjahanpur . . .	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0		
	Agra . . .	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1		
	Fyzabad . . .	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3		
Central Provinces and Berar.	Lucknow . . .	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1		
	Nagpur . . .	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11		
	Jubbulpore . . .	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1		
	Raipur . . .	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5		
	Akola . . .	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7		
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . . .	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6		
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0		
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...		
	Ahmednagar . . .	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7		
	Ahmedabad . . .	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli) . . .	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna . . .	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0		
	Bhagalpur . . .	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0		
	Muzaffarpur . . .	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0		
	Ranchi . . .	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0		
	Cuttack . . .	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4		
Bengal . . .	Dacca . . .	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Rangpur . . .	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moul- mein). . .	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0		
	Mandalay . . .	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9		
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5		
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above, which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs.

Fortnight ending

31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 8 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 6 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING								
		15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Port	Karachi (white)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Peasey).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Punjab	Lahore	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0		
	Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0		
	Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0		
	Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0		
	Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0		
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0		
	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0		
Delhi	Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0		
United Provinces	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5		
	Aligarh (Hathras).	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4		
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0		
	Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6		
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0		
	Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1		
	Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6		
Lucknow	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1			
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10		
	Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2		
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2		
	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7		
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4		
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5		
Bombay	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1		
	Ahmednagar	4 1 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9		
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0		
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0		
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9		
	Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0		
	Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3		
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0		
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5		
	Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7		
	(Median Average)	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1		
Index Numbers (a)		114	109	103	104	104	106	107		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 92% red.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

## India per maund of 82½ lbs—contd.

FORTNIGHT ENDING											
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9
...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11
4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 9 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 9 6	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7
4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0
4 10 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 3 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6
4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10
4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10
4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5
3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2
4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8
3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1
5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1
4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6
3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4
4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7
4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7
108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117

## A.—Wholesale prices of wheat in

Port or province.	District	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 8		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Peasey)	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9	4 4 0	4 4 8		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0		
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3		
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3		
	Lyallpur	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0		
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0		
	Multan	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0		
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0		
	Ambala	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0		
Delhi	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0		
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2		
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 10 1		
	Cawnpore	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0		
	Meerut	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 0		
	Shahjahanpur	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0		
	Agra	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7		
	Kyzabad	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 13 3		
	Lucknow	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6		
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5		
	Jubbulpore	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4		
	Raipur	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2		
	Akola	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4		
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4		
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0		
Bombay	Poona	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11		
	Ahmednagar	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10		
	Ahmedabad	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	3 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0		
	Bhagalpur	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0		
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0		
	Ranchi	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0		
	Cuttack	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4		
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0		
Burma	Amberst (Moul- mein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1		
	Mandalay	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1		
(Median Average)		4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0		
Index Numbers(a)		117	114	113	101	95	92	92	92		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs - *contd.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING													
31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th Septem- ber 1916.	30th Septem- ber 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 8	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 8	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 8	4 13 8	
4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 8	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	
4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	
3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	
3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	
3 3 3	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	
3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	
3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	
3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	
3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	
3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	
3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	
3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	
3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	
3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	
3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	
3 4 4	4 8 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 8 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	
3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 11 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	
3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	
3 12 10	3 13 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	
3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	
3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	
3 14 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	4 1 13	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 16	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	
3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	
4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	
4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	
3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	
4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	
3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 10 3	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	
3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	
3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 18 0	3 18 0	3 18 0	3 13 0	
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	
4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	
3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	
92	92	90	93	93	94	97	97	95	94	94	97	110	

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	4 13 3	
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessey)	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	4 10 11	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	
	Ferozepur	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	3 14 6	
	Lyallpur	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 9	4 1 0	
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	
	Multan	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	
	Rawalpindi	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	
Delhi	Ambala	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	
	Delhi	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 5 10	4 5 0	4 1 1	
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	3 14 6	
	Cawnpore	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 14 6	
	Meerut	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	4 1 0	
	Shahjahanpur	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 9	3 1 0	
	Agra	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 1 1	
	Fyzabad	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	4 0 0	
	Lucknow	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	3 12 11	
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 6	4 1 11	3 13 2	4 0 4	
	Jubbulpore	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 2	4 1 8	
	Raipur	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	3 12 10	
	Akola	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	3 7 6	
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 7	4 10 2	
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	
Bombay	Poona	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	...	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	...	
	Ahmednagar	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	3 15 5	
	Ahmedabad	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	
	Dharwar (Hubli)	...	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	3 9 4	
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	3 15 0	
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	
	Muzaffarpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
	Ranchi	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	
	Cuttack	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	4 5 8	
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
	Mandalay	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	3 14 1	
	(Median Average)	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 0 8	
Index Numbers (b)		108	107	110	107	106	106	106	104	98	

\* 5% barley, 8% dirt, and 30% red.  
(a) Prices at ports after 15th October, 1917, are as follows—

Ports	Rate per	On 19th October 1917.	On 26th October 1917.	On 2nd November 1917.	On 9th November 1917.	On 16th November 1917.
Karachi (white)	Maunder	Rs. A. P. 4 13 3	Rs. A. P. 4 13 9	Rs. A. P. 4 14 3	Rs. A. P. 5 3 3	Rs. A. P. 5 2 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessey)	"	4 12 5	5 1 7	5 2 3	5 0 5†	4 15 6†
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 11 6	(c)	4 12 0	4 10 6	4 11 0

† Forward, May, 1918.

(b) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
(c) Not reported.



India per maund of 82½ lbs.—*consolid.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th October 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 13 34 5 3	4 7 8	4 7 8	4 7 8	4 7 8	4 7 9	4 10 9	4 8 3	4 9 3	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 12 3	+1
4 9 10 4 10 7	4 11 8	4 13 11	4 15 4	4 14 7	4 13 2	...	4 6 6	4 10 7	4 11 8	4 12 5	...	+1
4 4 0 4 5 6	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 12 6	4 11 0	...	-2
4 3 3 3 18 0	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 9	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 3	+3
3 14 6 3 10 3	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	Nil
4 2 0 3 11 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	+1
4 0 0 3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	-2
3 12 0 3 10 6	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
4 5 0 1 7 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	Nil
4 0 0 3 11 6	3 11 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 0	4 0 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
3 13 0 3 14 6	3 15 3	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 8	4 3 0	4 3 0	Nil
4 2 1 4 1 2	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 1 7	4 3 5	+3
4 3 0 3 11 5	3 14 4	3 14 5	3 14 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 9	3 14 6	4 1 8	+5
11 6 3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	Nil
11 0 3 11 0	3 14 6	4 1 6	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 13 11	3 14 5	+2
3 8 3 3 9 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 11 3	3 11 6	3 12 6	3 11 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	Nil
4 7 4 5 2	4 7 1	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	...	...
3 13 0 3 14 0	3 13 0	4 1 6	...	...	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	3 15 3	3 15 3	...	+3
3 12 11 3 14 0	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	Nil
3 11 7 3 11 7	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 1 10	4 3 2	4 3 2	4 3 2	4 3 2	+3
3 14 5 3 10 2	3 11 6	3 15 2	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 10 10	4 0 0	4 5 2	4 7 1	...	Nil
3 8 0 3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	+7
3 10 11 3 3 7	3 11 11	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 7 11	Nil
4 2 1 4 2 10	4 2 11	4 2 1	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 1	4 2 1	Nil
5 5 0 5 2 6	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	4 13 6	4 12 10	4 14 6	5 0 6	5 2 0	...	+2
4 10 5 4 9 4	4 14 11	4 13 9	5 3 4	5 4 5	5 4 5	5 2 2	5 4 5	5 3 4	5 2 2	5 13 4	...	+14
3 13 7 3 12 8	4 0 5	4 2 2	4 4 1	4 7 9	4 5 11	4 8 10	4 11 5	4 6 10	4 15 1	5 2 9	...	+5
4 8 0 4 8 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	...	+6
3 2 6 3 7 11	3 6 1	3 11 8	3 11 8	3 11 8	4 1 7	4 1 8	4 1 8	3 11 8	4 8 11	4 6 0	...	-4
4 0 0 3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	...	+14
3 10 0 3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	Nil
4 0 0 3 5 8	3 5 3	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	+11
4 14 0 4 6 0	4 6 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	...	Nil
4 5 8 4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 4	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	...	Nil
5 4 0 5 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Nil
7 3 1 7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	...	Nil
3 14 1 3 7 8	3 3 5	3 8 7	3 14 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 10 2	4 8 1	...	-3
4 0 0 3 13 0	3 14 6	4 1 6	4 0 2	4 0 11	4 2 10	4 1 10	4 1 10	4 2 10	4 3 3	4 5 2	...	+3
97	92	94	99	97	98	101	99	99	101	102	104	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 15th October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	30th September	15th October	Increase or Decrease.	30th September	15th October	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	103	+3	100	99	-1
Punjab . . .	100	100	Nil	100	101	+1
United Provinces .	100	104	+4	100	99	-1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	108	+8	100	100	Nil

## B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING					
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moul- mein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
(Median Average)		9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
Index Numbers (a).		100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0 5 14 7 8	7 8 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 5	7 0 5 8 ...	7 0 5 8 ...	6 8 4 14 ...	6 6 5 3 ...	7 8 5 3 ...	7 8 5 8 ...
9 4 9 4 10 0 10 4 9 8 9 8 9 12	8 4 8 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 12	8 0 8 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 6	8 4 8 8 9 0 9 6 9 0 9 0 8 0	8 0 8 8 8 8 9 0 8 4 8 4 8 0	8 0 8 2 8 10 8 14 8 4 8 0 7 12	7 8 7 12 8 2 8 0 7 4 7 12 7 6	6 8 6 12 7 2 7 4 6 10 7 0 6 8	7 4 8 0 7 4 8 8 8 0 7 0 6 8	7 8 7 12 8 0 8 8 8 4 8 8 7 0	7 12 7 12 7 12 9 0 8 4 8 12 6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8 8 4 8 8 8 0 8 8 8 12 9 8 9 8	8 6 7 8 7 0 7 12 7 4 8 8 8 12	8 1½ 7 4 7 8 6 8 7 8 7 4 8 0 7 14	7 9 7 4 8 0 7 0 7 0 7 0 8 2 7 12	7 7 7 4 7 12 7 0 7 0 7 0 7 14 7 12	7 3 7 0 7 0 6 12 6 12 7 0 7 0 7 2	7 1 6 12 6 8 6 8 7 0 7 0 7 4 7 0	5 9 6 0 5 12 5 12 6 4 6 12 6 12 6 4	6 6 6 8 6 8 5 12 6 4 6 0 6 12 6 6	6 12 6 12 7 4 7 0 7 14 6 0 6 4 8 5	7 5 7 12 6 4 6 0 8 0 5 14 7 4 8 2
8 4 8 8 9 8 7 6	8 5 8 0 8 0 7 6	8 5 8 0 7 4 7 6	8 3 7 8 7 8 7 6	8 4 7 8 7 8 6 5	7 0 7 0 7 0 5 4	6 6 6 8 6 0 5 6	6 6 6 0 6 0 6 5	7 11 6 8 6 0 6 5	8 4 6 8 7 8 7 6	8 15 8 4 10 0 7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13 6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	9 4 6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	8 14 6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	8 12 6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	8 12 6 8 5 14 6 8 8 2	8 12 5 9 5 14 6 8 8 2	8 10½ 5 9 5 14 6 0 8 2	8 2½ 5 9 6 10 6 0 8 2	7 4½ 6 13 7 6 6 8 9 9	7 1 6 13 8 2 7 0 9 9	7 8½ 7 2 8 2 7 8 10 0
10 0 9 0 8 8 8 0 7 14	9 0 8 4 8 0 7 8 7 8	9 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	8 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	7 8 7 8 7 0 6 12 7 3	7 2 7 0 6 8 6 4 7 3	7 0 6 4 6 0 6 4 7 3	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 12 6 14 5 8 6 4 6 9	7 8 8 4 5 8 8 0 6 9
7 8 9 8 9 8	7 4 9 8 9 8	7 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 8 8 7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 7 5	5 10 7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING													
		15th April 1915.		30th April 1915.		15th May 1915.		31st May 1915.		15th June 1915.		30th June 1915.		15th July 1915.	
		sr.	ch.	sr.	ch.	sr.	ch.	sr.	ch.	sr.	ch.	sr.	ch.	sr.	ch.
Port	Karachi . . . . .	7	8	8	0	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
	Bombay * . . . .	5	14	5	14	5	14	5	14	5	14	5	14	5	14
	Calcutta . . . . .	...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
Punjab	Lahore . . . . .	8	0	9	0	11	4	10	4	10	8	10	8	9	12
	Ferozepur . . . .	8	0	9	8	10	8	10	0	10	4	10	4	9	12
	Amritsar . . . . .	7	14	8	8	11	4	10	8	10	10	10	4	10	0
	Rawalpindi . . .	8	12	8	14	10	12	10	4	10	4	10	0	8	12
	Lyallpur . . . . .	8	8	9	8	10	4	10	0	10	8	11	0	9	12
	Multan . . . . .	9	0	10	4	11	4	10	0	10	8	10	12	10	4
	Ambala . . . . .	7	8	10	4	10	0	9	12	9	12	9	12	9	6
Delhi	Delhi . . . . .	7	12	9	0	9	8	9	4	9	4	9	4	8	0
United Provinces.	Benares . . . . .	7	12	7	12	7	15	8	0	...		8	8	8	8
	Cawnpore . . . .	8	8	9	0	9	0	8	12	8	12	8	8	8	8
	Meerut . . . . .	8	4	9	12	10	0	10	0	10	4	10	0	9	8
	Agra . . . . .	8	0	8	8	...		9	0	9	0	8	8	8	8
	Lucknow . . . . .	9	0	9	0	9	8	9	2	8	12	8	12	8	12
	Aligarh . . . . .	8	2	8	14	9	8	9	8	9	12	10	0	9	4
	Shahjahanpur . .	8	12	9	10	10	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	9	14
Fyzabad . . . . .	8	8	8	12	9	0	8	12	8	10	8	10	8	8	
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur . . . . .	8	15	8	15	9	4	8	15	8	15	8	15	8	15
	Jubbulpore . . .	8	8	8	8	9	0	9	0	9	0	8	8	8	8
	Raipur . . . . .	9	12	9	8	9	8	9	8	8	12	8	12	8	12
	Akola . . . . .	8	6	7	6	7	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . . . .	8	7	8	7	10	0	11	0	10	0	10	0	10	0
Baluchistan	Quetta . . . . .	7	12	8	1	8	4	8	8½	8	11½	9	0	10	0
Bombay	Poona . . . . .	6	12	7	2	6	12	6	12	7	7	7	7	7	7
	Ahmednagar . . .	8	2	8	2	7	6	7	6	7	6	7	6	7	6
	Ahmedabad . . .	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	8	8	0	8	0
	Dharwar . . . . .	10	8	10	8	10	8	10	8	10	1	10	8	10	8
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna . . . . .	8	12	8	8	9	0	9	0	9	0	9	6	8	8
	Bhagalpur . . . .	8	12	8	14	8	14	8	12	8	10	8	12	9	14
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7	8	7	8	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
	Ranchi . . . . .	8	4	8	0	8	0	8	0	7	8	7	0	7	0
	Cuttack . . . . .	8	8	7	14	7	14	7	14	7	14	8	8	8	8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein) . .	5	10	5	10	5	10	5	10	5	10	5	10	5	10
	Mandalay . . . .	8	0	8	0	7	8	7	5	7	5	7	5	7	5
(Median Average) .		8	4	8	8	9	0	9	0	8	14	8	12	8	8
Index Numbers(a) .		116		112		106		106		108		109		112	

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat

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## FORTNIGHT ENDING

31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th Septem- ber 1915.	30th Septem- ber 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th Novem- ber 1915.	30th Novem- ber 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 12	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0
9 10	9 0	9 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7
10 2	9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 12
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2
8 8	8 2	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120	120

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0
	Bombay* . . .	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8	10 12
	Ferozepore . . .	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar . . .	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12	12 12
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12
	Lyallpur . . .	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	12 12
	Multan . . .	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4	12 4
	Ambala . . .	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8	11 12
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15	9 12
	Cawnpore . . .	8 0	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 8
	Meerut . . .	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4
	Agra . . .	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4	9 4
	Lucknow . . .	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4
	Aligarh . . .	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	11 0
	Shahjahanpur . . .	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12	12 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Fyzabad . . .	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4	11 0
	Nagpur . . .	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11	10 0
	Jubbulpore . . .	7 12	8 8	9 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4	11 14
	Raipur . . .	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola . . .	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8	10 8
	Peshawar . . .	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1	9 1
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar . . .	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	10 14
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Bhagalpur . . .	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0	10 0
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Ranchi . . .	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8
	Cuttack . . .	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay . . .	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 4
(Median Average) .		8 0	8 2	8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4
Index Numbers (a)		120	118	116	106	96	96	96	98

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—contd. [ The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending

31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
9 0 7 10 ...	9 0 7 10 ...	9 8 7 10 ...	9 8 7 10 ...	9 0 7 10 ...	8 8 7 10 ...	8 0 7 10 ...	8 0 7 10 ...	8 0 7 10 ...	8 0 7 10 ...	8 0 7 10 ...	8 0 7 10 ...	8 0 7 0 ...
10 13 11 0 11 12 10 0 12 8 11 8 11 8	11 8 12 0 12 0 10 8 12 0 12 4 11 8	12 4 11 12 12 4 10 12 12 8 12 4 11 8	11 4 11 12 11 10 10 10 11 10 11 12 11 8	10 12 11 4 11 10 10 8 10 8 11 4 11 0	10 0 10 8 10 12 10 0 10 0 10 4 10 12	10 4 10 4 10 10 10 4 10 0 10 8 10 6	10 4 10 8 10 12 10 4 10 9 10 4 10 6	10 8 10 12 11 8 10 6 10 8 10 8 10 6	10 0 10 12 10 12 10 6 10 11 10 4 10 4	9 12 10 4 10 9 10 10 10 0 10 4 10 4	9 8 10 4 10 12 9 14 10 0 10 0 10 0	8 8 9 8 9 0 8 6 9 0 8 12 8 2
10 0	10 0	11 0	10 9	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12
9 12 10 0 11 0 8 10 12 0 10 0	9 12 9 8 10 12 9 12 10 8 10 4 10 6	9 12 9 8 10 8 9 4 10 8 10 4 10 0	9 10 9 8 10 8 9 4 10 2 10 4 10 0	9 10 9 8 10 8 9 4 10 4 10 0 10 0	9 10 9 8 10 0 9 4 10 0 10 0 10 0	9 10 9 8 10 0 9 0 9 12 9 8 10 8	9 8 9 8 10 4 9 0 9 12 9 12 10 8	9 8 9 8 10 8 9 0 9 12 10 0 9 14	9 10 9 8 10 8 9 0 9 12 9 12 9 12	9 10 9 8 10 8 9 0 9 12 10 10 10 0	9 12 9 4 9 12 8 12 9 14 9 8 10 0	9 3 8 4 7 8 7 0 8 8 9 0 8 14
10 0 11 14 11 4 9 11	10 0 12 12 11 4 9 11	10 3 11 8 11 4 9 11	10 3 11 0 10 8 9 11	10 3 10 12 10 8 9 11	10 3 10 4 10 8 10 12	10 3 10 0 10 8 10 12	10 3 10 0 10 8 9 11	10 3 10 0 11 0 9 11	10 3 10 6 11 0 9 11	10 3 10 8 11 0 9 11	10 3 9 10 11 0 9 11	8 15 9 0 8 2 9 11
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5
9 0 1/2	9 0	9 0	9 2 1/2	8 15	8 10	8 5 1/2	8 4	8 6 1/2	8 8	8 1 1/2	8 1 1/2	7 15 1/2
8 6 9 9 8 8 11 5	8 6 9 9 8 8 11 5	8 6 9 9 8 8 11 5	9 10 9 9 8 0 11 5	9 10 9 9 8 0 11 5	9 10 9 9 8 0 11 3	9 10 9 9 8 0 11 3	9 10 9 9 8 8 11 3	8 6 9 9 8 8 11 3	8 6 10 5 8 8 11 3	8 6 10 5 8 8 11 3	8 6 10 5 8 8 11 3	8 6 10 5 8 0 10 11
11 0 10 8 9 8 9 0 9 13	10 12 10 12 9 8 9 0 9 13	10 12 10 12 9 8 9 8 10 8	10 12 10 4 9 8 9 8 10 8	11 0 10 0 9 8 9 4 10 8	11 0 10 0 9 8 9 8 9 3	11 0 10 0 9 8 9 0 9 3	11 0 10 0 9 8 9 8 9 8	11 0 10 2 9 8 9 12 9 3	12 0 10 5 10 0 9 12 9 13	11 8 9 6 10 0 9 12 9 13	11 8 8 0 10 0 9 8 9 13	10 8 8 4 10 0 7 8 9 13
5 1 7 12	5 1 8 4	5 1 7 12	5 1 7 12	5 1 7 5	5 1 7 12	5 1 7 12	5 1 7 5	5 1 7 12	5 1 7 12	5 1 7 12	5 1 7 8	5 1 8 4
10 0	10 0	10 4	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8
96	96	93	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	96	113

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	29th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	
	Bombay* . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	
	Ferozapore . . .	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	
	Amritsar . . .	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	9 14	
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	
	Lyallpur . . .	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	9 12	
	Multan . . .	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	
	Ambala . . .	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	9 12	
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	9 6	8 6	8 12	9 1	9 1	
	Cawnpore . . .	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	
	Meerut . . .	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	9 8	
	Agra . . .	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	8 4	
	Lucknow . . .	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	9 12	
	Aligarh . . .	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	10 12	
	Shahjahanpur . . .	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	
Central Provinces and Berar.	Fyzabad . . .	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	9 12	
	Nagpur . . .	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	9 9	
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 2	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 8	
	Raipur . . .	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	10 2	
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola . . .	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	10 12	
	Peshawar . . .	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	8 9	
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	
	Ahmednagar . . .	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	9 7	
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	
	Dharwar . . .	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	10 11	
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	
	Bhagalpur . . .	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	10 8	
	Muzaffarpur . . .	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	
	Ranchi . . .	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	
	Cuttack . . .	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	9 3	
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	
	Mandalay . . .	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	
(Median Average) . . .		8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 3	9 8	
Index Numbers (a) . . .		112	111	112	111	109	108	108	104	101	

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat



Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th October 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	Nil
7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 6	Nil
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	+3
10 0	10 12	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Nil
9 12	11 2	10 6	10 4	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 7	10 4	10 0	10 0	Nil
8 12	8 12	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	9 0	-1
9 8	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 4	+3
10 8	10 12	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	Nil
9 10	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	Nil
10 4	9 12	9 12	9 10	9 12	9 12	9 7	9 8	9 8	9 6	9 4	9 4	Nil
9 10	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 1	9 1	9 1	9 3	9 14	9 4	9 6	9 2	+3
10	9 12	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	Nil
10	10 8	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Nil
9	10 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	8 8	...	...
11	10 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	+3
11	11 4	10 12	10 8	10 7	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 12	10 8	+2
11	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 10	10 8	10 8	10 4	10 4	Nil
10 0	10 0	9 14	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 10	9 10	10 2	9 12	+4
10 3	10 8	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 15	+3
10 0	10 12	10 8	9 14	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 10	9 12	9 0	8 12	+3
11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Nil
9 11	10 9	9 7	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	7 13	+14
9 10	9 7	9 7	9 10	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 9	9 9	9 10	9 10	Nil
7 8	7 12	8 0	8 3	8 3	8 3	8 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	6 0	+20
9 7	9 7	9 7	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 10	+5
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	+7
10 11	10 11	10 11	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	Nil
10 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	9 12	+13
10 12	11 3	11 3	10 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	Nil
9 8	12 0	12 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	Nil
8 4	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	7 12	+10
9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	Nil
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	Nil
9 9	10 13	11 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 4	-3
9 10	10 4	9 14	9 9	9 8	9 8	9 5	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 2	+1
99	93	97	100	100	100	103	103	100	103	103	105	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 15th October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	30th September	15th October	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	30th September	15th October	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India ..	100	101	+1	100	100	Nil
Punjab ..	100	100	Nil	100	101	+1
United Provinces.	100	103	+3	100	101	+1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	103	+3	100	98	-2

## C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

## IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending the 30th July, 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PESTY).		CALCUTTA CLUB No. 2.	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 3% DIET, AND 30% RED).		RED (5% BARLEY, 3% DIET, AND 92% RED).					
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
Week ending 30th July 1914.	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	113	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	...	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	123
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 20th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 3	96
	...	104	32 3	104	32 6	103	33 4½	96

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

## IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

Date.	CHOICE WHITE KARACHI.		RED KARACHI.		DELHI.		CHOICE WHITE BOMBAY.		CLUB No. 1.		CLUB No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
1st August "	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	43 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October "	44 9	118	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November "	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December "	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th "	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th "	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jan.-Feb.	108	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
8th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February "	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th "	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	123
4th March "	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	116
8th April "	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May "	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th "	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do.	127	66 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June "	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	63 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July "	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd "	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August "	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th "	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September "	54 0 July sellers.	137	63 7½ July sellers.	107.	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers	85	...	...
24th Sept. '15 to 18th Apl. '16.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd "	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th "	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29th June to 7th July 1916.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd "	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30th "	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

The source of these quotations is the Price Current published weekly

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN INDIAN PORTS—*contd.*

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending the 30th July, 1914=100.]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PRESSY).		CALCUTTA CLUB No. 2	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 30% RED).		RED (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 92% RED).		Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.				
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 4th August 1916 . . . . .	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 25th " " " " . . . . .	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " " " " . . . . .	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September " " " " . . . . .	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 22nd " " " " . . . . .	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 13th October " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	108	34 1½	98
" 20th " " " " . . . . .	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November " " " " . . . . .	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " " " " . . . . .	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	113	36 10	106
" 24th " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10.	109
" 1st December " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	113
" 8th " " " " . . . . .	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 22nd " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	123	38 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " " " " . . . . .	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917 . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " " " " . . . . .	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
" 19th " " " " . . . . .	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " " " " . . . . .	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February " " " " . . . . .	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " " " " . . . . .	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " " " " . . . . .	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	123	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March " " " " . . . . .	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 30th " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 6th April " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 13th " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 4	114	37 4	107
" 4th May " " " " . . . . .	37 0	117	36 0	115	36 7	112	34 2	98
" 11th " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 8	115	34 2	98
" 18th " " " " . . . . .	34 6	110	33 6	107	37 2	113	34 8	100
" 25th " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 6	114	35 8	103
" 1st June " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	37 8	115	35 10½	103
" 8th " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	39 2	120	35 2	101
" 15th " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	38 10	119	35 5	103
" 22nd " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	38 10	119	36 1	104
" 29th " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	39 6	121	36 1	104
" 6th July " " " " . . . . .	35 9	113	34 9	111	39 6	121	36 1	104
" 13th " " " " . . . . .	35 9	113	34 9	111	39 2	120	36 1	104
" 20th " " " " . . . . .	36 9	117	35 9	114	39 6	121	36 7	105
" 27th " " " " . . . . .	37 3	118	36 3	116	38 5	117	37 4	107
" 3rd August " " " " . . . . .	37 0	117	36 0	115	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 10th " " " " . . . . .	36 0	114	35 0	112	...	...	35 8	103
" 17th " " " " . . . . .	36 0	114	35 0	112	...	...	36 4	104
" 24th " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 3	111	36 4	104
" 31st " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	35 2	107	36 4	104
" 7th September " " " " . . . . .	37 3	118	36 3	116	36 3	111	35 10	103
" 14th " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 3	113	35 10	103
" 21st " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	35 10	103
" 28th " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 8	115	38 2	110
" 5th October " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 11	116	37 4	107
" 12th " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 19th " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	38 1	116	37 7	108
" 26th " " " " . . . . .	38 9	123	37 9	121	40 6	124	...	...
" 2nd November " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	41 0	125	37 10	109
" 9th " " " " . . . . .	41 6	133	40 6	130	40 1	122	37 1	107
" 16th " " " " . . . . .	41 0	130	40 0	128	39 7	121	37 4	107

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[ Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100. ]

Date.	CHOICE WHITE KARACHI.		RED KARACHI.		DELHI.		CHOICE WHITE BOMBAY.		CLUB No. 1.		CLUB No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
4th August 1916	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th " "	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th " "	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th " "	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st " "	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th Sept. 1916	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th " "	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " "	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October "	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th " "	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st " "	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	No sellers	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November "	79 0 paid	200	Do.	...	79 6 seller.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th " "	80 0 passage	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th " "	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th " "	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December "	82 0 buyers	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th December 1916.	82 0 paid	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd Dec. '16 to 12th Jan. 1917.	No sellers	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th and 26th Jan. 1917.	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February to 30th March 1917	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar.-April.	208	No sellers.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th April "	83 0 April-May	210	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
13th April to 4th May 1917	85 0 " "	215	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
5th to 11th " "	86 9 May-June quoted.	220	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
18th May to 6th July.	86 9 quoted	220	86 3	172	86 9	171	87 6	129	86 9	129	...	...
18th to 20th July "	86 9 " "	220	86 3 afloat	172	86 9 afloat	171	89 6	132	86 9	129	...	...
27 July to 10th Aug. "	No sellers. Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th to 24th Aug. "	86 9 sellers	220	86 3 sellers	172	86 9 sellers	171	89 6 sellers	132	86 9 sellers	129	...	...
31st Aug. 1917	86 9 Nominal	220	86 3 N.	172	86 9 N.	171	89 6 N.	132	86 9 N.	129	...	...
* 7th September to 16th Nov. '17	78 0	197	77 6	155	77 6	153	79 0	116	...	...	78 0	154

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are Market, and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current published weekly by the Government of India.

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TARIFF VALUATION OF SUGAR.

The following statement shows in respect of each of the descriptions of sugar distinguished in the Tariff Schedule II (excepting molasses and all other kinds of sugar), *first*, the total imports into India in the month of October 1917, and the average value per cwt. as calculated on the returns received from the Customs Houses; and, *secondly*, a running total showing the total imports into India since the beginning of the year (1st October to 30th September) and the average net value per cwt. so far established. It is published in conformity with the procedure laid down in Customs Circular No. V of 1911, in order to enable merchants to compute the probable rate of duty for the year 1919 :—

Description of sugar.	IMPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1917.		IMPORTED SINCE 1st OCTOBER 1917.	
	Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	Rs. a.	Cwt.	Rs. a.
Sugar, crystallised, best				
"    "    and soft, refined in China . .	... 167	20 0	... 167	20 0
"    "    "    "    from Japan . .	...	...	...	...
"    "    "    "    from Egypt . .	...	...	...	...
"    "    "    "    from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	517,076	17 4	517,076	17 4
"    "    "    "    from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	218,816	14 8	218,816	14 8
"    "    "    "    from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	...
"    "    "    "    from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	90,140	19 0	90,140	19 0

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*The 21st November 1917.*

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**IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING SEPTEMBER, 1917**

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RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL  
PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI, and MADRAS  
PORTS by RAIL, RIVER, and SEA during SEPTEMBER, 1917

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## TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN SEPTEMBER, 1917.

The object of the tables appended is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, and Karachi, and into the Madras ports during the month of September, 1917, and for the six months April to September, 1917, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1916. The statistics include foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

## TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SEPTEMBER, 1916 AND 1917.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river, and sea in September, 1917, as against the corresponding month of 1916, show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

74 per cent in linseed.

(7,700 tons as against 29,900 tons last year.)

57 per cent in rape and mustard seed.

(8,100 tons as against 18,500 tons last year.)

47 per cent in jute.

(468,500 bales as against 882,500 bales last year.)

22 per cent in raw cotton.

(55,200 bales as against 70,700 bales last year.)

19 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).

(124,500 tons as against 153,600 tons last year.)

17 per cent in tea.

(30,378,600 lbs. as against 36,581,800 lbs. last year.)

The imports of gram and pulse by rail, river and sea into ports show an increase of 37 per cent (46,800 tons as against 34,200 tons last year) due mainly to larger exports from the Punjab. The increase of 6 per cent (75,300 tons as against 70,900 tons last year) in the imports of rice (including paddy) is accounted for by larger exports from Bengal and Burma.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal source of the imports in September, 1916, was the Punjab. During the corresponding month of 1917 also, the Punjab sent by far the largest quantity, namely, 59 per cent of the total.

NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.

One maund is equivalent to 82½ lbs.

One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice.



**GENERAL RESULTS—SIX MONTHS' IMPORTS INTO THE PORTS FROM UP COUNTRY, ETC., THIS YEAR AND LAST YEAR.**

The six months' figures in table I show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

61 per cent in linseed

(101,500 tons as against 259,000 tons last year.)

33 per cent in rape and mustard seed.

(74,500 tons as against 111,500 tons last year.)

19 per cent in jute

(1,470,500 bales as against 1,810,900 bales last year.)

• 9 per cent in rice (including paddy)

(460,200 tons as against 505,900 tons last year.)

• 3 per cent in tea

(114,310,800 lbs. as against 117,778,200 lbs. last year.)

The imports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) by rail, river and sea into ports show an increase of 95 per cent (1,423,800 tons as against 731,700 tons last year) mainly on account of larger exports from the Punjab, the United Provinces, Rajputana and Central India and the Central Provinces and Berar. The increase of 92 per cent (408,000 tons as against 212,000 tons last year) in gram and pulse is accounted for by larger exports into the ports chiefly from the Punjab. The imports of raw cotton show a rise of 64 per cent (1,804,200 bales as against 1,097,500 bales last year) owing to larger exports principally from Bombay.

**TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SEPTEMBER, 1917, AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.**

As compared with August 1917, the imports in September 1917 into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

59 per cent in raw cotton

(55,200 bales as against 135,400 bales previous month.)

48 per cent in linseed

(7,700 tons as against 14,800 tons previous month.)

21 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour)

(124,500 tons as against 157,200 tons previous month.)

19 per cent in tea

(30,378,600 lbs. as against 37,540,700 lbs. previous month.)

14 per cent in rice (including paddy)

(75,300 tons as against 87,900 tons previous month.)

and an increase of—

77 per cent in rape and mustard seed

(8,100 tons as against 4,600 tons previous month.)

47 per cent in gram and pulse

(46,800 tons as against 31,800 tons previous month.)

17 per cent in jute

(468,500 bales as against 399,000 bales previous month.)

The statistics for September 1916 and 1917, as also for the six months ending September 1916 and 1917, together with those for August and September 1917 are summarised below :—

**SUMMARY TABLE I.**

(1) Articles	(2) Imports, September 1916	(3) Imports, September 1917	(4) Imports, April to September 1916	(5) Imports, April to September 1917	(6) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of im- ports in September 1917, as compared with September 1916	(7) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of im- ports in six months, April to September 1917 as com- pared with six months April to September 1916
	bales	bales	bales	bales	Per cent	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . .	70,727	55,198	1,097,525	1,804,157	—22	+64.4
	tons	tons	tons	tons		
Wheat (excluding wheat flour).	153,564	124,518	731,676	1,423,804	—18.9	+94.6
Rice (including paddy) .	70,875	75,254	505,921	460,210	+6.2	—9
Gram and Pulse . . .	34,196	46,772	212,013	408,011	+36.8	+92.4
Linseed . . . . .	29,855	7,687	239,000	101,465	—74.3	—60.8
Rape and Mustard seed	18,788	8,074	111,497	74,458	—57	—33.2
	bales	bales	bales	bales		
Jute . . . . .	892,500	468,496	1,810,873	1,470,502	—46.9	—1.88
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs		
Tea . . . . .	36,581,804	30,378,562	117,778,198	114,810,822	—17	—2.9

**SUMMARY TABLE II.**

Articles	Imports, August 1917	Imports, September 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in September 1917, as compared with August 1917
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . . . .	135,383	55,198	—59.2
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour) . . . . .	157,154	124,518	—20.8
Rice (including paddy) . . . . .	87,853	75,254	—14.3
Gram and Pulse . . . . .	31,835	46,772	+46.9
Linseed . . . . .	14,790	7,687	—48
Rape and Mustard seed . . . . .	4,508	8,074	+76.8
	bales	bales	
Jute . . . . .	399,014	468,496	+17.4
	lbs	lbs	
Tea . . . . .	37,540,724	30,378,562	—19.1

The annexed charts show the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton, and jute from April 1915 to September 1917 :—

IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER, AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON, AND JUTE  
FROM APRIL, 1915, TO SEPTEMBER, 1917

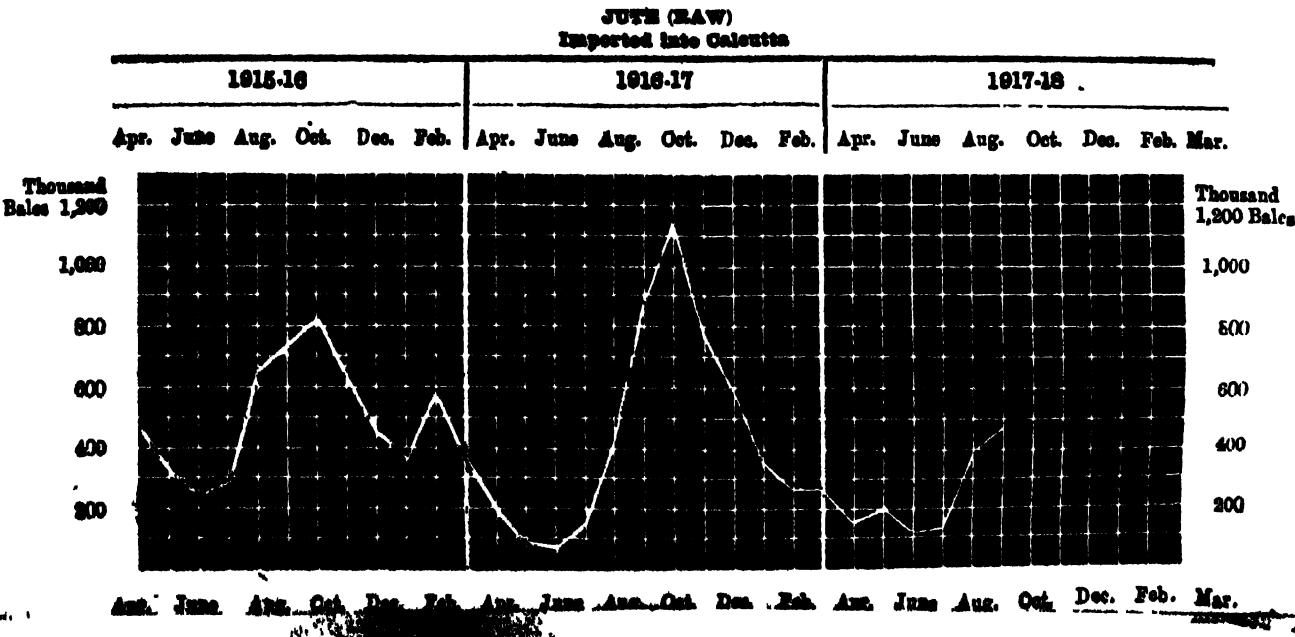
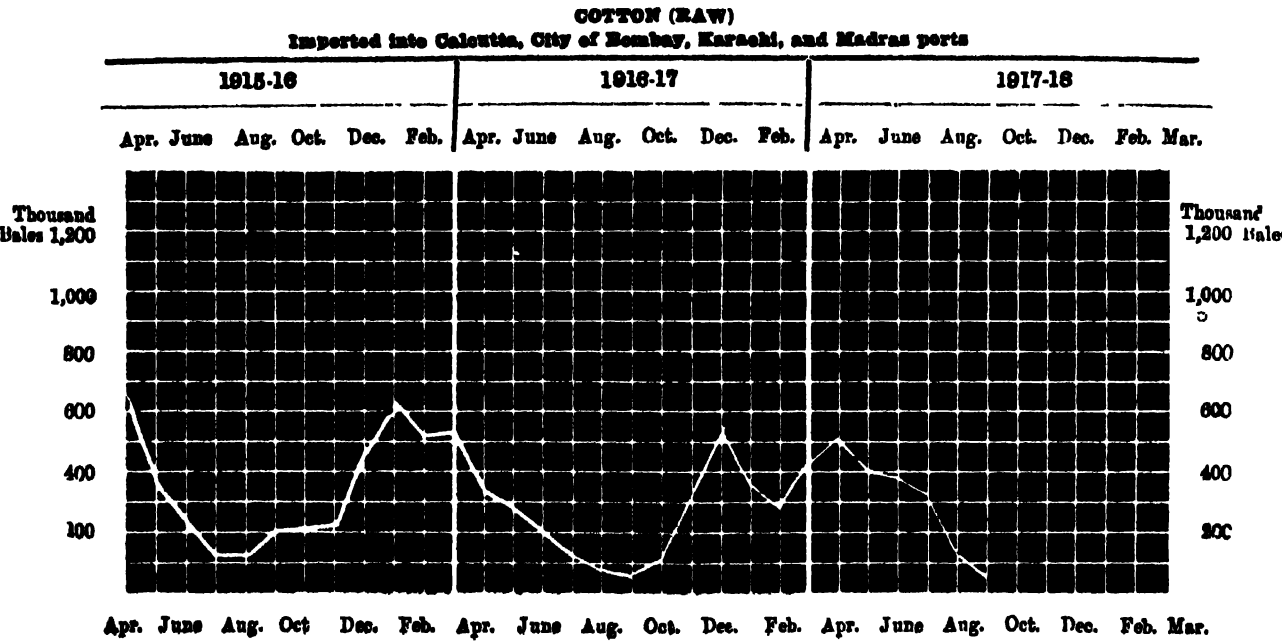
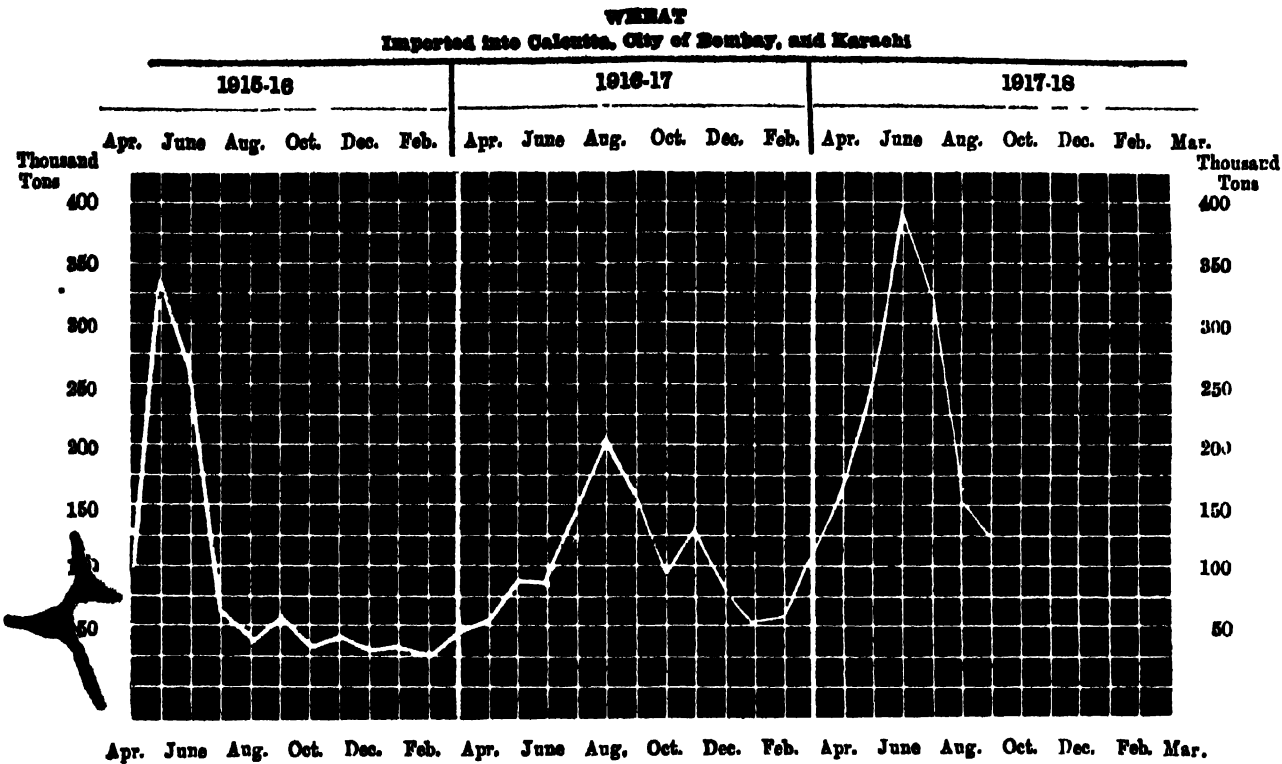


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in September</b>										
<i>By Rail and River—</i>	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
Assam	16	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	8
Bengal	211	305	...	...	...	...	...	...	211	305
Bihar and Orissa	86	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	2
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	302	55	6,044	1,101	...	...	...	...	6,346	1,156
Punjab	...	...	5,020	95	2,983	4	...	...	9,003	99
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	251	...	...	...	251	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...	8,771	2,622	...	...	...	...	8,771	2,622
Bombay	...	978	4,798	15,704	...	...	4,049	1,223	8,845	17,905
Central Provinces and Berar	2,431	1,754	2,589	546	...	...	...	...	5,020	2,300
Nizam's Territory	...	...	1,104	423	...	...	501	...	1,605	423
Madras	489	293	5,690	12,248	...	...	10,604*	12,386	16,789	24,927
Mysore	...	...	...	861	...	...	290	...	290	861
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,535</b>	<b>3,305</b>	<b>34,014</b>	<b>33,600</b>	<b>4,234</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15,444</b>	<b>13,609</b>	<b>57,227</b>	<b>50,601</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>										
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	980	...	980	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	3,531	551	...	...	...	...	3,531	551
Madras	142	169	1,675	5	...	...	...	...	1,817	54
Burma	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	5,827	2,937	...	...	...	...	5,827	2,937
Foreign Countries	1	...	1,344	537	...	...	...	...	1,345	537
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>12,877</b>	<b>4,050</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>980</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>13,500</b>	<b>4,590</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>3,678</b>	<b>3,845</b>	<b>46,891</b>	<b>37,650</b>	<b>4,234</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16,424</b>	<b>13,609</b>	<b>70,727</b>	<b>55,191</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of September</b>										
<i>By Rail and River—</i>										
Assam	541	1,304	...	...	...	...	...	...	541	1,304
Bengal	16,043	22,810	55	2,958	...	...	...	1	16,138	25,769
Bihar and Orissa	822	940	...	...	...	...	...	...	822	940
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	3,857	5,921	29,392	19,672	21	...	...	...	33,270	25,593
Punjab	9	1,345	17,164	26,202	19,295	17,942	...	...	36,468	44,789
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	7,381	27,234	...	...	7,381	27,234
Raj. and C. India	16	188	89,112	123,042	...	...	...	...	89,128	133,230
Bombay	4,357	18,404	202,962	635,175	197	...	14,770	9,073	223,292	662,652
Central Provinces and Berar	32,154	10,557	144,330	147,826	...	...	...	...	176,504	158,388
Nizam's Territory	295	...	45,636	44,078	...	...	1,307	2,842	47,238	46,915
Madras	7,205	6,096	84,841	96,660	...	...	166,380	188,189	258,806	291,545
Mysore	...	...	5,096	12,748	...	...	2,095	3,039	7,191	15,787
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>65,299</b>	<b>68,165</b>	<b>617,638</b>	<b>1,119,356</b>	<b>26,894</b>	<b>44,476</b>	<b>184,496</b>	<b>203,144</b>	<b>894,329</b>	<b>1,435,141</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>										
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Bombay	1,071	20	1	2,662	57	...	3,286	...	4,415	2,682
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	22,784	84,890	...	1	...	...	22,784	84,891
Madras	6,596	10,624	17,845	31,191	...	...	80	10	24,471	41,825
Burma	873	6,770	188	79	...	...	...	...	1,061	6,849
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	147,181	228,124	...	...	...	...	147,181	228,124
Foreign Countries	374	...	3,007	4,698	...	...	8	...	3,382	4,698
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8,914</b>	<b>17,416</b>	<b>190,906</b>	<b>351,589</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3,319</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>203,196</b>	<b>369,016</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>74,213</b>	<b>85,581</b>	<b>808,544</b>	<b>1,470,945</b>	<b>26,951</b>	<b>44,477</b>	<b>187,817</b>	<b>203,154</b>	<b>1,097,525</b>	<b>1,804,157</b>

NOTE.—(1) Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the port of Madras, French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur, and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Badagara and Dhannakhodli.

(2) For the purpose of rail and river-borne trade the North-West Frontier Province and the Delhi Province are included in the Punjab.

(3) One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs.

\* Revised figure

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)\*

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in September</b>								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<b>By Rail and River—</b>								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	72	740	...	...	...	...	72	740
Bihar and Orissa	1,386	4,399	...	...	...	...	1,386	4,399
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	10,949	5,124	1,038	1,396	7,509	13,730	19,486	20,240
Punjab	118	45	1,689	896	98,943	73,951	100,750	78,892
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	6,504	2,835	6,504	2,835
Raj. and C. India	313	350	4,534	5,570	48	909	4,895	6,829
Bombay	...	...	2,830	2,505	...	...	2,830	2,505
Central Provinces and Berar	5,487	4,559	10,607	7,745	...	...	16,094	12,804
Nizam's Territory	...	...	372	47	...	...	372	47
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	18
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12,225</b>	<b>15,217</b>	<b>21,060</b>	<b>18,177</b>	<b>113,004</b>	<b>90,415</b>	<b>152,289</b>	<b>123,809</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	77	1	...	...	77	1
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,197	689	...	19	1,197	708
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>1,274</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1,275</b>	<b>709</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>12,225</b>	<b>15,217</b>	<b>22,334</b>	<b>18,867</b>	<b>113,005</b>	<b>90,434</b>	<b>153,564</b>	<b>124,518</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of September</b>								
<b>By Rail and River—</b>								
Assam	...	2	...	...	...	...	567	2
Bengal	356	9,614	211	...	...	...	7,809	9,614
Bihar and Orissa	7,809	45,855	...	...	...	108	...	45,855
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	55,381	108,189	5,445	23,681	10,616	116,784	71,892	253,634
Punjab	4,110	888	19,222	16,579	462,721	725,591	486,153	742,758
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	32,245	66,224	32,245	66,224
Raj. and C. India	1,105	5,391	21,667	92,306	95	7,391	22,867	105,068
Bombay	10	71	12,973	25,989	...	...	12,983	26,040
Central Provinces and Berar	83,951	42,708	46,983	119,390	...	79	80,874	163,177
Nizam's Territory	...	...	1,330	1,239	...	...	1,330	1,239
Madras	5	29	10	1	...	...	15	30
Mysore	...	...	1	25	...	...	1	25
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>102,177</b>	<b>212,447</b>	<b>107,782</b>	<b>284,190</b>	<b>505,777</b>	<b>916,177</b>	<b>715,736</b>	<b>1,412,814</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	11	28	17	5	26	33
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	11,227	3	...	...	11,227	3
Madras	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	5
Burma	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	4,671	7,929	4	8,020	4,671	10,949
Foreign Countries	3	...	...	...	2	...	5	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>15,909</b>	<b>7,965</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8,025</b>	<b>15,940</b>	<b>10,990</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>102,189</b>	<b>212,447</b>	<b>123,691</b>	<b>292,155</b>	<b>505,796</b>	<b>919,202</b>	<b>731,676</b>	<b>1,423,804</b>

\* Publication of the Table (XI) showing the exports of wheat and wheat flour by sea to foreign countries has been temporarily discontinued

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)\*

Whence exported	Calcutta		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in September</b>								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<i>By Rail and River—</i>								
Assam	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	2
Bengal	7,118	12,374	...	...	...	2,481	7,118	12,374
Bihar and Orissa	1,527	608	...	10	99	4,474	1,626	5,091
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	48	8	...	2	...	...	48	8
Punjab	26	89	346	862	...	...	272	951
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	2	8,320	5,269	...	...	8,320	5,271
Raj. and C. India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	18	...	...	...	12	1	25	1
Central Provinces and Berar	102	55	...	...	...	...	102	55
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	34	71	34	71
Madras	487	26	...	...	22,237†	11,223	22,674	11,249
Mysore	...	...	...	...	897	168	897	168
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9,272</b>	<b>14,109</b>	<b>8,566</b>	<b>6,143</b>	<b>22,779</b>	<b>18,418</b>	<b>40,617</b>	<b>38,670</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	572	...	572
Bihar and Orissa	70	57	...	...	...	...	70	57
Bombay	...	...	11	28	22	97	22	125
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	17	180	...	...	17	180
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	20,855	31,791	...	...	3,109	3,697	20,964	35,488
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign Countries	89	2	1	...	124	160	174	163
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20,964</b>	<b>31,850</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>3,255</b>	<b>4,526</b>	<b>30,258</b>	<b>36,584</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>36,236</b>	<b>45,959</b>	<b>8,595</b>	<b>6,351</b>	<b>26,044</b>	<b>22,944</b>	<b>70,875</b>	<b>75,254</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of September</b>								
<i>By Rail and River—</i>								
Assam	95	6	...	...	...	...	95	6
Bengal	61,297	93,799	...	...	280	5,098	61,577	91,895
Bihar and Orissa	8,999	9,585	...	10	1,603	12,407	10,602	22,002
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	99	197	25	4	1	...	125	201
Punjab	240	288	3,410	5,430	...	...	3,650	5,709
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	1	2	42,775	57,983	...	...	42,776	57,985
Raj. and C. India	...	90	...	...	...	...	...	90
Bombay	62	...	...	...	35	19	97	19
Central Provinces and Berar	2,415	1,111	...	...	51	80	2,466	1,191
Nizam's Territory	...	2	...	...	237	282	237	284
Madras	9,275	1,946	...	...	101,099	187,559	110,874	199,497
Mysore	...	...	...	...	1,042	1,161	1,042	1,161
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>82,468</b>	<b>99,928</b>	<b>46,210</b>	<b>63,417</b>	<b>104,458</b>	<b>186,614</b>	<b>232,121</b>	<b>312,964</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	37	572	37	572
Bihar and Orissa	831	1,781	...	...	...	...	831	1,781
Bombay	12	2	82	119	960	654	1,054	775
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	317	1,697	34	86	351	1,783
Madras	...	...	1	1	122	117	124	118
Burma	120,178	76,023	...	...	76,921	58,389	207,099	184,532
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...
Foreign Countries	2,649	120	1	...	642	775	3,292	895
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>120,670</b>	<b>77,926</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>1,817</b>	<b>78,717</b>	<b>60,513</b>	<b>272,790</b>	<b>140,236</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>276,183</b>	<b>177,849</b>	<b>46,613</b>	<b>65,234</b>	<b>183,175</b>	<b>217,127</b>	<b>505,921</b>	<b>460,210</b>

\* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice  
† Revised figures

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Imports in September								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<i>By Rail and River—</i>								
Assam	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Bengal	2,559	3,628	...	2	...	...	2,559	3,628
Bihar and Orissa	2,896	5,121	53	151	894	290	2,843	5,632
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	2,821	3,642	1,083	2,321	2,077	3,914	11,931	14,877
Punjab	8.5	54	3,290	1,181	1,908	14,120	6,061	15,355
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	2	2	...	6	1,070	175	1,072	183
Raj. and C. India	441	132	384	1,266	81	1,376	856	2,775
Bombay	50	...	2,557	1,616	...	...	2,607	1,616
Central Provinces and Berar	1,259	187	3,325	2,225	...	...	4,584	2,392
Nizam's Territory	463	...	405	...	...	...	868	...
Madras	221	105	...	2	...	...	221	107
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	17,077	17,908	11,047	8,770	5,478	19,875	32,602	46,558
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	27	14	133	13	160	27
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	24	94	4	17	28	111
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	9	...	...	...	...	...	9	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	30	63	...	...	30	63
Foreign Countries	...	7	367	...	...	11	367	18
TOTAL	9	7	448	171	137	41	594	219
TOTAL IMPORTS	17,086	17,915	11,495	8,941	5,615	19,916	34,196	46,772
Imports from April to end of September								
<i>By Rail and River—</i>								
Assam	0	17	...	...	...	...	2	17
Bengal	24,985	29,735	196	398	...	...	25,081	30,073
Bihar and Orissa	11,681	30,782	449	1,700	881	2,348	13,011	34,830
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	48,240	43,032	20,435	31,133	14,620	33,581	53,295	107,746
Punjab	1,555	168	10,912	15,470	15,053	132,487	27,530	143,125
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	2	8	...	8	6,704	12,916	6,706	12,927
Raj. and C. India	2,052	1,098	2,406	17,576	175	20,784	4,633	39,456
Bombay	79	...	9,332	7,247	35	...	2,446	7,247
Central Provinces and Berar	8,749	2,454	26,570	20,945	...	10	35,819	28,409
Nizam's Territory	590	124	2,590	247	...	...	3,180	371
Madras	554	187	43	13	...	...	627	200
Mysore	...	...	26	...	...	...	26	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	98,426	107,598	72,959	94,677	37,468	202,126	208,853	404,401
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	103	83	469	352	572	435
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	577	1,029	56	536	633	1,565
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign Countries	54	30	1,136	5	1	23	1,101	58
TOTAL	268	507	2,305	2,123	527	920	3,160	3,610
TOTAL IMPORTS	98,694	108,105	75,264	96,800	37,995	203,046	211,013	408,011

TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
	Imports in September					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<i>By Rail and River—</i>						
Assam	71	41	22	...	98	41
Bengal	912	248	15	13	927	260
Bihar and Orissa	5,212	2,158	2,766	1,048	7,978	3,206
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	774	208	10,563	2,788	11,337	2,986
Punjab	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	1	3,274	259	3,274	263
Bombay	...	...	529	15	529	15
Central Provinces and Berar	14	2	3,889	471	3,903	473
Nizam's Territory	...	...	1,584	278	1,584	278
Madras	10	18	24	...	34	18
Mysore	...	...	18	...	18	...
TOTAL	6,993	2,674	22,629	4,806	29,622	7,480
<i>By Sea—</i>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	31	200	31	200
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	198	...	198	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	...	7	...	7
Foreign Countries	...	...	4	...	4	...
TOTAL	...	...	233	207	233	207
TOTAL IMPORTS	6,993	2,674	22,862	5,013	29,855	7,687
Imports from April to end of September						
<i>By Rail and River—</i>						
Assam	1,789	680	37	...	1,776	680
Bengal	3,629	3,170	1,705	41	5,334	3,211
Bihar and Orissa	61,770	20,857	18,803	8,041	82,273	26,898
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	22,165	4,166	65,418	29,144	87,583	33,310
Punjab	...	...	47	1	47	1
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	5	...	5	...
Rajputana and Central India	411	57	20,078	14,158	20,484	14,215
Bombay	...	...	6,842	3,430	6,842	3,430
Central Provinces and Berar	655	45	32,123	10,239	32,788	10,274
Nizam's Territory	...	...	18,485	8,207	18,485	8,207
Madras	19	17	478	215	497	232
Mysore	...	...	32	4	32	4
TOTAL	92,388	28,942	162,723	71,460	254,111	100,402
<i>By Sea—</i>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	8	...	...	...	8
Bombay	...	...	1	...	1	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	31	350	31	350
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	2,794	670	2,794	670
Foreign Countries	...	...	63	35	63	35
TOTAL	...	8	2,889	1,055	2,889	1,068
TOTAL IMPORTS	92,388	28,950	166,612	72,515	259,000	101,465



TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in September</b>						
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<i>By Rail and River—</i>						
Assam	114	...	...	...	114	...
Bengal	19	60	...	...	19	60
Bihar and Orissa	578	358	3	...	581	358
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	15,327	4,966	1,410	9	16,637	4,975
Punjab	78	1,811	...	4	78	1,815
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	235	...	...	...	235
Rajputana and Central India	409	486	241	56	650	543
Bombay	...	109	284	92	291	201
Central Provinces and Berar	151	117	153	16	301	189
Nizam's Territory	...	...	1	...	1	...
Madras	118	58	...	...	118	58
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,694</b>	<b>7,700</b>	<b>2,092</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>18,786</b>	<b>7,877</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	...	197	...	197
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	2	...	2	...
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>197</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>16,694</b>	<b>7,700</b>	<b>2,094</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>18,788</b>	<b>8,074</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of September</b>						
<i>By Rail and River—</i>						
Assam	1,499	2,453	...	...	1,499	2,453
Bengal	485	515	17	...	502	515
Bihar and Orissa	3,014	3,014	3	...	3,017	3,014
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	85,128	32,373	11,007	503	99,135	32,876
Punjab	146	12,701	...	50	146	12,751
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	1,803	...	...	...	1,801
Rajputana and Central India	1,139	6,819	1,239	1,688	2,878	8,007
Bombay	41	319	1,703	6,811	1,744	7,130
Central Provinces and Berar	1,457	4,005	682	234	2,139	4,239
Nizam's Territory	...	...	127	02	127	02
Madras	603	1,444	9	...	613	1,444
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>96,512</b>	<b>64,446</b>	<b>14,797</b>	<b>9,348</b>	<b>111,309</b>	<b>73,794</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	1	...	1	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	3	689	3	689
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	184	25	184	25
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>664</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>96,512</b>	<b>64,446</b>	<b>14,985</b>	<b>10,012</b>	<b>111,497</b>	<b>74,458</b>

TABLE IX.—Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta	
	1916	1917
	Imports in September	
	bales	bales
<b>By Rail and River—</b>		
Assam	20,634	12,554
Bengal	799,449	428,141
Bihar and Orissa	59,061	27,800
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>870,134</b>	<b>468,495</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>		
Bengal	3,366	1
Bihar and Orissa	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,366</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>873,500</b>	<b>468,496</b>
	<b>Imports from April to end of September</b>	
<b>By Rail and River—</b>		
Assam	47,234	43,924
Bengal	1,593,025	1,315,569
Bihar and Orissa	147,867	98,803
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	180	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,788,326</b>	<b>1,458,315</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>		
Bengal	22,546	5,938
Bihar and Orissa	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	1	6,190
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22,547</b>	<b>12,127</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>1,810,873</b>	<b>1,470,502</b>

NOTE.—One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total mills manufacturing jute

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta	
	1916	1917
	Imports in September	
	lbs.	lbs.
<b>By Rail and River—</b>		
Assam . . . . .	21,841,883	22,433,883
Bengal . . . . .	14,837,238	7,811,960
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	25,015	24,430
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	32,832	740
Punjab . . . . .	164	2,551
Sind and British Baluchistan . . . . .	...	...
Rajputana and Central India . . . . .	...	82
Bombay . . . . .	1,152	...
Central Provinces and Berar . . . . .	...	...
Nizam's Territory . . . . .	...	...
Madras . . . . .	...	...
Mysore . . . . .	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36,528,274</b>	<b>30,278,855</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>		
Bengal . . . . .	2,850	...
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	...	...
Bombay . . . . .	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan . . . . .	...	...
Madras . . . . .	...	...
Burma . . . . .	...	...
Non-British Ports in India . . . . .	...	...
Foreign Countries . . . . .	50,680	104,907
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>53,530</b>	<b>104,907</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>36,581,804</b>	<b>30,378,562</b>
	<b>Imports from April to end of September</b>	
<b>By Rail and River—</b>		
Assam . . . . .	84,455,506	65,177,445
Bengal . . . . .	32,810,278	48,453,698
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	125,897	135,680
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	57,930	12,507
Punjab . . . . .	5,101	12,672
Sind and British Baluchistan . . . . .	1,563	...
Rajputana and Central India . . . . .	658	575
Bombay . . . . .	3,703	2,715
Central Provinces and Berar . . . . .	1,975	498
Nizam's Territory . . . . .	...	...
Madras . . . . .	412	323,136
Mysore . . . . .	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>117,463,023</b>	<b>114,118,930</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>		
Bengal . . . . .	4,670	...
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	204	...
Bombay . . . . .	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan . . . . .	...	...
Madras . . . . .	570	240
Burma . . . . .	2,200	9,460
Non-British Ports in India . . . . .	...	...
Foreign Countries . . . . .	307,531	162,192
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>815,175</b>	<b>191,892</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>117,778,198</b>	<b>114,310,822</b>

NOTE.— One maund is equivalent to 82½ lbs.





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**OFFICE OF THE MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE VICEROY.**

## NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 29th November 1917*

**No. 6502-M.**—His Excellency the Viceroy accompanied by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India will leave Delhi by special train on the afternoon of the 29th November 1917 and will visit Calcutta, Madras, Bombay and Deolali and return to Delhi on the morning of the 4th January 1918. The arrivals at, and departures from, all stations will be private.

The party will be :—

- \*Her Excellency the Lady Chelmsford, C.I.
- The Hon'ble Sir William Vincent, Kt., I.C.S.
- The Earl of Donoughmore, K P.
- Sir F. W. Duke, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E.
- Mr. Bhupendra Nath Basu.
- C. H. Roberts, Esq., M P.
- M. C. C. Seton, Esq., C.B.
- C. H. Kisch, Esq.
- J. L. Maffey, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.
- Lieutenant-Colonel R. Verney.
- Lieutenant-Colonel H. Austen Smith, M.B.
- T. Sloan, Esq., I.C.S.
- F. C. T. Halliday, Esq., M V O.
- A. L. R. Parsons, Esq.
- Captain W. Holland Hibbert, A.-D.-C.
- Captain J. A. Denny, A.-D.-C.
- \*Captain Lord Carnegie, A.-D.-C.
- Captain E. B. Baring, A.-D.-C.
- G. E. Franey, Esq.

\* Calcutta only

All communications of an urgent nature intended to reach the Viceroy and party during the tour should be addressed "Viceroy's Camp" without the addition of any post town; all others to the headquarters of the several departments at Delhi.

Communications for the Secretary of State and party should be addressed to the "Viceroy's Camp."

By Command,  
**R. VERNEY, LT.-COLONEL,**  
*Military Secretary to the Viceroy.*





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## PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi, the 29th November, 1917*

**No. 50.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 64 (1) of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, Ch. 61) the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Wednesday, the 6th February, 1918, at 11 A.M. as the time, and the Council Chamber in the Imperial Secretariat, Delhi, as the place, for a meeting of the Indian Legislative Council.

**No. 51.**—Whereas by Resolution passed by the Secretary of State for India in Council on the 5th day of October 1871 the provisions of section 1 of the Government of India Act, 1870 (33 and 34 Viet. C. 3), were declared applicable to the Hill District of Arakan;

And whereas the said provisions were repealed and re-enacted by the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, C. 61).

And whereas the Lieutenant-Governor of Burma has proposed to the Governor-General in Council a draft of the following Regulation, together with the reasons for proposing the same;

And whereas the Governor-General in Council has taken the draft and reasons into consideration, and has approved of the draft and the same has received the assent of the Governor-General on the 28th day of November 1917;

In pursuance of the direction contained in section 71(2) of the Government of India Act, 1915, the said Regulation is now published in the Gazette of India and will be published in the Burma Gazette.

#### REGULATION NO. 1 OF 1917.

##### *A Regulation to amend the Arakan Hills Civil Justice Regulation, 1874*

Reg VIII of 1874 Whereas it is expedient to amend the Arakan Hills Civil Justice Regulation, 1874; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. This Regulation may be called the Arakan Hills Civil Justice (Amendment) Regulation, 1917.

Reg VIII of 1874 2. After section 29 of the Arakan Hills Civil Justice Regulation, 1874 (hereinafter referred to as the said Regulation), the following sections shall be inserted, namely:—

Insertion of new sections 29 A. and 29 B in Reg VIII of 1874  
“ 29 A. If on the day fixed for the defendant to appear and answer, all the parties interested agree that the matters in difference between them shall be referred to arbitration, the Court may refer the case to one or more paid Chiefs for disposal.

Reference to arbitration  
29 B The paid Chiefs after disposal shall report to the Court which may refer the case back for further consideration, or may embody the result of the arbitration in the form of a decree; such decree shall be enforceable as if it were a decree of the Court.”

3. In section 31 of the said Regulation, after the words “for this purpose” the words “and if they do not agree that the matters in difference between them shall be referred to arbitration” shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 31 of Reg. VIII of 1874.  
4. For section 42 of the said Regulation, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

Substitution of new section for section 42 of Reg VIII of 1874.  
“ 42. The decree shall specify the costs payable and the parties by whom they are to be paid, and in determining the amount of costs no allowance shall be made for the remuneration of agents employed in the suit.”

Costs to be specified in decree  
No allowance for remuneration of agent.  
5. After section 56 of the said Regulation, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—

Insertion of new section 56A in Reg. VIII of 1874.  
“ 56A. (1) Court-fees shall be levied in cash at the rate of 5 per cent. on the value of the suit on all plaints and appeals subject to a minimum of two rupees; provided that, where the value of the suit cannot be estimated in money, the fee payable shall be five rupees. A fixed fee of two rupees shall be levied on all applications for execution.

Levy of court-fees.  
(2) The court-fees shall be credited to Government except in cases referred to arbitration when they shall be paid to the arbitrators as remuneration for having tried the cases.”

Substitution of new section for section 57 of Reg. VIII of 1874.  
6. For section 57 of the said Regulation, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

“ 57 (1) Process-fees in respect of each process shall be levied in cash in advance from the person at whose instance or in whose interest the process is issued.

Levy of process-fees.  
(2) The Local Government shall, by notification in the Burma Gazette, prescribe the scale according to which process-fees may be levied, and may by such notification exempt any specified kind or kinds of process from the said fees.”

**No. 52.**—Whereas by Resolution passed by the Secretary of State for India in Council on the 26th day of February, 1856, the provisions of section 1 of the Government of India Act, 1870 (33 and 34 Viet. c. 3), were declared applicable to Upper Burma with the exception of the Shan State;

And whereas the said provisions were repealed and re-enacted by the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61);



• And whereas the Lieutenant-Governor of Burma has proposed to the Governor-General in Council a draft of the following Regulation, together with the reasons for proposing the same;

And whereas the Governor-General in Council has taken the draft and reasons into consideration, and has approved of the draft, and the same has received the assent of the Governor General on the 28th day of November, 1917 ;

In pursuance of the direction contained in section 71 (2) of the Government of India Act, 1915, the said Regulation is now published in the Gazette of India and will be published in the Burma Gazette.

#### REGULATION NO. II OF 1917.

##### *A Regulation to amend the Chin Hills Regulation, 1896.*

• WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Chin Hills Regulation, 1896 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— Reg. V of 1896.

Short title.

1. This Regulation may be called the Chin Hills (Amendment) Regulation, 1917.

2. In clause (3) of section 2 of the Chin Hills Regulation, 1896, for the words and letters “ (c) Burmans domiciled in the Chin Hills and, (d) ” the words and letters “ (c) Nagas, (d) Burmans domiciled in the Chin Hills, and, (e) ” shall be substituted Reg. V of 1896.

Amendment of section 2 of Reg. V of 1896.

H. M. SMITH,

*Offg Secretary to the Government of India.*

## HOME DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### JUDICIAL.

*Delhi, the 26th November 1917.*

**No. 508-C.**—Mr. Satish R. Das, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to be Standing Counsel for the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of that office

*The 28th November 1917.*

**No. 555-C.**—The services of Khwaja Muhammad Abdul Majid Khan, Subordinate Judge, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th November 1917.

**No. 558-C.**—Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., took charge of his office as an acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the forenoon of the 17th November 1917, but actually took his seat on the forenoon of the 19th idem.

## MEDICAL.

*The 24th November 1917.*

**No. 487-C.**—Major H. Ross, M.B., F.R.C.S.I., I.M.S., Additional Assistant Director General, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to be Deputy Director General, Indian Medical Service, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 24th November 1917, until further orders.

**No. 488-C.**—Captain D. C. V. FitzGerald, M.C., I.M.S., temporary Deputy Medical Store Keeper to Government, Bombay, is appointed as a temporary measure to be Additional Assistant Director General, Indian Medical Service, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties, until further orders.

*The 30th November 1917.*

**No. 614-C.**—Major J. N. Walker, M.R.C.P., I.M.S., is appointed to officiate as Professor of Medicine, King George's Medical College, Lucknow, from the 15th October 1917, until further orders.

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#### POLICE.

*The 26th November 1917.*

**No. 511-C.**—Mr. F. C. T. Halliday, M.V.O., Superintendent of Police, Bihar and Orissa, is placed on special duty under the Home Department of the Government of India, with effect from the forenoon of the 29th October 1917.

*The 27th November 1917.*

**No. 526-C.**—The services of Mr. J. C. Ker, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, with effect from the 27th November 1917.

*The 29th November 1917.*

**No. 597-C.**—The services of Mr W. Beatty, Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the 10th November 1917.

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#### PORT BLAIR.

*The 29th November 1917.*

**No. 573-C.**—The services of Mr. F. B. Leach, I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner, Port Blair, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Burma, with effect from the date on which he makes over charge of his duties.

S R HIGNELL,

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

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##### NOTIFICATIONS.

##### AGRICULTURE.

*Delhi, the 7th November 1917.*

**No. 13-C.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3, sub-section (i) of the Destructive Insects and Pests Act, 1914 (II of 1914), the Governor General in Council is pleased to issue the following order for the purpose of prohibiting, regulating and restricting the import into British India of the articles hereinafter specified.

1. In this order :—

(i) "official certificate" means a certificate granted by the proper officer or authority in the country of origin; and the officers and authorities named in the third column of the Schedule are the proper

officers and authorities to grant in the countries named in the second column the certificates required by the provisions referred to in the first column thereof ;

“ plant ” means a living plant or part thereof but does not include seeds ; and

“ prescribed port ” means any of the following ports, namely, Bombay, Calcutta, Dhaneshkodi, Karachi, Madras, Negapatam, Rangoon and Tuticorin ;

(ii) all provisions referring to plants or seeds shall apply also to all packing material used in packing or wrapping such plants or seeds.

2. No plant shall be imported into British India by land or sea by means of the letter or sample post.

3. No plants other than fruits and vegetables intended for consumption, potatoes and sugarcane shall be imported into British India by sea except after fumigation with Hydrocyanic Acid Gas and at a prescribed port :

Provided that plants which are infested with living parasitized insects and are intended for the introduction of such parasites may be imported without such fumigation if they are accompanied by a special certificate from the Imperial Entomologist to the Government of India that such plants are imported for the purpose of introducing such parasites.

4. Potatoes shall not be imported into British India by sea, unless they are accompanied by—

(i) a certificate from the consignor stating fully in what country and in what district of such country the potatoes were grown and guaranteeing that warty disease was not known to exist on the farms where the potatoes were grown ; and

(ii) an official certificate that no case of warty disease of potatoes has been known during the twelve months preceding the date of the certificate within five miles of the place where the potatoes were grown.

5. Rubber plants shall not be imported into British India by sea unless they are accompanied by an official certificate that the estate from which the plants have originated or the individual plants are free from *Phomes semitostus* and *Sphaerostilbe repens*.

6. Sugarcane shall not be imported into British India by sea unless it is accompanied by an official certificate that it has been examined and found free from cane borers, scale insects, Aleurodes, root disease (any form), pine apple disease (*Thielaviopsis ethacetica*), “ Screh ” and cane gummosis :

Provided that canes for planting intended to be grown under the personal supervision of the Government Sugarcane Expert may be imported direct by such expert without such certificate.

7. Coffee plants shall not be imported into British India by sea from America (including the West Indies) except by the Madras Department of Agriculture.

8. Seeds of coffee, flax, *berseem* and cotton shall not be imported by land or by sea by letter or sample post.

9. Coffee seeds shall not be imported into British India by sea from America (including the West Indies) except by the Madras Department of Agriculture.

10. Flax-seeds and *berseem* (Egyptian clover) seeds shall not be imported into British India by sea, unless the consignee produces before the Collector of Customs a license from a Department of Agriculture in India in that behalf.

11. Cotton seeds shall not be imported by sea except after fumigation with carbon bisulphide and at a prescribed port.

**THE SCHEDULE**  
[ PARAGRAPH 1 (i). ]

1	2	3
Paragraph.	Country of Origin.	Authority.
4 (ii)	Great Britain and Ireland	The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, England. The Board of Agriculture for Scotland. The Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland.
	Sweden . . . .	The Ministry of Agriculture.
	Norway . . . .	The Norwegian Board of Agriculture.
	Denmark . . . .	The Ministry of Agriculture.
	France . . . .	The Ministry of Agriculture.
	Japan (including Formosa)	The Department of Agriculture and Commerce.
	Italy . . . .	The Ministry of Agriculture.
	British East Africa .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Australia . . . .	The Departments of Agriculture, Victoria, South Australia, New South Wales, Queensland, Tasmania and Western Australia.
5	Ceylon . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Malay Peninsula . .	The Department of Agriculture, Federated Malay States.
	Dutch Indies . . . .	The Department of Agriculture, Industry and Commerce.
	Belgian Congo . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	British East Africa .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Uganda Protectorate .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Nyasaland . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	South Africa . . . .	The Union of South Africa Department of Agriculture.
6	Dutch Indies . . . .	The Department of Agriculture, Industry and Commerce.
	Mauritius . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Philippine Islands . .	The Bureau of Agriculture.
	Japan (including Formosa)	The Department of Agriculture and Commerce.
	South Africa . . . .	The Union of South Africa Department of Agriculture.
	Egypt . . . .	The Ministry of Agriculture.
	West Indies . . . .	The Imperial Department of Agriculture, Barbados.
	British Guiana . . . .	The Department of Science and Agriculture.
	Trinidad . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Jamaica . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	United States . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Ceylon . . . .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Malay Peninsula . .	The Department of Agriculture, Federated Malay States.
	British East Africa .	The Department of Agriculture.
	Queensland . . . .	The Department of Agriculture and Stock.

*The 30th November 1917.*

**No. 73-C.**—Mr. A. C. McWatters, I.C.S., having been relieved of his duties as Wheat Commissioner for India with effect from the afternoon of the 15th November 1917, the following appointments are notified from the same date :—

- (1) Mr. C. W. Jacob, I.C.S., (Punjab), as Wheat Commissioner for India.
- (2) Mr. C. J. E. O'Byrne, I.C.S., (United Provinces), as Assistant Wheat Commissioner for India.

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**FORESTS.**

*The 30th November 1917.*

**No. 76-C.**—With reference to the notification of this Department No. 363-F-53—11, dated 18th June 1917, Mr. F. Littlewood resigned the temporary appointment of Exploitation Officer in the Andamans Forest Division on the afternoon of the 26th October 1917.

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**LAND SURVEYS**

*The 27th November 1917.*

**No. 66-C.**—Major E. A. Tandy, R. E., whose services have been replaced at the disposal of this Department by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, is posted to the Survey of India with effect from the 24th September 1917.

R. A. MANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Delhi, the 26th November 1917.*

**No. 2043-Est. A.**—Major D. R. G. Oliver, of the Political Department, on return from military duty, is posted as Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir for Leh, with effect from the 17th November 1917.

**No. 2046-Est. A.**—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Drake-Brockman, Indian Medical Service (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, with effect from the 14th November 1917.

**No. 2048-Est. A.**—Major E. O. Thurston, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to officiate as an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd Class and is posted as Residency Surgeon and *ex-officio* Assistant to the Resident in Nepal, with effect from the 14th November 1917.

*The 29th November 1917.*

**No. 2087-Est. A.**—Major C. H. Gabriel, First Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir, held charge of the current duties of the office of the Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir for Leh, in addition to his own duties, for the period from the 17th October to the 16th November 1917, inclusive.

**No. 2089-Est. A.**—Major J. S. Crosthwaite, of the Political Department, is posted as Assistant Commissioner and Sub-Divisional Officer, Tank, with effect from the 5th November 1917.

**No. 2091-Est. A.**—Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Melville, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to officiate as an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd Class and is posted as Residency Surgeon in Kashmir, with effect from the 12th November 1917.

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Government of India*

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*The 26th November 1917.*

**No. 1851-G.**—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Count G. Viola di Campalte as Consul for Italy at Calcutta.

*The 28th November 1917.*

**No. 2061-Est. B.**—The following amendment in the rules for the examination in the Pashtu language of officers serving in the North West Frontier Province and Chilas published in the notification by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1476-G., dated the 25th June 1909, is published for general information :—

*Substitute the following for existing rule 9 :—*

"9. The following officers who, while serving in other Provinces, have passed an examination according to Appendix A or Appendix B to these rules, as the case may be, or an equivalent examination, shall, on appointment to a locality where the allowance is admissible, be entitled to the following allowances and rewards :—

(a) the officers mentioned in rule 1, I(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f) and (g) to the allowances specified in rule 3 ;

(b) the officers mentioned in rules 4(a), (b) and (c), and 6 to the rewards to which they would have been entitled had they passed the examination when serving in the North West Frontier Province provided that they have not already received such reward ;

(c) the officers mentioned in rule 4(d), to the allowance to which they would have been entitled under rule 5 had they passed the examination while serving in the North West Frontier Province or to the reward admissible under paragraph 376, A. R. I., Volume I, provided that they have not already received such reward ; but in the event of their having already received such reward outside the North West Frontier Province or in the North West Frontier Province previous to the date of this notification, they may be permitted to refund the reward and draw the allowance under rule 5, this refund being made by foregoing the monthly allowance for the requisite number of months. Advantage may not, however, be taken of the option above allowed to draw the allowance with effect from an earlier date than the 22nd March 1916."

*The 29th November 1917.*

**No. 2071-Est. A.**—Mr R. E. L. Wingate, I.C.S. (Punjab), is placed on special duty under the orders of the Hon'ble the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, with effect from the 28th October 1917.

*The 30th November 1917.*

**No. 2103-Est. A.**—The services of Mr E. M. Sequeira, Treasury Officer, Bushire, on return from privilege leave, are placed at the disposal of the Civil Commissioner, Baghdad, with effect from the 9th October 1917.

**No. 2104-Est. A.**—Mr. D. X. Lobo, Officiating Treasury Officer, Bushire, is appointed to hold that appointment substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 9th October 1917.

A. H. GRANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India*

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

*Delhi, the 29th November 1917.*

**No. 1313-F. E.**—Mr. E. M. Cook, I.C.S., has been posted as Accountant General, Bombay, with effect from the 18th November 1917.

**No. 1314-F. E.**—Mr. T. R. Sadasivam, Assistant Controller, Paper Currency, Calcutta, has been granted privilege leave for 1 month and 10 days, with effect from the 21st October 1917.

Mr J. M. Basu, a Superintendent in the Currency Office, Calcutta, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 21st October 1917 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Sadasivam.

**No. 1315-F. E.**—Mr. H. M. C. Trotter has been posted as Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 17th November 1917.

**No. 1316-F. E.**—Mr. A. G. Hein, Chief Accountant, class II, and Audit Officer, Delhi Province, has been promoted substantively to class III of the General List of the Indian Finance Department, with effect from the 8th November 1917.

## ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE

## ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS

The 27th November 1917.

No. 2574-F.—Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.

October 1917.

Lakhs of Rupees.

	OCTOBER		TO END OF OCT.		WHOLE YEAR	
	1917-1918.	1916-1917.	1917-1918.	1916-1917	Budget, 1917-1918	Actuals, preliminary, 1916-1917
<b>Civil Revenue.</b>						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	33	47	13 88	13 33	36 12	36 04
Opium	29	41	1 89	2 56	5 06	4 44
Salt	90	64	19 6	3 56	5 96	7 22
Stamps	54	47	4 96	4 83	8 96	8 18
Excise	1 20	1 06	6 36	7 64	15 39	13 79
Provincial Rates			2	2	4	5
Customs	1 49	1 11	6 72	7 07	14 09	12 97
Income Tax	82	43	4 24	2 88	7 46	5 11
Forest	19	20	1 50	1 28	3 40	3 55
Registration	5	5	49	48	83	81
Tributes from Native States	4	2	25	23	93	83
Other Civil Revenue	26	29	3 04	2 52	5 10	5 56
<b>TOTAL CIVIL HEADS</b>	<b>6 11</b>	<b>5 17</b>	<b>52 09</b>	<b>46 44</b>	<b>101 95</b>	<b>99 20</b>
Major Irrigation Revenue	2	4	2 36	2 40	4 46	4 27
Other Public Works Ordinary Revenue	3	4	34	28	77	68
<b>TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE (including Ordinary Public Works)</b>	<b>6 16</b>	<b>5 25</b>	<b>54 69</b>	<b>49 18</b>	<b>107 17</b>	<b>104 12</b>
<b>Civil Expenditure.</b>						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	-53	-10	-3 82	-2 86	-6 61	-5 65
Opium	-4	-	-1 07	-1 39	-1 38	-1 35
Famine Relief (Civil)	-	-3	-	-22	-	-7
Other Civil Expenditure	-3 59	3 50	-27 46	-26 72	-30 40	-46 28
<b>TOTAL CIVIL HEADS</b>	<b>-4 15</b>	<b>-3 15</b>	<b>-32 35</b>	<b>-31 09</b>	<b>-38 39</b>	<b>-53 65</b>
Major Irrigation Working Expenses	-13	-3	-1 08	-1 18	-2 09	-1 97
Railways and Roads Expenditure	-39	-42	-2 74	-2 77	-6 24	-5 79
Famine Relief (Public Works)	-1	-3	-26	-29	-6	-30
Other P. W. Ordinary Expenditure	-6	-6	-61	-7	-1 26	-1 09
<b>TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE (including Public Works)</b>	<b>-4 74</b>	<b>-4 09</b>	<b>-37 11</b>	<b>-36 80</b>	<b>-41 11</b>	<b>-62 33</b>
Irrigation Capital Expenditure	-	-1	-55	-7	-88	-84
Debt Capital Expenditure	-2	-2	-16	-22	-18	-46
<b>TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>-51</b>	<b>-29</b>	<b>-1 26</b>	<b>-1 20</b>
<b>Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from these Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments.</b>						
The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure and Debt and Remittance transactions.						
Posts and Telegraph (Net)	-1 11	-14	-9 00	-43	-1 24	-1 20
Marine (Net)	-1 08	-66	-7 27	-6 34	-10 92	-11 72
Military Works (Net)	-32	-28	-8 64	-1 70	-5 24	-4 94
Military Receipts	+21	+29	+1 96	+1 63	+2 00	+2 93
Military Issues	-4 00	-3 14	-31 89	-3 08	-6 09	-6 68
<b>Railway Receipts.</b>						
East Indian Railway	+72	+6	+5 10	+5 05	9 29	+8 97
Other Railways	+1 33	+1 12	+2 81	+29 91	+14 60	+65 14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>+2 05</b>	<b>+4 79</b>	<b>+7 91</b>	<b>+34 96</b>	<b>+23 89</b>	<b>+74 11</b>
<b>Railway Issues</b>						
East Indian Railway	-50	-40	-3 16	-3 26	-5 39	-5 38
Other Railways	-2 62	-2 10	-10 45	-18 80	-33 20	-33 05
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>-3 12</b>	<b>-3 00</b>	<b>-23 61</b>	<b>-22 06</b>	<b>-38 59</b>	<b>-38 43</b>
<b>TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS</b>	<b>-9 27</b>	<b>-1 11</b>	<b>-38 74</b>	<b>-25 12</b>	<b>-22 64</b>	<b>-55 59</b>
<b>Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.</b>						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net + Receipts more, — receipts less than payments)	+1 29	+28	+15 93	+6 75	+10 57	+1 92
Temporary Loan	+7 75	...	+7 25	...	...	...
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	+15	+1	+16	+85	+10	+1 19
Remittance of Gold	...	...	...	...	...	...
Current Transfers against silver	+1 21	+3 04	+11 92	+12 44	+6 29	+22 13
Deposits of District Funds	-15	-20	-41	+11	-28	+18
Loans by Governments	-1	1	+21	+55	+24	+6
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs. 15 per £	-3 68	-1 07	-20 6	7 36	-10	-12 63
Other Debt Heads	-82	70	-6 86	-2 59	-2 18	+1 87
<b>TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS</b>	<b>+2 74</b>	<b>+2 04</b>	<b>+37 64</b>	<b>+10 99</b>	<b>+13 34</b>	<b>-2 12</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES</b>	<b>-2 16</b>	<b>-97</b>	<b>-1 56</b>	<b>-1 34</b>	<b>-4 15</b>	<b>+1 92</b>
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	20 74	16 65	22 94	18 02	22 72	18 02
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	18 58	17 68	18 58	16 68	18 29	22 94

H. F. HOWARD

Secretary to the Government of India

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Delhi, the 1st December 1917.*

**No. 925-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-vessels) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Notification in this Department, No. 1465-C. D., dated the 24th March 1917, namely :—

In clause (3) substitute the word "fuel" for the word "coal".

**No. 878-D.**—Mr. J. C. Fergusson, I.C.S., is placed on special duty in the Department of Commerce and Industry, with effect from the 30th November 1917.

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**POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.**

*The 1st December 1917.*

**No. 902-D.**—The following permanent and temporary promotions in the higher grades of the Superior establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department are sanctioned with effect from the dates specified :—

Mr. H. Mayston, Director, Telegraph Engineering, to be permanently in the grade of Rs. 2,000 with effect from the 1st October 1917.

Mr. M. A. Thompson, Deputy Postmaster-General, Traffic, to be permanently in the grade of Rs. 1,750 with effect from the 1st October 1917.

Mr. E. L. Bagshawe, C.I.E., Director, Telegraph Engineering, Baghdad, to act temporarily in the grade of Rs. 1,500 with effect from the 1st October 1917.

Mr. B. C. Wrenicke, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, to act temporarily in the grade of Rs. 1,500 with effect from the 1st October 1917.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**ARMY DEPARTMENT.**

*Delhi, the 30th November 1917.*

**APPOINTMENTS.**

**No. 2009.**—Major G. P. Grant, D.S.O., 106th Hazara Pioneers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding an appointment as General Staff Officer, 1st grade. Dated 1st August 1917.

**No. 2010.**—Major A. B. Skinner, 5th Cavalry, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding an appointment as Commandant, School of Instruction for Officers. Dated 31st October 1917.

**No. 2011.**—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Station Staff Officer, 1st class. Dated 28th October 1917 :—

Lieutenant G. Tanner, 1st Garrison Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment.

Second-Lieutenant H. R. Gould, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

Lieutenant M. M. Ralph, 1st Garrison Battalion, The Scottish Rifles.

Second-Lieutenant R. Bird, 1-4th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment.

Second-Lieutenant G. A. G. Vallance, 2-5th Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry).

**No. 2012.**—Lieutenant W. W. Arnold, The Northumberland Fusiliers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant of an Indian Defence Force Battalion. Dated 26th October 1917.



**No. 2013.**—Second-Lieutenant W. Woodman, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant of an Indian Defence Force Battalion. Dated 8th September 1917.

**No. 2014.**—The services of Lieutenant C. Campbell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached 1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Department of Commerce and Industry, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st November 1917, for employment under the Director, Geological Survey of India.

*Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

**No. 2015.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers to be Second-Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

- No. 12105 Battery Quartermaster Serjeant Albert Juniper. Dated 7th November 1917.
- No. 5506 Serjeant William Alfred James Poor. Dated 20th November 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2016.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers to be Second-Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).*

Serjeant Joshua Taylor Leigh. Dated 12th November 1917.

*The Norfolk Regiment.*

Serjeant Arthur Edward Hurrell. Dated 13th November 1917.

*The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).*

Serjeant Arthur James Jarman. Dated 8th November 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

**No. 2017.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, with effect from the dates specified:—

Khuda Bakhsh	28th June 1917.
Parmanand	28th July 1917.
Kanan Bihari Sen Roy	8th August 1917.
Gopal Charan Sen	11th September 1917
Leonard John Pavillet Mordaunt	20th October 1917.
Bulchand Ratanmal Malkani	29th October 1917.
Khelat Chandra Bhattacharya	1st November 1917.
Oyitti Churia Madhavan	3rd November 1917.
Sistla Lakshmipathi Somayaji	6th November 1917.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

**No. 2018.**—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to gazette the appointment of the undermentioned officer:—

Mr. Thomas Edward Mutter, Deputy Accountant in the Office of the Director of Ordnance Factories, Calcutta.

INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2019.**—Thomas Duncan Foster to be temporary Second-Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 26th November 1917.

**No. 2020.**—The following are appointed to the Indian Army on probation, subject to His Majesty's approval, with a view to permanent appointment, with effect from the dates specified :—

*To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Godfrey William Warren White, 9th Regiment (Victoria and South Australia) Australian Imperial Force, attached 5th Cavalry. Dated 28th July 1917 but to rank from 5th May 1916.

Captain Thomas Ludwig Barker, 4th Battalion (Queen's Edinburgh Rifles), The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), attached 2nd Battalion, 107th Pioneers. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 5th May 1916.

Lieutenant John Geoffrey Bruce, 24th Battalion, The Welsh Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 28th July 1917 but to rank from 5th May 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Edmund Louis Harrison, 5th Battalion, The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), attached 67th Punjabis. Dated 10th September 1917 but to rank from 1st June 1916.

Temporary Captain Paul Robert James Morgan, 497th (Kent) Field Company, Royal Engineers, attached 3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 25th September 1917 but to rank from 2nd June 1916.

Lieutenant Philip Challen, 1-7th Battalion, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), attached 3rd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 6th June 1917 but to rank from 9th June 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Geoffrey Baynton Williams, 3rd Battalion, The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 20th August 1917, but to rank from 13th July 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Percy Wyndham Banks Ashton, 1-5th Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, attached 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 31st October 1917 but to rank from 29th July 1916.

Lieutenant Leslie Vernon Peacock, 6th (Cyclist) Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, attached 46th Punjabis. Dated 30th July 1917 but to rank from 4th August 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Frederick Leslie Barry-Roberts, 12th Battalion, The Royal Welch Fusiliers, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 24th July 1917 but to rank from 30th August 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Henry Lionel Barstow, 129th Company, Machine Gun Corps, attached 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 7th September 1917 but to rank from 1st November 1916.

Second Lieutenant Wilfred Mauston Newill, Shropshire Yeomanry, attached 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 14th November 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Leonard Stephen Smallwood, 8th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), attached 94th Russell's Infantry. Dated 21st August 1917 but to rank from 10th December 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Douglas Harold Drake, 10th Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 9th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Frank Burns Webb, 3rd Battalion, The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), attached 3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 21st August 1917 but to rank from 10th January 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant John Clark, 7th Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from 6th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant George Nowell Arnott Parish, 4th Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 10th Jats. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 16th February 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Albert Leslie Gannicliff, 7th Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), attached 2nd Battalion, 42nd Deoli Regiment. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 22nd February 1917.

Lieutenant Harold John Spencer, 2-15th Battalion, The London Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own Civil Service Rifles), attached 3rd Brahmans. Dated 31st October 1917 but to rank from 22nd February 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant William Dunbar Porter, 8th Battalion, The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, attached 2nd Battalion, 10th Jats. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 27th February 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Albert George Porter, 7th Battalion, The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, attached 2nd Battalion, 10th Jats. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 27th February 1917.

Lieutenant Walter James Evans Proctor, Machine Gun Corps, attached 35th Sikhs. Dated 28th July 1917 but to rank from 3rd March 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Henry Clarke McClenaghan, 13th Battalion, The Manchester Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 43rd Erinpura Regiment. Dated 21st July 1917 but to rank from 3rd March 1917.

Lieutenant Leslie Ernest Randall, 2-22nd Battalion, The London Regiment (The Queen's), attached 2nd Battalion, 43rd Erinpura Regiment. Dated 17th September 1917 but to rank from 8th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Trevor Hawkins, 3rd Battalion, The Dorsetshire Regiment, attached 117th Mahrattas. Dated 1st September 1917 but to rank from 10th March 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant James George Avent, Machine Gun Corps, attached 117th Mahrattas. Dated 28th July 1917 but to rank from 17th March 1917.

Lieutenant Wallace Adelbert Lyon, 3rd Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), attached 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 16th September 1917 but to rank from 26th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant Allan Robertson Walker, 6th Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), attached 15th Ludhiana Sikhs. Dated 28th July 1917 but to rank from 3rd April 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant Laurance Ernest Willan Jackson, 2-4th Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), attached 3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 16th September 1917 but to rank from 15th April 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant Cecil Frank Meehan, 2-1st Battalion, The Herefordshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 12nd Deoli Regiment. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 29th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Erik Ponsonby Hartshorn, 1-6th Battalion, The Manchester Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 21st May 1917.

Second Lieutenant Joseph Birtwistle, 1-4th Battalion, The East Lancashire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 10th Jats. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from 11th June 1917.

Second Lieutenant Charles William Gordon Thorpe, 15th (Suffolk Yeomanry) Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, attached 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 17th September 1917 but to rank from 12th June 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant James Herbert Douglas Hunter, 87th Machine Gun Company, attached 94th Russell's Infantry. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from 10th July 1917.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Leslie Collingwood, 3rd Battalion, The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), attached 117th Mahrattas. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from 21st July 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Cyril Francis Dunbar-Sutherland, 2nd Reserve Regiment of Cavalry, attached 4th Cavalry. Dated 25th July 1917 but to rank from 27th July 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Joseph Lionel Kirkham, 3rd Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 10th Jats. Dated 17th October 1917 but to rank from 8th October 1917.

Second Lieutenant Edgar Cyril Walters, 1st Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), (Indian Army Reserve of Officers), attached 28th Punjabis. Dated 6th November 1917 but to rank from 30th January 1917.

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Temporary Second Lieutenant Walter West Shearman, 14th Battalion, The South Wales Borderers, attached 3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 7th May 1917 but to rank from 7th April 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant Philip Evelyn Clarence Francis, 30th Training Reserve Battalion, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 16th September 1917 but to rank from 5th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant John Hall Barlow, 1-1st Battalion, Duke of Lancaster's Own Yeomanry, attached 4th Cavalry. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 26th June 1917.

Second Lieutenant Wilfred Nevill Brown Constable, 3rd Battalion, The Essex Regiment, attached 94th Russell's Infantry. Dated 25th July 1917, but to rank from 26th June 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant George Armitage Beazeley, 1st Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 1st October 1917 but to rank from 7th August 1917.

## ARMY RESERVES.

**No. 2021.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*To be Second Lieutenants.**Cavalry Branch.*

Maurice Stewart Collis.  
Walter Samuel Powell.

Dated 20th November 1917.  
Dated 21st November 1917.

*Infantry Branch.*

Reginald Henry Mullin.  
Walter Street  
Henry Rundle.  
Henry McIntire Shepton.  
William Joseph Johnson.  
Harold George Gruer.  
Alfred Sydney Hannah Boucher.  
James Frederick Holmes.  
Walter Frank Street.  
Richard Francis O'Hara Fitzgerald Day.  
Archibald Patrick Brewin.  
Louis Davidson Burns.  
Graham Parsons Earwaker.  
Harold Bull.

Dated 25th September 1917.  
Dated 28th October 1917.  
Dated 29th October 1917.  
Dated 3rd November 1917.  
Dated 11th November 1917.  
Dated 12th November 1917.  
Dated 20th November 1917.  
Dated 21st November 1917.  
Dated 22nd November 1917.  
Dated 24th November 1917.

**No. 2022.**—Lieutenant Charles Edward Miller Judge, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding a special appointment, with effect from the 26th October 1917.

**No. 2023.**—Lieutenant A. V. Askwith, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding an appointment as General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade. Dated 12th November 1917.

**No. 2024.**—The following officers of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Special Service Officers, Kashmir Imperial Service Infantry, with effect from the 23rd November 1917:—

Lieutenant Gerald Hallam Cooke.  
Lieutenant Osmond Herbert Eliot.

**No. 2025.**—Second Lieutenant Henry Hubert Stubbs, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant and Quartermaster of a Dépôt, Labour Corps, dated the 17th July 1917.

**No. 2026.**—The undermentioned officers of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain (without pay and allowances of that rank), subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Assistant Recruiting Officers:—

1st November 1917.

Second Lieutenant Robert Harold Crump.  
Second Lieutenant Harold Alfred Cecil Blacker.  
Second Lieutenant Roland Westphal Morde.  
Second Lieutenant Henry Beatty.  
Second Lieutenant Herbert Leonard Olney Garrett.  
Second Lieutenant Samuel Evans Stokes.

7th November 1917.

Second Lieutenant John Cotton Farmer.  
Second Lieutenant Philippe Stowell Quarry.  
Second Lieutenant Geoffrey Herbert Mannooch.  
Second Lieutenant Reginald Edwin Anthony Ray.  
Second Lieutenant Galiston Marcar Gregory.

8th November 1917.

Lieutenant John Adam Scroggio.

9th November 1917.

Lieutenant Robert Edwin Russell.

14th November 1917.

Second Lieutenant Edward Thomas Warren.

### LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 2027.**—The following extracts are published for general information :—

*Fifth Supplement dated the 24th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 21st September 1917, pages 9819, 9850 and 9853.*

War Office,

24th September 1917.

### REGULAR FORCES.

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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#### SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as G. S. O., 2nd Grade.)—Maj. G. N. Molloy, Ind. Cav., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so employed, from 25th May to 20th July 1917.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as G. S. O., 3rd Grade.)—Maj. F. H. Norie, D. S. O., ret. pay, Ind. Army, *vice* temp. Capt. H. C. Roberts, M. V. O., D. S. O., Gen. List. 15th July 1917.

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#### MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Lts. :—

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Serjt. George Adolf Bambridge, Ind. Motor Cyclist Section. 31st July 1917.

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*Sixth Supplement dated the 24th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 21st September 1917, pages 9851 and 9864.*

War Office,

24th September 1917.

The following are among the decorations and medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign :—

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the decorations and medals in question.

.. Decorations conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE  
BELGIANS.

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*Ordre de la Couronne.*

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*Officer.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Adams, Indian Cav.

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*London Gazette dated the 25th September 1917, page 9878*

## ROYAL WARRANT.

Whereas it has been represented to Us that it is expedient to grant the honorary rank of Major to all Commissaries of Indian Army Departments, and certain Senior Assistant Surgeons of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department ;

Our Will and Pleasure is that—

- (i) an officer serving in an Indian Army Department as a Commissary shall be granted the honorary rank of Major irrespective of his period of commissioned service on full pay.
- (ii) the honorary rank of Major shall be granted to a Senior Assistant Surgeon of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department on completion of three years' service in the honorary rank of Captain.

Our warrants dated the second day of January, 1904, and the twenty-sixth day of September, 1911, shall be amended accordingly.

Given at Our Court at *St. James's* this, twenty-first day of September, 1917, in the 8th year of Our Reign.

*Supplement dated the 25th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 25th September 1917, pages 9923 and 9927.*

*War Office,*

*25th September, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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## ATTACHED TO H.Q. UNITS.

*Asst. Prov.-Marshal*.—(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.)—Lt. R. B. M. Wood, ret., Ind. Army, and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empd. 20th Aug. 1917.

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*General List.*

Temp. 2nd Lt. J. H. J. Hampson, from actg. Lt., Trg. Res., to be temp. Lt. on appt. as prob. to Ind. Army. 25 July 1917. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 4 Sept. 1917, incorrectly specifying rank).

W. C. Matthew, from Lt. R. N. V. R., to be temp. Lt. on appt. as prob. to Ind. Army. 29 July 1917.

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*Second Supplement dated the 25th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 25th September 1917, pages 9939 and 9943.*

*War Office,  
25th September, 1917.*

The Colonial Office has forwarded for publication the following Despatch on military operations in the Nyasaland Protectorate :—

From the Governor of Nyasaland,  
To the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

*Government House,  
Zomba, Nyasaland,  
30th April, 1917.*

SIR,—

I have the honour to transmit herewith a despatch from Brigadier-General Edward Northey, C.B., A.D.C., in which he submits the names of various officers, non-commissioned officers and men serving under him for mention in despatches. The despatch reached me only on the 26th instant.

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#### INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bir Singh, Jemadar, 2nd Class Senior Sub-Asst. Surg.  
Kishan Singh, No. 1070, 1st Class Sub-Asst. Surg.

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*Fourth Supplement dated the 26th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 25th September 1917, pages 9949, 9950 and 9955.*

*War Office,  
26th September, 1917.*

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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##### ATTACHED TO HD.-QR. UNITS

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*Brig.-Majors.*—Captain E. P. A. Melville, temp. h p, Ind. Army, from att'd. Arg. & Suth'd Highrs., Spec. Res., *vice* Maj. L. S. H. Smithers, Ind. Army. 10th September 1917.

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##### ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing.*—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

*Wing. Comdr.*—Capt. (temp. Maj.) C. R. S. Bradley, Ind. Cav., from a Sqdn. Comdr., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so emp'd. 22nd June 1917.

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##### A. G.'s AND Q. M. G.'s STAFF.

*A. A. and Q. M. G's.*—And to be temp. Lt.-Cols. whilst so emp'd. :—

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Maj. G. R. Maitland, Ind. Cav., *vice* Bt. Lt.-Col. W. K. Bourne, Ind. Cav. 21st August 1917.

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*D. A. A. and Q. M. G.*—Capt. M. C. Raymond, Ind. Cav, *vice* Maj. G. R. Maitland, Ind. Cav. 28rd August 1917.

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*Fifth Supplement dated the 23th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 25th September 1917, pages 9967, 9972 and 9975.*

*War Office,  
26th September, 1917.*

His Majesty the KING has been pleased to confer the undermentioned rewards for gallantry and distinguished service in the field.

The acts of gallantry for which the decorations have been awarded will be announced in the London Gazette as early as practicable:—

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*Awarded the Military Cross.*

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Capt. Horace Anthony Garstin, Ind. Army.

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Capt. William Draper Hall, Ind. Army.

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*Sixth Supplement dated the 26th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 25th September 1917, pages 9983 and 9981.*

*War Office,  
26th September, 1917.*

The following are among the Decorations and Medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign.—

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the Decorations and Medals in question.

*Decorations and Medals presented by*

THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

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*Croix d'Officier.*

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Stanley Malcolm Edwards, D.S.O., Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Frederic George Lucas, D.S.O., Indian Army.

*Croix de Chevalier.*

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Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Sydney Boyce Combe, M. C., Indian Army.

Captain Kenneth Charles Stuart Erskine, M.C., Indian Army.

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*Croix de Guerre.*

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Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Annesley Andrew, Indian Army.

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Captain Gerald Charles Balfour Buckland, D.S.O., Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Leonard Joseph Montagu Deas, M.B., F.R.C.S., Indian Medical Service.

Major Maxwell Edward Dopping-Hepenstal, D.S.O., Indian Army.

Major James Boswell Egerton, Indian Army.

Major-General Vere Bonamy Fane, C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army.

Jemadar Fatteh Din, Indian Army.

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Captain Cyril Arkwright Gouldsbury, Indian Army.

Subadar-Major Gyan Singh, Indian Army.

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Captain Wellesley Cathcart Hutcheson, Indian Army.

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Captain Redmond Alexander Macausland, Indian Army.

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Major Sidney Bernard Orton, Indian Army.

Captain (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Theophilus John Ponting, Indian Army.

Jemadar Puran Singh, Indian Army.

Major Digby Inglis Shuttleworth, Indian Army.

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Major Charles Fleetwood Mant Worsley, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry George Young, Indian Army.

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Staff Serjeant Charles Alexander Lodwick Simpson, Indian Army.

*Medaille Militaire.*

2516 Sapper Abdul Kadir, Indian Army.

1561 Colour-Havildar Allahdad Khan, Indian Army.

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4495 Havildar Gangaraj Thapa, Indian Army.

2792 Sapper Gopalsami, Indian Army.

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3459 Serjeant Charles Harris, Indian Army.

3042 Rifleman Kem Narain Newar, Indian Army.

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3691 Havildar Nasib Khan, Indian Army.

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Sub-Conductor Ernest Wilford Senior, Indian Army.

631 Lance Naik Shabaz Khan, Indian Army.

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*Seventh Supplement dated the 27th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 25th September 1917, pages 9985, 9987 and 9990.*

War Office,  
27th September, 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES

##### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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##### CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lt. C. H. Wilson, Ind Army Res. of Off., relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Field Park. 9th June 1917.

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##### MEMORANDA.

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Temp. Lt. C. H. Nicholas, S. Wales Bord., is transf'd. to Gen. List for duty as a probationer for Ind. Army. 5th Aug. 1917.

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*Ninth Supplement dated the 28th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 25th September 1917, pages 10019 and 10040.*

War Office,  
28th September, 1917.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men in recognition of valuable services rendered with the Armies in the field during the present war :—

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##### INDIAN ARMY.

16 Sjt. G. H. Dymott, I. U. L.

5 S./S /M. C. T. Marwood, I. U. L.

18 Sjt. J. Petchley, I. U. L.

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*Supplement dated the 29th August 1917 to the London Gazette of the 28th September 1917, pages 10115, 10117, 10118 and 10121.*

War Office,  
29th September, 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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##### CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

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- 2nd Lt. T. H. G. Stevens, Ind. Army Res of Off., to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a  
 • Field Park. 1st July 1917.

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#### MEMORANDA.

Bt. Lt.-Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) T. E. Scott, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Ind. Army, to be temp. Maj.-Gen. whilst especially empld. 30th Sept. 1917.

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Capt. A. S. Meek, Ind. Army, to be temp. Maj. whilst empld. as a Military Governor. 22nd Aug. 1917.

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#### GENERAL LIST.

• Temp. Capt. R. A. B. Freeland, M.C., from a Serv. Bn., Devon. R., to be temp. Lt. on appt. as prob. to Ind. Army. 25th July 1917.

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#### PROMOTIONS.

**No. 2028.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

##### *Royal Field Artillery.*

Temporary Lieutenant T. A. L. Davy to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 27th August 1917, *vice* Captain R. Archbold, promoted, with effect from 27th August 1917.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### *Infantry.*

**No. 2029.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

##### *The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment).*

Lieutenant A. O. L. Davis to be acting Captain while acting as Adjutant, but with pay and allowances as for Lieutenant. Dated 31st August 1917.

#### TERRITORIAL FORCE.

##### *Infantry.*

**No. 2030.**—The following grants and relinquishment of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

##### *The Devonshire Regiment.*

Captain H. M. Cole to be acting Major while serving as Major on the headquarters of a battalion. Dated 11th November 1917, *vice* Major F. J. Harvey, extra-regimentally employed, with effect from 20th October 1917.

Lieutenant J. R. Birchall to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 4th November 1917, *vice* Captain (acting Major) H. M. Cole, promoted, with effect from 4th November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. T. Greenwood relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company. Dated 24th September 1917.

Lieutenant H. S. Reed to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 9th October 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. T. Greenwood, relinquished his acting rank with effect from 24th September 1917.

**No. 2031.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

##### *The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).*

Second-Lieutenant E. Scott to be acting Captain while acting as Adjutant but with pay and allowances as for a Lieutenant. Dated 29th October 1917.

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2032.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

12th October 1917.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Edwardes, Commandant, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

7th November 1917.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Henry Morison Davie, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Alexander Robert Hutchinson, D.S.O., 41st Dogras.

*Captains to be Majors.*

15th October 1917.

Claude Seymour Foster, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).

17th October 1917.

James Douglas Strong, 90th Punjabis.

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.*

14th November 1917.

Charles Hamilton Boucher, attached 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Guy Edward Ross Stewart Hartigan, attached 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

**No. 2033.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's) (Infantry).*

Lieutenant E. P. Rich, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 2nd October 1917.

*13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).*

The undermentioned relinquish their acting rank on ceasing to command a company:—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) P. R. H. Skrine, attached. Dated 12th September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. V. Adams, attached. Dated 16th October 1917.

*20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).*

Captain H. R. O. Walker, 25th Punjabis, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 25th October 1917.

*25th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. L. F. Berkeley relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 22nd October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 25th Punjabis.*

Major C. T. Morris, 2nd Punjabis, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 24th October 1917.

Lieutenant E. L. F. Berkeley, 25th Punjabis, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a wing. Dated 25th October 1917.

*26th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. M. Hunt, 27th Punjabis, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 10th October 1917.

*3rd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.*

Lieutenant C. H. C. Gore, 2nd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th August 1917.

Lieutenant P. Challen, 7th Battalion, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th August 1917.

Lieutenant H. L. Davies, 2nd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th August 1917 to 20th September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant R. F. Martin, 16th Battalion, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), attached, to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 6th October 1917, *vice* Lieutenant H. L. Davies, vacated, with effect from 21st September 1917.

*45th Rattray's Sikhs.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) C. W. W. Ford, 35th Sikhs, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 20th October 1917.

*49th Bengal's.*

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company :—

Lieutenant B. L. S. Smith, 126th Baluchistan Infantry, attached. Dated 4th October 1917.

Lieutenant S. G. Taylor, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 25th October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 67th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. A. Doubt, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 17th October 1917.

*79th Carnatic Infantry.*

In Army Department Notification No. 1338, dated the 17th August 1917, against the name of Second Lieutenant F. K. Ward, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, *for* "28th March 1917" *read* "3rd March 1917."

*80th Carnatic Infantry.*

Lieutenant O. A. Rowlinson, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 16th October 1917.

*82nd Punjabis.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. Hamilton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 24th October 1917.

*90th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant C. R. deC. Peele, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 15th October 1917.

*103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.*

Second Lieutenant P. J. H. Stent, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 16th May 1917 to 24th August 1917, inclusive.

Second Lieutenant H. J. Martin to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 11th to 15th May 1917, inclusive.

Second Lieutenant E. J. Kenny, attached, to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 31st May 1917 to 30th August 1917, inclusive, *vice* Second Lieutenant H. J. Martin, vacated, with effect from 16th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant H. J. Martin to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 15th September 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant E. J. Kenny, vacated, with effect from 31st August 1917.

*106th Muzra Pioneers.*

Captain V. W. C. Moore-Lane to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 28th August 1917 to 21st September 1917, inclusive, *vice* Major R. H. H. Manners, appointed temporary Brigade Major, Jubbulpore Brigade, with effect from 13th August 1917.

Captain H. G. Turner to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 7th October 1917, *vice* Captain V. W. C. Moore-Lane, vacated, with effect from 22nd September 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 107th Pioneers.*

Lieutenant P. F. B. Hickey, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 26th July 1917 to 5th August 1917, inclusive.

Major C. C. Cunningham, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment), attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 28th August 1917, *vice* Lieutenant M. P. Pratt, 121st Pioneers, attached, vacated, with effect from 13th August 1917.

Lieutenant P. F. B. Hickey, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a wing. Dated 6th to 17th August 1917, inclusive.

Second Lieutenant T. E. Edwards, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a wing. Dated 8th to 12th August 1917, inclusive.

#### *108th Infantry.*

Lieutenant T. Z. D. Babington, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 18th October 1917.

#### *2nd Battalion, 121st Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.*

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company:—

Lieutenant H. K. D. Money. Dated 10th September 1917.

Lieutenant R. G. Mountain, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry, attached. Dated 11th September 1917 to 26th September 1917, inclusive.

#### *128th Pioneers.*

Lieutenant E. W. Tyson, 106th Hazara Pioneers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 19th October 1917.

#### *1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) C. G. Toogood, D.S.O., attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 14th October 1917.

#### *2nd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).*

Second Lieutenant C. H. Boucher, attached, to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 5th November 1917, *vice* Major P. A. R. Pritchard, Civil Employ, attached, appointed temporary second-in-command, with effect from 21st October 1917.

Lieutenant I. E. Keely, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 8th November 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant G. E. R. S. Hartigan, attached, vacated, with effect from 24th October 1917.

#### *1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Lieutenant C. G. Crawford, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 5th October 1917.

#### *1st Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.*

Captain M. G. Anderson to be Major while temporary second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 25th to 30th September 1917, inclusive, *vice* Major A. D. Molony, vacated, with effect from 10th September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. St. J. Carruthers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 22nd September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) S. Clemence, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 21st October 1917.

#### *2nd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.*

Major H. F. Collingridge to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 16th October 1917 to 24th October 1917, inclusive.

**No. 2034.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1335, dated the 17th August 1917, against the name of Richard Cecil Molesworth, for "attached 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment)" read "attached 4th Battalion, 3rd Gurkha Rifles."

#### ARMY RESERVES.

**No. 2035.**—Lieutenant Reginald Horace Wigfall, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 20th June 1917.

**No. 2036.**—Lieutenant Tom Walters Venn, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while specially employed, with effect from the 6th November 1917.

**No. 2037.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1070, dated the 6th July 1917, after "the 23rd April 1917" add "but to rank from the 1st September 1915."

**No. 2038.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1782, dated the 19th October 1917, for "Arthur Cecil Norman Salter" read "Arthur Cecil Norman Slater."

#### CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

**No. 2039.**—The following officiating promotions are notified :—

Rank and Name.	From	To	Period.	REMARKS.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. L. Cowie.	3rd Grade (Supy.).	2nd Grade (Supy.).	From the 13th August 1917 to 1st September 1917.	Vice Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Walker, 2nd Grade Cantonment Magistrate, granted privilege leave, vide United Provinces Gazette Notification No. 4041-II-469, dated 3rd October 1917.
Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. P. Lawrenson.	3rd Grade	2nd Grade	Ditto	
Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. L. Cowie	3rd Grade (Supy.).	2nd Grade (Supy.).	From 16th October 1917 to 19th October 1917.	Vice Lieutenant-Colonel C. Herbert, D. S. O., 2nd Grade Cantonment Magistrate (Supernumerary from the 20th October 1917), granted privilege leave, vide United Provinces Gazette Notification No. 4050-II-13, dated 4th October 1917.
Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. P. Lawrenson	3rd Grade	2nd Grade	Ditto	

#### DEPARTMENTAL OFFICERS.

**No. 2040.**—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 2027, dated the 30th November 1917, the following departmental officers are granted the honorary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21st September 1917 :—

##### *India Miscellaneous List.*

Commissaries and honorary Captains Henry Pepper, Thomas Augustine Duffy, William Davis, Edward Lawrence Bartlett, and Alfred James Ruegg.

##### *Public Works Department, Madras.*

Commissaries and honorary Captains Henry Thomas Gasson and George Ellard Brand

##### *Public Works Department, Bombay.*

Commissary and honorary Captain John Robert Hudson

##### *Miscellaneous List, Madras.*

Commissaries and honorary Captains Robert Coulter and John Hanly.

#### INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

##### SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

##### *Bengal Establishment.*

**No. 2041.**—1st class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Subadar, Sher Muhammad, *Khan Sahib, Bahadur*, is granted the honorary rank of Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the date of this notification.

#### NATIVE ARMY.

##### APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

**No. 2042.**—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred on Salutri Turab Ali Khan, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry, for long and meritorious service.

**No. 2043.**—The following direct appointment is made :—

*1st Battalion, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghulzie Regiment).*

Bhagat Singh to be Jemadar, on probation, with effect from the 23rd June 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

**No. 2044.**—The following promotions are made :—

*12th Cavalry.*

Kot-Dafadar Wadhawa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).*

Dafadar Jiwan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*Indian Base Remount Depot, Rouen.*

Kot-Dafadar Nihal Singh (12th Cavalry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1917 ; and to remain seconded.

*23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (Frontier Force).*

Jemadar Indar Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 25th June 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

*1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.*

Jemadars Saidan Shah, Diwan Ali and Ram Rup Singh, I.O.M., to be Subadars, and Havildars Kirpa Singh, Hardit Singh, Sucha Singh, Nawab, Patch Muhammad, Firoz Khan, Sayyid Akbar and Mahabir Pathak to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st November 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Sappers and Miners.*

Colour-Havildars Khana and Shiudatt Singh, Havildars Krishna Swami, Rama Limbalkar, Gurmukh Singh, I.O.M., and Sopana Thopte, Colour-Havildar Mirza Khan and Havildars Jalal Din, Fazal Din, Ahmad Shah, Firoz Din, Gulab Khan and Pahlwan Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*10th Labour Corps.*

Havildar-Major Hardit Singh and Havildar Sawan Singh (23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery, Frontier Force) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 26th November 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

*35th Labour Corps.*

Jemadar Muhammad Ismail Khan [17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment)] to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Anwar Khan [17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment)] to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th August 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*15th Ludhiana Sikhs.*

Jemadar Muizzullah Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 30th May 1917, Havildar Ghulam Husain to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th July 1917 and Havildar Nawazish Ali to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th August 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).*

Jemadar Imam Ali Khan to be Subadar, Havildars Karam Khan and Ali Muhammad Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 4th July 1917 and Havildar Ali Sher to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th July 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*22nd Punjabis.*

Jemadar Azim Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 5th November 1917, Colour-Havildar Rahim Ali Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th October 1917 and Havildar Said Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th November 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*25th Punjabis.*

Havildar Adalat Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th September 1917 and Havildar Maula Dad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.



*33rd Punjabis.*

Colour-Havildar Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th June 1917, Colour-Havildar Sakhi Zaman to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th July 1917 and Colour-Havildar Tora Baz Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.*

Jemadar Jhagar Sing Bisht to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Dalip Singh Rana to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th September 1917; *vice* Nain Sing Gusain, deceased.

*2nd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.*

Jemadar Anand Sing Negi to be Subadar, with effect from the 20th September 1917, Jemadar Butha Sing Negi, I.O.M., to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd September 1917, Jemadar Bir Singh Danu to be Subadar, with effect from the 10th October 1917, Colour-Havildar Har Sing Gusain to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th July 1917, Colour-Havildar Prem Sing Kunwar to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th September 1917, Havildar Rup Sing Rawat to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th September 1917, and Havildar Jaman Sing Bisht to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.*

Jemadar Ram Singh to be Subadar and Havildars Kana and Duja to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*48th Pioneers.*

Havildar Natha Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd May 1917 and Havildar Dale Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.*

Subadar Mir Asghar Ali to be Subadar-Major and Jemadar Hari Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th October 1917; *vice* Abdur Razzak, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

*69th Punjabis.*

Jemadar Daulat Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 5th October 1917 and Havildar Prabdayal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd October 1917; to complete the establishment. Havildar Ganda Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd October 1917; and to be seconded.

*83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.*

Jemadar Patchappan to be Subadar, with effect from the 24th July 1917, Jemadar Duraisami to be Subadar, with effect from the 31st July 1917 and Havildar-Major Abdul Jabar and Colour-Havildar Sadasiva Naidu to be Jemadars, with effect from the 2nd August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 97th Deccan Infantry.*

Colour-Havildars Bhairam Singh and Surat Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 2nd November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 107th Pioneers.*

Jemadar Karim Dad Khan to be Subadar and Havildars Biru Ram and Pir Dost to be Jemadars, with effect from the 26th July 1917 and Havildar Shah Nawaz to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 112th Infantry.*

Havildar Prichat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th February 1917 and Havildar Mohan Lal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 121st Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.*

Jemadar Tiwana Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Sher Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd August 1917, and Naik Sukhmandar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 6th November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.*

Havildars Jita Gurung, Tul Sing Thapa, Birbhan Gurung, Kharke Thapa and Saraljit Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Colour-Havildar Dhanraj Gurung to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th September 1917 ; to complete the establishment

*3rd Local Camel Corps.*

Ressaidar Ghulam Hyder Khan (50th Camel Corps) and Jemadar Mehr Din (2nd Mule Corps) to be Risaldars, Jemadar Sharaf Din (2nd Mule Corps) to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 10th January 1917. and Jemadar Mukhan Singh (3rd Skinner's Horse) to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 27th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*112th Infantry.*

**No. 2045.**—The promotion of Havildar Husain Bakhsh to Jemadar published in Army Department Notification No. 501, dated the 6th April 1917, is antedated without pay and allowances to the 6th April 1915. This Indian officer will rank for seniority next below Fazal Karim.

*22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).*

**No. 2046.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1786, dated the 19th October 1917, for "18th August 1917" read "19th August 1917."

## SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

**No. 2047.**—The following appointment is made :—

*Government Camel Corps.*

Pensioned Dafadar Mohar Singh (late of 21st Cavalry) to be Ressaidar, to complete the establishment ; with effect from the 28th August 1916.

## RESIGNATIONS.

## INDIAN ARMY.

*Army Reserves*

**No. 2048.**—Lieutenant Wellesley St. George Ashe, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval ; with effect from the 22nd November 1917.

## REWARDS.

**No. 2049.**—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, A. R. I., Vol. II, the special promotion of the undermentioned departmental officers with honorary rank and warrant and non-commissioned officers of Indian Army Departments, in recognition of the services rendered by them in India in connection with the war :—

*With effect from the 1st January 1917 :—*

*Ordnance Department—Northern Army.*

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant Andrew Charles Chisholme to be Deputy Commissary with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Conductor Frederick George Finch to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

*Ordnance Department—Southern Army.*

Conductor Alfred Goodall to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

*Ordnance Department—General List.*

Sub-Conductor Thomas Reed to be Conductor.

*Supply and Transport Corps—Amalgamated List.*

Sub-Conductor Oliver Tattersall to be Conductor.

*Military Works Services*

Staff-Serjeant Frederick Mattocks to be Sub-Conductor.

*Barrack Department, Punjab—Bengal.*

Conductors William Henry Greaves and Frank Slade to be Assistant Commissaries with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

*Army Clothing Department.*

Conductor Ernest Johnson to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

*India Miscellaneous List.*

Conductor George Ricks to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductor Evan Victor Creak to be Conductor.

Staff-Serjeants James Redding, William Elgy Freeman and Hector Walsh to be Sub-Conductors.

*Non-departmental Warrant Officers.*

Serjeant-Major William Robertson, School of Musketry, Pachmarhi, to be Conductor on the India Miscellaneous List.

*Corps of Military Staff Clerks.*

Colour-Serjeant Leonard Walter Elliott to be Quartermaster-Serjeant.

Serjeants Frederick Charles Mann and George Butt to be transferred to the India Miscellaneous List, supernumerary to the establishment.

*Soldier Clerks.*

Acting Serjeant F. W. Townsend, 4th Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment, is appointed to the Corps of Military Staff Clerks, 3rd grade, supernumerary to the establishment.

*With effect from the 1st July 1917 :—*

*Ordnance Department.—General List.*

Staff-Serjeants Thomas Sanderson, Alfred James McCully and John Stacey Bolton to be Sub-Conductors.

*Military Works Services.*

Conductor Thomas Charlie Hall to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductor John Philip Stone to be Conductor.

*Barrack Department.*

Staff-Serjeant Percy John McKew to be Sub-Conductor.

*Indian Miscellaneous List.*

Conductor Hedley Charles Parks to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Staff-Serjeant James Spires to be Sub-Conductor.

*Indian Subordinate Veterinary Corps.*

Farrier Serjeant-Major Charles Roberts to be Sub-Conductor on the India Miscellaneous List.

*Corps of Military Staff Clerks.*

Sergeants Daniel Michael Francis Greene and Joseph Robins to be transferred to the India Miscellaneous List, supernumerary to the establishment.

*Soldier Clerks.*

Lance-Serjeant A. H. Homingway, 1st Battalion, Alexandria, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), and Acting-Serjeant J. Perry, Royal Fusiliers, to be appointed to the Corps of Military Staff Clerks, 3rd grade, supernumerary to the establishment.

*ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.*

**No. 2050.**—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotion in, and admission to, the Order of British India, in recognition of their valuable services to the State :—

*To the 1st Class of the Order with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."*

Risaldar-Major Haji Gul Mawaz Khan, *Bahadur*, 18th King George's Own Lancers.

*To the 2nd Class of the Order with the title of "Bahadur."*

Risaldar Mir Alam Khan, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

The above appointments have effect from the date of this notification. They will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment and will be absorbed by the lapse of one appointment in three vacancies.

**MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL.**

**No. 2051.**—The Meritorious Service Medal, without annuity, has been awarded to the undermentioned Indian non-commissioned officers and men for meritorious service and devotion to duty in the field :—

- No. 1307 Naik Razul Khan, Battery, Royal Field Artillery.
- No. 23338 Havildar Ram Naram Singh, Indian Coast Artillery (Camel Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery).
- No. 1398 Lance-Dafadar Khalil-ur-Rahman, Light Cavalry.
- No. 1281 Dafadar Mugh Singh, Light Cavalry.
- No. 370 Dafadar Azimulla Khan, Cavalry.
- No. 566 Lance-Havildar Jag Singh, Sappers and Miners.
- No. 1044 Drum-Major Ismail Khan, Rajputs.
- No. 2247 Havildar Kaze Khan (Military Police), attached Punjabis.
- No. 1306 Havildar Ghulam Muhammad, Punjabis.
- No. 1271 Havildar Fazal Khan, Punjabis.
- No. 934 Sepoy Ahmad Din, Punjabis.
- No. 1893 Sepoy Dalip Singh, Punjabis.
- No. 2836 Havildar Sayyid Hussain, Infantry.
- No. 3399 Havildar Govindrajala, Infantry.
- No. 4259 Naik Delamor Khan, Infantry.
- No. 3921 Lance-Naik Seddoji Rao, Infantry.
- No. 2330 Havildar Tukeram Sindo, Infantry.
- No. 1689 Havildar Mahmud Khan, Infantry.
- No. 1459 Lance-Naik Sirpatrao More, Infantry.
- No. 2673 Sepoy Karam Ilahi, Infantry.
- No. 84 Kot-Dafadar Syed Ghulam, Mule Corps, Supply and Transport Corps.
- No. 246 Lance-Naik Feroz, Mule Corps, Supply and Transport Corps.
- No. 926 Quartermaster Dafadar Chuhar Khan, Camel Corps, Supply and Transport Corps.
- No. 952 Naik Anaita, Camel Corps, Supply and Transport Corps.

**INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.**

**No. 2052.**—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of a bar to the Indian Distinguished Service Medal granted to Subadar Nandu Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, for gallantry in the field.

The award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to this Indian officer was published in the Third Supplement dated the 26th June 1916, to the London Gazette of the 23rd June 1916, and republished in Army Department Notification No. 849, dated the 28th July 1916.

The second award of an Indian Distinguished Service Medal to Subadar Nandu Gurung in Army Department Notification No. 1360, dated the 17th August 1917, is cancelled.

**No. 2053.**—The following corrections are made to the Army Department notifications mentioned below :—

In Army Department Notification No. 1160, dated the 19th November 1915, *under* Indian Distinguished Service Medal, *for* "No. 733 Havildar Allah Dad, 76th Punjabis" *read* "No. 733 Havildar Allah Dad, 87th Punjabis."

In Army Department Notification No. 1385, dated the 17th November 1916, *for* "No. 2472 Sepoy Sadi, 6th Jat Light Infantry," *read* "No. 2472 Sepoy Sadi, 87th Punjabis."

In Army Department Notification No. 1512, dated the 15th December 1916, *for* "No. 2591 Sepoy Pandurang Padav, 108th Infantry," *read* "No. 2591 Sepoy Pandurang Jadhav, 108th Infantry."

In Army Department Notification No. 894, dated the 8th June 1917, *under* Indian Order of Merit, 2nd Class, *for* "No. 2767 Havildar Sarfaraz, Baluchis," *read* "No. 2769 Havildar Sarfaraz, Baluch Light Infantry."

In Army Department Notification No. 1305, dated the 10th August 1917, *under* Indian Distinguished Service Medal *for* "No. 4788 Lance-Naik Said Amir, Punjabis," *read* "No. 4771 Lance-Naik Said Amir, Punjabis."

## JUDICIAL.

## CANTONMENTS—REGULATIONS.

**No. 2054.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 23, 24 and 25, of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to amend the Cantonment Code, 1912, to the extent set forth below :—

(1) In Chapter IX of the said Code, after section 158, the following shall be inserted :—

158-A. For the purpose of providing or maintaining the water supply or of making or maintaining communications or connections with the mains, the Cantonment Authority shall have all powers which are conferred upon it in respect of drainage and the supply of gas by sections 171-A to 171-I.

(2) After Chapter IX of the said Code, the following shall be inserted :—

*Chapter IX-A.*

## Drainage, lighting, etc.

171-A. The Cantonment Authority may carry any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer, or channel of any kind, for the purpose of establishing telephonic or other similar communication or of carrying out and establishing or maintaining any system of lighting, drainage, or sewerage, through, across, under, or over, any road, street, or place laid out as or intended for a road or street, and after giving reasonable notice in writing to the owner or occupier, into, through, across, under, over, or up the side of any land or building whatsoever situate within the limits of the cantonment, and, for the purpose of the introduction, distribution of outfall of water or for the removal or outfall of sewage without such limits, and may at all times do all acts and things which may be necessary or expedient for repairing or maintaining any such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer, or channel, as the case may be, in an effective state for the purpose for which the same may be used or intended to be used :

Provided that no nuisance more than is necessarily caused by the proper execution of the work is created by any such operation : and

Provided, further, that reasonable compensation shall be paid to the owner or occupier for any damage at the time sustained by him and directly occasioned by the carrying out of such operations.

171-B. In the event of any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel being laid or carried above the surface of any land or through over or up the side of any building, such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel, as the case may be, shall be so laid or carried as to interfere as little as possible with the rights of the owner or occupier to the due enjoyment of such land or building, and reasonable compensation shall be paid in respect of any substantial interference with any such right to such enjoyment.

171-C. Except in cases to which sections 158-K and 158-L relate, the Cantonment Authority shall cause not less than fourteen days' notice in writing to be given to the owner or occupier before commencing any operations under section 158-B.

171-D. No person shall, without the permission of the Cantonment Authority, at any time make, or cause to be made, any connection or communication with any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel, constructed or maintained by or vested in the Cantonment Authority, or Government, for any purpose whatsoever.

171-E. The Cantonment Authority may, at any time, establish any connection or communication from any water main, drain or sewer, to any premises, or may by notice require the owner of any such premises to establish any such connection or communication, in such manner and within such time as the Cantonment Authority, by notice in that behalf, may prescribe, at the cost of such owner or occupier.

171-F. The Cantonment Authority may prescribe the size of the ferrules to be used for the supply of gas, and may establish meters or other appliances for the purpose of testing the quantity or quality of any gas or electricity supplied to the premises of any person or to or for the use of any person or business.

- Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 138.* 171-G. The ferrules, communication-pipes, connections, meters, stand-pipes and all fittings thereon or connected therewith, leading from mains or service cables, wires, pipes, drains, sewers or channels into any house or land and the wires, pipes, fittings and works inside any such house or within the limits of any such land, shall in all cases be executed subject to the inspection and to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority.
- Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 139.* 171-H. The Cantonment Authority may, from time to time, fix the charges to be made for the establishment by them or through their agency of communications from and connections with mains or service cables, wires and pipes for the supply of lighting, telephonage or gas, and for meters or other appliances for testing the quantity or quality thereof supplied, and may levy such charges accordingly.
- Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 140.* 171-I. For the purpose of efficiently draining any building or land the Cantonment Committee may by notice in writing (a) require any court-yard, alley or passage between two or more buildings to be paved with such materials and in such manner as may be approved by them, and (b) require such paving to be kept in proper repair.
- (3) In Chapter XVII of the said Code after section 238 the following shall be inserted :—
- 238-A. The Cantonment Authority may authorise any person to enter between sunrise and sunset, into any building or upon any land and to inspect any drain, privy, latrine, urinal, cesspool, cable, wire, pipes, sewer or channel therein, or thereon, and to cause the ground to be opened where such person as aforesaid may think fit for the purpose of preventing or removing any nuisance arising from the drains, privies, latrines, urinals, cesspools, cables, wires, pipes, sewers or channels.
- (2) If, on such inspection, it appears that the opening of the ground was necessary for the prevention or removal of a nuisance, the expenses thereby incurred shall be paid by the owner or occupier of the land or building; but if it be found that no nuisance exists or but for such opening would have arisen, the ground or portion of any building, drain, or other work, if any, opened, injured or removed for the purpose of such inspection shall be filled in, reinstated and made good by the Cantonment Authority.
- (3) No building other than a latrine, urinal or privy, shall be entered under this section until six hours' notice in writing has been given to the occupier of the building by the Cantonment Authority or by the person authorised by the Cantonment Authority to make the entry.
- 238-B. The Cantonment Authority may authorise any person, after giving twenty-four hours' notice to the occupier, or, if there be no occupier, to the owner of any building or land, at any time between sunrise and sunset, to enter into any building or on any land, for the purpose of inspecting or repairing gas, water, telephonic, electric or other installations and for taking readings of meters connected therewith.

**No. 2055.**—In pursuance of section 26-A. of the Cantonment Code, 1912, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Cantonment Provident Fund Rules, 1917, namely :—

After rule 6 of the said rules the following rules shall be inserted, namely :—

“6-A (1) When the pecuniary circumstances of a subscriber are such that the indulgence is absolutely necessary, a temporary advance not ordinarily exceeding three months' pay may be allowed from the sum at his credit at the discretion of the Cantonment Authority.

(2) The following are cited as examples of occasions on which the grant of advances may be considered provided the circumstances are exceptional :—

- (a) To pay expenses incurred in connection with the illness of a subscriber or a member of his family.
- (b) To pay for the passage of any member of a subscriber's family coming from beyond the sea to join him, or requiring to make a journey beyond the sea.
- (c) To pay expenses in connection with marriages, funerals or ceremonies which by the religion of the subscriber it is incumbent upon him to perform and in connection with which it is obligatory that expenditure should be incurred.

**NOTE.**—Advances, though not confined rigidly to the objects laid down in clauses (a) to (c) above, will be made with due regard to the principle expressed in clause (1) of this rule as illustrated by the foregoing examples.

The order sanctioning the advance should state the specific purpose for which the advance is granted. Where, however, this is of a confidential nature, it may be communicated to the audit officer personally and confidentially.

(3) When one or more advances have already been granted to a subscriber, a subsequent advance shall not be granted to him except for strong reasons to be recorded in writing by the Cantonment authority until at least twelve months have elapsed since the complete re-payment of the last advance taken.

6-B. (1) Advances will be recovered at the discretion of the Cantonment authority, in not less than twelve instalments or more than twenty-four. A subscriber may, however, at his option make repayment in less than 12 instalments or may repay two or more instalments at the same time.

(2) In determining the advance to be sanctioned, due regard should be paid to the amount of subscriptions lying to the credit of the applicant. The amount of the advance should be a sum expressed in whole rupees and ordinarily, the monthly instalments should also be in whole rupees, the advance applied for being raised or reduced, if necessary, to enable instalments to be thus fixed.

(3) Recoveries will be made monthly, commencing from the first payment of a full month's salary after the advance is granted, but no recovery will be made from a subscriber while he is on leave of any kind.

(4) When two or more advances are made, each advance should be treated separately, and the monthly deduction of not less than one twenty-fourth of each advance should be made until that advance is cleared.

(5) The instalments will be paid by compulsory deductions from salary, and will be in addition to the usual subscription.

6-C. When an advance is repaid, as regards principal, in not less than twelve instalments, a 13th instalment, representing interest, and equivalent to 3 per cent. of the amount of the advance, should be paid in the month following that in which the last instalment is paid. Similarly, an additional instalment equivalent to 6 per cent. of the total amount of the advance should be paid when the advance is repaid in more than 12 instalments. In calculating the <sup>3 per cent.</sup><sub>6 per cent.</sub> instalment as above, a fraction of a rupee should be taken at the next higher whole rupee, if it exceeds eight annas, and should be ignored, if it does not.

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## INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

### APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS

#### *Chota Nagpur Light Horse.*

**No. 2056.**—Captain Frederick Dundas Whiffin resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.*

**No. 2057.**—Second-Lieutenant John Williamson resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Southern Provinces Mounted Rifles.*

**No. 2058.**—Lieutenant Francis Loftus Cowley-Brown resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Second-Lieutenant Robert William Davies resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2059.**—Lieutenant Alexander Selfe Marsh resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Moulmein Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2060.**—Major Dennis O'Sullivan, V. D., resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Captain John James Alexander Shaw resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Agra Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2061.**—Lieutenant Frank Alexander Cooper resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2062.**—Lieutenant Stephen Baintyn Stephens resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Malabar Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2063.**—Captain Albert George Bradley, (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Lieutenant Thomas Clapton, (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Lieutenant Walter James Swan, (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Second-Lieutenant Basil Ivor Morgan, (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Bombay University Infantry.*

**No. 2064.**—The undermentioned gentleman is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval:

Harold George Dalway Turnbull. Dated the 1st November 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

**MARINE DEPARTMENT.**

*Delhi, the 30th November 1917.*

**APPOINTMENTS.**

**No. 74.**—The following appointment is made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 11th October 1917:—

*To be temporary Lieutenant.*

Rupert Burrington.

**No. 75.**—The services of Commander T. H. H. Hand, Royal Indian Marine, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay for employment as Port Officer, Aden, *sub-pro tem*, vice Lieutenant-Commander C. A. Scott, D. S. O., Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 30th October 1917.

**LONDON GAZETTE.**

**No. 76.**—The following extract is published for general information:—

*Second Supplement dated the 21st September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 21st September 1917, pages 9819, 9822 and 9823.*

*Admiralty,  
21st September, 1917.*

The following despatch has been received from Vice-Admiral Sir Rosslyn E. Wemyss, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O., late Commander-in-Chief, East Indies Station, covering a report by Captain Wilfrid Nunn, C.M.G., D.S.O., R.N., on the operations of H. M. Gunboats in Mesopotamia from December, 1916, to March, 1917:—

*7th May, 1917.*

SIR,—

Be pleased to submit to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty the enclosed report on the recent operations in Mesopotamia rendered to me by Captain Wilfrid Nunn, C.M.G., D.S.O., R.N.

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I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,  
R. E. Wemyss,  
Vice-Admiral,  
Commander-in-Chief.

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I have the honour to submit the following for special mention, promotion, honours or awards :—

*Officers.*

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*H. M. S. "Proserpine."*

Lieutenant Cecil G. Hallett, R.I.M.

Has given me most valuable help throughout the campaign, and has carried out the gunnery duties for the Squadron. His experience, particularly of spotting the enemy gun positions, is of great value, and he has frequently done this under fire.

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The following are recommended for good services at the base, which contributed largely to the successful operations :—

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Lieutenant A. H. B. Gray, R.I.M., H.M.S. "Dalhousie."

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(Sgd.) W. NUNN,

Captain and S. N. O., Mesopotamia.

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*Admiralty,*

*21st September, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order and for the award of the Distinguished Service Cross to the undermentioned officers in recognition of their services as mentioned in the foregoing despatch :—

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*To receive the Distinguished Service Cross*

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Lieutenant Cecil G. Hallett, R.I.M.

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### JUDICIAL.

**No. 77.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Impressment of Vessels Ordinance, 1914, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the first column of the schedule annexed to Marine Department Notification No. 73, dated the 18th August 1914, as amended by Marine Department Notifications Nos 77, 30, 40, 16, 36, 50, 55, 15, 26, 55 and 61, dated the 1st September 1914, the 10th September 1915, the 10th December 1915, the 5th May 1916, the 25th August 1916, the 24th November 1916, the 15th December 1916, the 23rd March 1917, the 15th June 1917, the 31st August 1917 and the 21st September 1917, respectively :—

*For* " Lieutenant-Commander C. A. Scott, D. S. O., R. I. M., Port Officer, *sub. pro tem* " *substitute* " Commander T. H. H. Hand, R. I. M., Port Officer, *sub. pro tem* . "

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

### INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

.. *Delhi, the 26th November 1917.*

**No. E.-36.**—Lieutenant I. F. Oliver, R.E., Inland Water Transport, is posted temporarily as Assistant Controller (Munitions), Calcutta, with effect from the 24th October 1917.

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**No. E.-78.**—Mr. C. A. Williams, Assistant Signal Engineer, North Western Railway, is appointed Assistant Controller (Munitions), Calcutta, with effect from the 22nd October 1917.

*The 28th November 1917.*

**No. E.-124.**—Mr. W. C. Shaller is appointed Personal Assistant to the Controller of Munitions, Bombay Circle, with effect from the 1st June 1917.

*The 30th November 1917.*

**No. H.-1805-286.**—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 1247-W., dated the 16th February 1917, namely :—

For the words "Mr. A. C. McWatters, I.C.S., Wheat Commissioner in India,"  
substitute "Mr. A. C. McWatters, I.C.S., Controller (Hides and Wool)."

T. RYAN,  
*Secretary, Indian Munitions Board*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 29th November 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

1. There was no rain except in the south of the Peninsula and at a few stations in Burma.

2. *Burma*.—Rain fell at Kyaukpyu, Akyab, Lashio and Bhamo.

*Northeast India, including Orissa*.—Cox's Bazar had a light fall of rain.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces*.—

*Northwest India*.—

} Weather was dry.

*The Peninsula*.—Rainfall was nearly general in Malabar on the 24th, 25th and 26th, and in southeast Madras on the 24th and 26th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November 22nd Kyaukpyu 1·60".

„ 23rd Bhamo 1·44", Negapatam 2·95" and Madras 1·94".

„ 24th Negapatam 2·00", Tinnevely 2·67" and Trivandrum 1·52".

„ 25th Pamban 3·40", Negapatam 2·84" and Kodaikanal 1·22".

„ 26th Negapatam 3·15" and Cuddalore 1·95".

„ 27th Kodaikanal 1·06", Negapatam 3·50" and Cuddalore 1·15".

„ 28th Negapatam 1·05".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in Upper Burma, Mysore, Malabar, and Madras Southeast, and was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Lower Burma, Assam, Orissa, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad South, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent or more in excess in Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Gujrat, Central India, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. In the remaining divisions rainfall is within 20 per cent of the normal.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 29TH NOVEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 4TH MAY TO 29TH NOVEMBER 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	0.3	2.3	-2.0	88.7	104.5	-15.8	-15	-14
Lower Burma . . . . .	0.1	0.3	-0.2	139.7	140.3	-0.6	0	0
Upper Burma . . . . .	0.4	0.2	+0.2	44.9	42.6	+2.3	+5	+5
Assam . . . . .	0	0.3	-0.3	51.1	75.8	+5.3	+7	+7
Bengal . . . . .	0	0	0	74.8	68.8	+6.0	+9	+9
Orissa . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	69.1	58.3	+10.8	+19	+19
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	0	0	0	69.0	49.2	+19.8	+40	+40
Bihar . . . . .	0	0	0	52.8	49.0	+3.2	+6	+6
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0	0	48.0	39.0	+9.0	+23	+23
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0	0	48.8	39.0	+9.8	+25	+25
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0	0	0	41.2	21.1	+20.1	+96	+95
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0	0	23.1	7.9	+15.2	+192	+192
Kashmir . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	10.8	8.6	+2.2	+26	+27
N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	8.6	5.9	+2.7	+46	+48
Baluchistan . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	5.9	2.4	+3.5	+146	+157
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	8.0	4.7	+3.3	+70	+70
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0	0	0	37.0	11.3	+25.7	+227	+227
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0	0	51.8	22.9	+28.9	+126	+126
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0	0	44.0	23.1	+20.9	+56	+58
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	55.7	29.9	+25.8	+86	+87
Central India, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	55.6	41.8	+13.8	+38	+33
Berar . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	28.8	31.6	-2.8	-9	-9
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	54.7	45.2	+9.5	+21	+21
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	60.3	48.1	+12.2	+25	+26
Konkan . . . . .	0	0	0	113.9	96.9	+17.0	+18	+18
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0	0	0	30.4	27.3	+3.1	+11	+11
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0	0	45.2	33.0	+12.2	+37	+37
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	36.7	30.1	+6.6	+22	+22
Mysore . . . . .	0.3	0.2	+0.1	28.3	27.8	+1.0	+4	+3
Malabar . . . . .	1.7	0.6	+1.1	95.4	97.7	-2.3	-2	-4
Madras, South-East . . . . .	3.7	1.7	+2.0	29.2	29.6	-0.4	-1	-9
Madras Deccan . . . . .	0	0.4	-0.4	29.2	24.4	+4.8	+20	+22
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	0.5	0.7	-0.2	52.9	35.3	+17.6	+50	+51

GILBERT T. WALKER,  
Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 29th November 1917.

R. A. MANT,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

# Season and Crop Prospects for week ending Saturday, 24th November 1917.

**Burma.**—Light to moderate rain was general throughout the Province except in eight districts. In three districts the fall exceeded 3 inches and in two 2 inches. In Lower Burma reaping of early paddy is in progress. In Upper Burma cultivation of miscellaneous island and winter crops is proceeding. Gathering of groundnuts continues. Plucking of cotton has been completed in two districts. Standing crops are generally satisfactory. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon has risen to Rs. 88 per hundred baskets but is still considerably below normal. The market for white rice is steady at Rs. 195 for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather was seasonable and favourable for standing crops. Plucking and manufacture of tea, sowing of mustard and harvesting of winter rice are in progress. Pressing of sugarcane has commenced. Prospects of tea, sugarcane, winter rice and cotton good. The standing crops were damaged slightly by insect pests in one district and by cattle disease in two. Price of common rice has fallen slightly.

**Bengal.**—No rain fell during the week excepting some light showers in parts of the Chittagong division. Sowing of spring crops and reaping of winter paddy continue. The outturn of the latter crop is generally reported to be good. Cattle disease prevails in three districts only. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 2 4 per cent. below that of the preceding week.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—There was no rain during the week. Harvesting of paddy is going on. Sowing of spring crops continues in some districts. The price of common rice is showing a downward tendency. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from several districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

**United Provinces.**—No rain fell during the week. Sowing of spring crops and poppy, harvesting of autumn crops and pressing of sugarcane and picking of cotton continue and in certain places are nearing completion. Standing crops and agricultural stock are in good condition. Prospects are favourable. Little cattle disease is reported. Prices are stationary with a tendency to rise slightly.

**Punjab.**—The weather was dry. Standing autumn crops are average to good in the west and below average to average elsewhere. Sugarcane is doing well. Picking of cotton and harvesting of millets continue. The yield of cotton is generally below normal and that of other crops is below normal to normal. Pressing of sugarcane has commenced in a few districts. Wheat, barley and other spring crops are being sown. The area sown is normal or good. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are rising and range generally between warning and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat :—Ferozepur 8, Rawalpir 11 and Lyallpur 8½, Ambala 8½ and Lahore 9 seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—The week was rainless and rain is needed for spring sowings which are in progress. Harvesting of autumn crops is proceeding. The outturn is average. Prices of wheat :—Peshawar 8½ and Dera Ismail Khan 9½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 seers and maize from 16 to 25 seers per rupee. Condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in Akhnur tehsil. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—No rain fell during the week. Spring sowings are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are high.

**Rajputana.**—The weather was cool. Spring sowings continue. Autumn prospects are poor. Agricultural stock is in fair condition. Prices are rising slightly.

**Central India.**—The rainfall during the week was general in Bhopal, *nil* elsewhere but sufficient throughout. The weather was clear and cool. Autumn crops are being harvested in Gwalior. Spring crops are being sown everywhere. Standing crops are unsatisfactory in Gwalior and fair elsewhere. Probable autumn outturn is eight annas in Gwalior and fair elsewhere, though damaged by rain in Bhopal. Agricultural stock is generally good. Pasturage is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal and are steady elsewhere.

**Central Provinces.**—The week was rainless. The weather was cool and clear. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops and picking of cotton were in full swing. Sowing of spring crops is in progress or is nearing completion. Germination so far is satisfactory. Condition of standing crops is generally good. There is no deficiency of fodder or water anywhere. Cattle are healthy. Prices of food grains remained stationary or fluctuated slightly.

**Feudatory States.**—Reaping of autumn crops and sowing of spring crops continue. Prospects are favourable.

**Bombay.**—Rain fell during the week in Konkan, Deccan, Karnatak, Savantvadi and Kolhapur. Standing crops are generally good but have been damaged slightly by excessive rain in parts of Karnatak and Sholapur. Autumn harvesting continues. Spring sowing is generally progressing. Cotton picking continues in Thar and Parhar, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Kathiawar. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Prices of food grains are steady.

**Hyderabad.**—The average rainfall was 50 cents. Autumn crops are being harvested. They have suffered from excessive rain. Early rice crop is being harvested, and is in fair good condition but has been damaged by blight in parts of Medak, Nalgonda and Karimnagar districts. Spring crops are good and are being sown. Cattle disease is reported from fourteen talukas. Prices of grains are constant. Coarse rice sells at 7½ and white *juar* at 10 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. Highest price of *juar* in districts is 6 seers per rupee in Parbhani and Bidar and the lowest 20 seers per rupee in Raichur.

**Mysore.**—The rainfall was good in Shimoga, Hassan, Kadur, Chitaldroog, Tumkur and fair elsewhere. Price of *ragi* has risen in Tumkur and fallen in Shimoga. Markets are well supplied. *Ragi* and paddy are being harvested. The outturn is fair. Standing crops are good. Prospects are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—Rainfall one inch five cents. Rice crop is in good condition, ears are forming. Picking of coffee and cardamoms continues. Prices of food grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

**Madras.**—The rainfall was heavy in Tanjore and the Nilgiris, good in Vizagapatam Carnatic, Chittoor, Salem, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly and the South except the West Coast of Tanjore, fair in Sandur, North Arcot and light, or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally but have been affected by floods or heavy rains in parts of two districts and are withering in part of another. Harvests of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. Water supply is sufficient except in parts of Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot, Coimbatore and the South except Tanjore. Pasture is sufficient except in Tinnevely and in parts of Kistna. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

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Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.  
PLAGUE.

*Delhi, the 29th November 1917.*

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 24th November 1917 is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	DELHI	...	...	...
	Northern	Bombay City . . . . .	19	14
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	568	525
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	490	306
		Kaira District . . . . .	362	234
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	71	70
		Surat District . . . . .	69	40
		Broach Port . . . . .	4	2
		Broach District . . . . .	173	106
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	7	6
		Thana District . . . . .	6	5
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	273	198
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	420	256
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	360	288
		Poona Town . . . . .	54	34
		Poona District . . . . .	158	126
		Nasik District . . . . .	983	732
		Satara District . . . . .	2,156	1,607
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	28	15
		Sholapur District . . . . .	143	100
	Southern	Kolaba District . . . . .	1	1
		Vengurla Port . . . . .	1	1
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	1	...
		Belgaum District . . . . .	103	53
		Dharwar District . . . . .	354	241
		Bijapur District . . . . .	445	298
	Political Charges.	Baroda State . . . . .	321	264
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	22	18
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	93	75
		Mahuva Port . . . . .	11	10
		Kathdwar Agency . . . . .	294	255
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	385	300
		Mahi Kantha Agency . . . . .	94	74
		Akalot State . . . . .	47	26
		Bhor State . . . . .	3	3
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	44	32
		Satara Agency . . . . .	107	74
...	Surat Agency . . . . .	3	1	
TOTAL			8,726	6,403

In the return for the week ending 17th November 1917, the following additions and corrections should be made:—  
 Panoh Mahals District, add 29 cases, 27 deaths.  
 Kanara District, add 8 cases, 4 deaths.  
 Hyderabad City, add 39 cases, 28 deaths.  
 Sukkur District, add 26 cases, 14 deaths.  
 Shikarpur City, add 3 cases, nil death.  
 Cutch State, add 11 cases, 8 deaths.  
 Mundia Port, add 1 case, 1 death.  
 Khairpur State, add 1 case, nil death.  
 Thana District, add nil case, 1 death.  
 East Khandesh District, read 169 deaths for 124 deaths.  
 Satara District, read 724 deaths for 760 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.		Anantapur District . . . . .	181 (a)	124 (b)
		North Arcot District . . . . .	10	9
		Bellary District . . . . .	928 (c)	810 (d)
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	96 (a)	64 (a)
		Kurnool District . . . . .	10 (b)	8
		Malabar District . . . . .	6	4
		Nilgiris District . . . . .	1	...
		Nellore District . . . . .	...	1 (b)
		Salem Town . . . . .	23	19
		Salem District . . . . .	41	21
		Vizagapatam Port . . . . .	2	2
		TOTAL	1,804	1,057
		.....	...	...
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.		Patna District . . . . .	72	68
		Gaya Town . . . . .	6	6
		Gaya District . . . . .	27	12
		Shahabad District . . . . .	87	64
		Saran District . . . . .	84	56
		Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	10	10
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	16	17
		Darbhanga District . . . . .	16	17
		Bhagalpur Town . . . . .	2	1
		Bhagalpur District . . . . .	14	9
		Monghyr District . . . . .	82	40
		Ranchi . . . . .	6	6
		TOTAL	422	306
BIRAR AND ORISSA.		Muzaffarnagar District . . . . .	2	2
		Aligarh City . . . . .	32	11
		Agra District . . . . .	1	1
		Mainpuri District . . . . .	25	18
		Farrukhabad City . . . . .	8	8
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	9	9
		Etawah District . . . . .	11	11
		Cawnpore City . . . . .	4	4
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	28	28
		Fatehpur District . . . . .	19	15
		Allahabad City . . . . .	15	15
		Allahabad District . . . . .	91	91
		Jhansi . . . . .	15	15
UNITED PROVINCES.		Jhansi District . . . . .	15	15
		Benares City . . . . .	8	7
		Benares District . . . . .	37	15
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	180	128
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	59	55
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	98	93
		Ballia District . . . . .	17	17
		Gorakhpur City . . . . .	2	...
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	65	70
		Basti District . . . . .	66	41
		Azamgarh District . . . . .	282	195
		Lucknow City . . . . .	3	4
		Lucknow District . . . . .	26	28
		Unao District . . . . .	198	128
		Meerut District . . . . .	47	36
		Sitapur District . . . . .	13	13
		Hardoi District . . . . .	22	14
		Fyzabad District . . . . .	13	12
		Gonda District . . . . .	77	47
		Sultanpur District . . . . .	23	18
		Partabgarh District . . . . .	44	26
		Bara Banki District . . . . .	55	43
		TOTAL	1,597	1,234

(a) Two imported. (b) One imported. (c) Five imported. (d) Four imported.  
In the return for the week ending 17th November 1917, add Azamgarh District 108 cases, 97 deaths.



Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District . . . . .	11	...
	Jullundur	Jullundur District . . . . .	38	28
	Lahore	Lahore City . . . . .	57	30
		Lahore District . . . . .	57	47
		Amritsar City . . . . .	1	1
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	19	5
		Gujranwala District . . . . .	7	4
	Rawalpindi.	Gujrat District . . . . .	8	4
		Jhelum District . . . . .	6	5
		Rawalpindi District . . . . .	195	147
		Attock District . . . . .	8	3
	Multan	Montgomery District . . . . .	3	1
	Native States.	Patiala State . . . . .	28	28
		TOTAL	438	303
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town . . . . .	9	9
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	4	3
		Prome District . . . . .	2	2
	Magwe	Minbu District . . . . .	13	12
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	48	47
		Mandalay District . . . . .	1	1
	Sagaing	Sagaing District . . . . .	5	1
	Meiktila	Meiktila District . . . . .	12	9
		TOTAL	94	84
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	27	18
		Nagpur District . . . . .	47	30
		Bhandara District . . . . .	41	24
		Wardha District . . . . .	69	61
		Charda District . . . . .	3	3
		Balaghat District . . . . .	4	2
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	2	2
		Jubbulpore Cantonment . . . . .	2	...
		Jubbulpore District . . . . .	137	100
		Saugor Cantonment . . . . .	15	12
		Saugor District . . . . .	71	60
		Damoh District . . . . .	15	4
		Seoni District . . . . .	99	77
		Mandla District . . . . .	4	3
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District . . . . .	38	25
		Nimar District . . . . .	12	12
		Narsinghpur District . . . . .	163	108
		Chindwara District . . . . .	21	11
	Chhatia-garh.	Raipur District . . . . .	8	7
		Bilaspur District . . . . .	25	13
		Amraoti District . . . . .	166	126
	Berar	Yectmal District . . . . .	53	30
		Akola District . . . . .	234	154
		Buldana District . . . . .	56	37
		TOTAL	1,312	919

In the return for the week ending 17th November 1917, add Kapurthala State, 13 cases, 3 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
ASSAM	...	...	...	...
COORG	...	...	...	...
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	23	20
		Bangalore City	6	4
		Bangalore District	75	57
		Mysore City	1	...
		Mysore District	45	33
		Hassan District	28	10
		Kadur District	32	8
		Shimoga District	36	25
		Chitaldroog District	47	44
		Tumkur District	66	45
		Kolar District	103	77
TOTAL			442	324 (a)
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Aurangabad District	60	57
		Bir District	39	29
		Parbhani District	15	16
		Nander District	27	17
		Gulbarga District	4	5
		Raichur District	219	218
		Usmanabad District	597	562
		Bidar District	80	70
		Medak District	95	87
		Nizamabad District	52	83
		Malibundnagar District	2	1
		Warangal District	3	3
TOTAL			1,242 (a)	1,149 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	79	63
		Indore State	157	127
		Indore Residency Bazaras	5	...
		Mhow Cantonment	73	8
		Neemuch Cantonment	6	5
		Sehore Cantonment	2	2
		Bhopal State	122	99
		Dewas State	2	3
		Dhar State	17	12
		Rutlam City	14	11
		Bewa State	13	5
		Jaora State	18	11
		TOTAL		
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer City	148	112
		Ajmer District	280	214
		Alwar State	181	152
		Jaipur City	107	105
		Jaipur State	308	293
		Dharatpur State	14	12
		Partabgarh State	1	1
		Kishangarh State	4	7
		Mewar State	511	391
		Kotah State	1	...
		Tonk State	33	20
		Marwar State	523	482
		Kushalgarh State	...	2
		Sirohi State	4	3
		Shahpura State	81	14
		Bikaner State	1	1
Deoli State	3	1		
TOTAL			2,150	1,780
N.-W. P. PROVINCE	...	...	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	17	16
TOTAL			17	16
BALUCHISTAN.	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			18,282	13,926

In the return for the week ending 17th November 1917, against Gulbarga District read 7 cases for 9 cases.

In the return for the week ending 17th November 1917, add Sibi, 1 case imported.

(a) From the 12th to the 18th November 1917.

(b) For the week ending 17th November 1917.

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Secretary to the Government of India.

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**Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian  
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### GAZETTE OF INDIA.

#### NOTICE.

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## PATENTS and DESIGNS.

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### CORRIGENDUM.

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1912—495 (Greenstreet).

1912—496 (Greenstreet).

### APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

#### November 19.

3411. J. G. Wakefield. *Improvements in gaiters.*

#### November 20.

3412. A. Shaw. *Improvements in brake truss beams for all types of railway rolling stock and the like.*

3413. K. K. Gokhale. *Improvements in Nagari and Gujarati printing types.*

3414. J. M. Shanker, Kissen Lall and Pyare Lall. *Improvements in padlocks.*

#### November 22.

3415. D. Cardew. *Improvements in or relating to vacuum brake apparatus for railway and like vehicles.*

### APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

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Any one desiring a copy posted to an address in British India should send to the Patent Office the sum of annas eight by money order on which the number of the application should be stated on the coupon at the foot of the order.

3113. Hari Shanker. *Lens lifting forceps for surgical use.*

3359. W. Marriott. *Improvements in or relating to reinforcements for reinforced concrete constructions.*

3360. General Electric Co. *Improvements in and relating to bearings.*

3361. Aktiebolaget Carlit. *Method of manufacturing ammonium perchlorates.*

3363. C. Deguide. *Process for the production of barium hydrate.*

3366. R. C. Sayer. *Improvements in treadle propelled vehicles.*

3367. D. M. Edwards. *Combined electric plug and switch.*

3369. E. C. Molony and F. C. Koenig. *Improved trough burner for liquid fuels.*

3372. C. C. O'Brien. *Improvements in office envelopes.*

3374. F. Isaki and The Japan Cash Register Manufacturing Co., Ltd. *Improvements in automatic machine indicating the sum of receipts and disbursement of cash.*

3376. B. Conklin. *Improvements relating to rotary engines, pumps, compressors and the like.*

3377. T. W. Hicks. *A method and machine for preparing seed beds.*

3378. Vacuum Brake Co., Ltd., and G. Mitchell. *Improvements in or applicable to brake-cylinder piston-rods.*

3379. G. Clough and S. Catlow. *Improvements in and relating to shuttles of looms for weaving.*

**PRINTED SPECIFICATION PUBLISHED.**

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

3218. A. E. Stroud. *Improvements in and relating to vertical looms.*

**SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.**

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2920. Flicker.

2963. Bredee.

3020. Alexander.

3083. Wheatcroft.

3086. Chettiar.

3132. Simmons.

3151. Dutt and Dutt.

3152. Dutt and Dutt.

3153. Dixon.

3154. Larymore.

3157. Buller-Millikin Co.

3158. Rydberg.

3166. Engol.

3174. Molony and Koenig.

3176. Kenward.

3177. Rand.

**PATENTS SEALED.**

3003. Lassen and Hjort.

3004. Lassen and Hjort.

3096. Fazal Karim.

3112. Lobell.

3135. Cary and Stephen.

**RENEWAL FEES PAID.**

182 of 1908. Sheffield & anr. (To 24 November 1919.)

186 of 1908. Fraser & ors. (To 24 November 1918.)

472 of 1910. Freymuth. (To 24 November 1918.)

495 of 1912. Greenstreet. (To 10 September 1918.)

496 of 1912. Greenstreet (To 10 September 1918.)

604 of 1912. Southey. (To 21 November 1918.)

605 of 1912. Westinghouse Brake Co., Ltd. (To 21 November 1918.)

606 of 1912. Societe Anonyme Pour L'Exploitation Des Procèdes Westinghouse Leblanc & anr. (To 21 November 1918.)

608 of 1912. Societe Generale Des Nitrures. (To 21 November 1918.)

614 of 1912. Kershaw & ors. (To 23 November 1918.)

617 of 1912. Fennell. (To 25 November 1918.)

620 of 1912. Walker. (To 25 November 1918.)

622 of 1912. Taylor & anr. (To 25 November 1918.)

623 of 1912. Byrne. (To 25 November 1918.)

624 of 1912. Byrne. (To 25 November 1918.)

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INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.

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Calcutta, the 26th November 1917.  
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TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.				COIN AND BULLION.				SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE)				REMARKS.			
In Reserve Treasuries.		Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	In India.		In England.		In His Majesty's Dominions.		In Transit between India, England and the Dominions.			Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12				
Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	
1,19,30,500	34,18,90,150	35,38,20,650	8,25,70,014	5,60,78,312	36,55,151	1,42,51,000	...	62,90,853	25,20,000	...	9,99,99,946	51,47,92,037	81,21,55,553	(a) Nominal value—Rs 10,20,81,500.	
...	3,07,50,050	3,07,50,050	2,29,60,960	53,83,102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,76,44,062	(b) Nominal value—Rs 53,04,36,371.	
...	7,09,31,030	7,09,31,030	87,75,935	20,94,540	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,08,70,465	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Act XIX of 1917 at a cost of Rs 2 crores.	
42,36,490	47,46,27,945	47,90,63,835	8,05,62,410	1,38,10,860	15,05,916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,56,78,686		
...	3,87,07,280	3,87,07,280	70,68,270	26,38,328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97,06,598		
28,53,470	11,46,67,785	11,75,21,265	3,52,37,631	53,21,874	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,04,59,705		
...	5,68,43,560	5,68,43,560	2,39,59,726	48,65,820	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,83,25,546		
1,90,20,460	1,19,86,17,210	1,14,76,37,670	56,04,35,170	24,18,02,356	51,61,067	1,42,51,000	...	62,90,853	25,20,000	...	9,99,99,946	51,47,92,037	1,14,53,40,915		
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue															
														13,55,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R													1,14,39,55,915		

Deduct—Amount due on T. Ts drawn by one Circle on another

There was no transfer between the Paper Currency Reserve and the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd November 1917.  
There was no gold in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve on the 22nd November 1917.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,  
Controller of Currency.

# STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 16TH NOVEMBER TO 22ND NOVEMBER 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.																		
NAME OF MINTS.	RECEIPTS		COINAGE		BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.					COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.		SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS GOVERNMENT.						
	Pur- chased silver	Withdrawn, and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	TOTAL.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States	TOTAL.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion	Other Govern- ment Bullion.	With- drawn and un- current coins.	TOTAL.	Receipt of Bullion for transfer- red from currency balance.	Pia- tres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bul- lion.	Receipt of Subsi- diary coin coined for subsidiary and paid over.	Closing balance.	
Calcutta . . . . .	19	...	...	19	10	..	10	1	62	1	3	41	...	...	...	...	...	
Bombay . . . . .	21	7	...	28	20	...	20	...	62	2	7	71	1	1	...	1	1	..

(a) Exclusive of 23 of purchased silver brought in the Mint premises but not yet received.

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HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;  
Calcutta, the 27th November 1917.

A. MCCORMICK, Lt.-COLONEL, R.E.,  
Master of the Mint.

## BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th November 1917.

PARTICULARS	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					4 PER CENT.			INDIAN WAR LOAN.			GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1942-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.	
Balance of 31st October 1917	27,92,700	93,82,700	4,14,16,800	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,500	7,38,17,500	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	...	2,300	7,71,19,000
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 17th October 1917.	3,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,900
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th September	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,500	...	1,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th November 1917	...	41,600	5,900	3,000	700	1,700	52,900	...	...	...	...	...	52,900
Total	28,03,600	94,24,300	4,14,22,700	1,45,83,700	64,41,500	19,98,200	7,38,70,400	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	1,500	2,300	7,71,77,600
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	11,600	29,900	11,400	...	...	52,900	...	2,000	...	...	...	54,900
Balance on 15th November 1917	28,03,600	94,12,700	4,13,92,800	1,45,72,300	64,41,500	19,98,200	7,38,17,500	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,500	2,300	7,71,92,700

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Sep. 1917 Enfaced from India 12,410 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,990 lakhs

16th Sep. 1917	30th "	ditto	ditto
1st Oct. "	15th Oct "	ditto	ditto
16th "	31st "	ditto	ditto
1st Nov. "	15th Nov. "	ditto	ditto
		1	1
		12. 95	12. 95
		1	1

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,  
BANK OF BENGAL;  
Calcutta, 21st November 1917.

N. H. Y. WARREN,  
Secretary and Treasurer.



**BANK OF BENGAL.**

**Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 27th November 1917.**

<b>LIABILITIES.</b>			<b>ASSETS.</b>		
	<b>Rs.</b>	<b>A. P.</b>		<b>Rs.</b>	<b>A. P.</b>
Capital paid up . . . . .	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government Securities . . . . .	6,29,49,785	0 0
Reserve Fund <b>Rs.</b> <b>A. P.</b> 2,17,50,000 0 0			Other authorized Investments . . . . .	1,32,36,640	0 0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, see below . . . . .	67,50,000 0 0		Loans on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	5,19,57,643	11 4
	1,50,00,000	0 0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	4,88,07,277	4 2
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments . . . . .	67,50,000	0 0	Bills discounted and purchased . . . . .	2,87,24,821	12 4
Public Deposits at Head Office } Public Deposits at Branches }	1,67,56,704 1,28,80,107	12 10 10 2	Balances with other Banks . . . . .	55,88,910	8 0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . . . .	31,17,16,862	15 10	Bullion . . . . .	.....	
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . . .	16,93,496	15 0	Dead stock . . . . .	28,94,583	12 8
Sundries . . . . .	12,30,715	10 0	Stamps . . . . .	11,080	12 1
			Sundries . . . . .	3,73,814	4 2
<b>RUPREES</b>	<b>38,06,37,387</b>	<b>15 10</b>	<b>Rs.</b> <b>A. P.</b>	<b>21,15,14,557</b>	<b>0 9</b>
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* . . . . .	11,43,31,255	9 8
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† . . . . .	5,71,58,575	5 5
			<b>RUPREES</b>	<b>38,60,37,387</b>	<b>15 10</b>
			* Includes Sova & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,78,217 8 0		
			† Do do do. „ 6,08,737 8 0		
			<b>Rs. 9,86,985 0 0</b>		

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, }  
 Calcutta, 29th November 1917. }

H. MITCHELL,  
Chief Accountant.  
Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.  
Percentage 49 81.

**N. H. Y. WARREN,**  
Secretary & Treasurer.

**THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in--

- (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.  
(b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD,  
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

**CURRENCY NOTES.**

The following Currency Notes of the Bombay Circle are stated to have been destroyed and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers; any other person claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

**NOTES WHOLLY DESTROYED.**

Register No	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
D/6 of 1917-18 . . .	MB/90-39916 .	R 100	Rai Sahib Kundan Lal Dube, Record-keeper, Home Depart- ment, Government of India, Simla.
	NB/91-63424 .	100	
	MB/92-79967 .	100	

**CYRIL E. GWYTHER,**

Assistant Accountant General,  
In Charge Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY OFFICE,  
Bombay, 22nd November 1917.

The following Currency Note of the Lahore Circle is stated to have been destroyed and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number; any other person claiming a right to it, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

**NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.**

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of claimant.
D/7 of 1917-18 . . .	EC/86-94304 .	R 10	Mr. N. P. Patel, Proprietor of the firm of Messrs. Dinshaw Cowasjee and Co., Steamer's Point, Aden.

**RANG BEHARI LAL,**

Currency Officer.

PAPER CURRENCY OFFICE,  
Lahore, the 23rd November 1917.

**IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.****NOTIFICATION.**

Camp Indore, the 24th November 1917.

**No. 444-C.**—Mr. P. R. Ganguly, Assistant Electrician, is appointed to act as Engineer, Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, with effect from the 12th October 1917, *vice* Mr S. E. Andrews, whose services have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Railway Board.

**J. MacKENNA,**

Agricultural Adviser to the Govt. of India.

**CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELPH**

**NOTIFICATION:**

Delhi, the 22nd November 1917.

**No. 9798-Home.**—The following returns of births and deaths in the Delhi Province for the month of October, 1917, are published for information :—

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**No. 9818-C. & L.**—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

**Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th November 1917.**

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.		Amount per Rupee		ITEMS.		Amount per Rupee.	
		Srs.	Chhs.			Srs.	Chhs.
Wheat, white		8	12	Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)		12	0
Barley		12	8	Maize		13	4
Rice	{ Best sort	3	0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (D&I)		11	0
	{ Common sort	6	0	Firewood		37	8
Jowar (Andropogon sorghum)		13	0	Salt { Wholesale		...	
Bajra (Pennisetum typhodeum)		12	0	{ Retail (Decrease is due to non- importation of S.F.)		8	11
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)		..		Gut		6	0
Kangni (Setaria Italica)		...		Cotton (unginned)		3	12
				Bajhar		12	0

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 15th November 1917.  
(*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82, LBS OR 40 SEER OF 80 LBS EACH

ITEMS.	Whole sale price in Rupees	ITEMS	Whole sale price in Rupees
	Rs A P		Rs A P
Rice, unhusked . . . . .	.	Cotton seed . . . . .	3 10 6
„ husked . . . . .	6 4 0	Ghi . . . . .	63 0 0
Wheat, white . . . . .	4 7 0	Flour (Wheat) . . . . .	5 4 0
Barley . . . . .	3 1 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry) . . . . .	8 0 0
Oats . . . . .	...	Turmeric (unground) . . . . .	20 8 0
Jowar . . . . .	3 0 0	Salt Sunchar (Increase is due to non- importation of salt)	4 6 6
Bajra . . . . .	3 3 0	Raw Hides (Cow) . . . . .	90 0 0
Maize . . . . .	2 15 0	Bran . . . . .	1 10 0
Gram . . . . .	3 3 0	Grass (dry) . . . . .	1 4 0
Athai Dál . . . . .	3 8 0	Bhusa (white) . . . . .	1 10 0
Linseed . . . . .	6 0 0	Jowar Stalks . . . . .	1 8 6
Rapeseed (Sarshaf) . . . . .	5 4 0	Bengal Coal . . . . .	0 12 0
Poppy-seed . . . . .	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand) Victoria brand	2 9 3
Til (jinjili seed) . . . . .	6 4 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair . . . . .	250 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur . . . . .	6 8 0	Sheep, per score . . . . .	80 0 0
Cotton (cleaned) . . . . .	30 8 0	Bejhar . . . . .	3 3 0

Delhi, the 23rd November 1917.

**No. 9835-Home.**—In anticipation of his services being placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, Molvi Barkat Ali Khan assumed charge of his duties as Subordinate Judge, 2nd class, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 15th November 1917.

**No. 9837-Home.**—Under the provisions of Section 28(1) of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to invest Molvi Barkat Ali Khan with powers of a Subordinate Judge of the 2nd class with respect to cases generally within the limits of the Civil district of Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 15th November 1917.

2. The Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that Molvi Barkat Ali Khan shall be deemed for the purposes of the said Act, to be a Subordinate Judge.

**No. 9849-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 17th November 1917 is published for information :—

1	3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17						
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.						Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.			
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.			Males.	Females.	Total.
	Delhi .	225,471	127	117	244	79	98	177	.	..	...	74	6	76		21	...	32	34	66	56.27	40.82
	Notified Area	3,073	2	1	3	1	2	3	..	..	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	43.47	42.47
	Total .	229,144	129	118	247	80	100	180	...	..	...	76	6	77	...	21	...	32	34	66	56.05	40.84

**No. 9852-C & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (1 of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in his Notification No. 3184-C. & I., dated the 11th May 1914, with effect from the 1st April 1918 :—

*Amendment.*

In clause (5) *substitute* 'three tolas' for 'five tolas'.

**No. 9853-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 58 (2) (d) of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (1 of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment, with effect from the 1st April 1918, in the charas rules published with his Notification No. 1739-C. & I., dated 6th March 1917 :—

*Amendment.*

In rules 6, 9 and 10 *substitute* 'three tolas' for 'five tolas'.

**No. 9854-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 59(f) of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (1 of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment, with effect from the 1st April 1918, in the charas rules published with his Notification No. 1742-C. & I., dated the 6th March 1917 :—

*Amendment.*

In rule 6 *substitute* 'three tolas' for 'five tolas'.

**No. 9855-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 59(a) of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (1 of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment, with effect from 1st April 1918, in the conditions on the form of license for the retail vend of charas (form II-27) published with his Notification No. 1949-C. & I., dated 14th March 1917 :—

*Amendment.*

In condition 8 *substitute* 'three tolas' for 'five tolas'.

Delhi, the 24th November 1917.

**No. 9865-Home.**—Mr. W. Beatty relinquished charge of the office of Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th November 1917.

**No. 9867-Home.**—The services of Mr. W. Beatty, Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, for re-employment in the Punjab with effect from the 10th November 1917.

**No. 9876-Home.**—It is hereby notified that the holidays to be observed in public offices under the Chief Commissioner of Delhi Province during the year 1918, which are specified in the schedule hereto annexed, are public holidays within the meaning of section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI, 1881. These holidays should be given to all Government servants subject to the single condition that it should be open to the head of an office to stop a holiday notified under the Act, in the case of any individual guilty of idleness or inattention to duty, unless the day in question is deemed specially sacred by the member of the religion which the offender professes.

2. In addition to the holidays specified in the schedule, all Government offices will be closed from Saturday, the 28th, to Monday, the 30th December 1918.

3. This notification does not apply to holidays to be observed in Civil Courts.

#### SCHEDULE.

List of holidays for public offices during the year 1918.

Names of holidays.	Date on which they fall.	Day or days of the week.	No. of days.	REMARKS.
<i>General holidays.</i>				
All Sundays . . . . .	.....	.....	52	
Proclamation Day . . . . .	1st January . . . . .	Tuesday . . . . .	1	
King-Emperor's Birth Day* . . . . .	.....	.....	1	
<i>Christian holidays.</i>				
Easter Holidays . . . . .	29th, 30th March and 1st April.	Friday, Saturday and Monday.	3	(4 days including Sunday).
Christmas Vacation . . . . .	24th—27th and 31st December.	Tuesday to Friday and Tuesday.	5	
<i>Hindu holidays.</i>				
Basant Panchmi . . . . .	15th February . . . . .	Friday . . . . .	1	
Sheoratri . . . . .	11th March . . . . .	Monday . . . . .	1	
Holi and Dulandhi . . . . .	27th and 28th March	Wednesday and Thursday.	2	
Baisakhi . . . . .	13th April . . . . .	Saturday . . . . .	1	
Bolono . . . . .	22nd August . . . . .	Thursday . . . . .	1	
Janam Ashtmi . . . . .	29th August . . . . .	Do. . . . .	1	
Dussehra . . . . .	11th—14th October . . . . .	Friday to Monday . . . . .	4	
Liwali . . . . .	2nd November . . . . .	Saturday . . . . .	1	
<i>Mohammulans.</i>				
Shabi barat . . . . .	25th May . . . . .	Saturday . . . . .	1	
Id-ul-Fitr . . . . .	10th or 11th July . . . . .	Wednesday or Thursday.	1	Subject to the appearance of the moon.
Id-ul-Zuha . . . . .	16th or 17th September.	Monday or Tuesday . . . . .	1	Ditto.
Muharram . . . . .	14th, 15th and 16th October.	Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.	3	Ditto.
Bara Wafat . . . . .	17th December . . . . .	Tuesday . . . . .	1	

\* The day fixed for the celebration of the King-Emperor's Birth Day will be notified separately hereafter.

Delhi, the 26th November 1917.

**No. 9899-Home.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1), of the Indian Press Act, I of 1910, the Chief Commissioner hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies wherever found of a leaflet in Urdu headed "Some words of instructions for Muhammadans and Hindus" containing words which have a tendency to bring into hatred and contempt the Government established by law in British India.

Delhi, the 27th November 1917.

**No. 9933-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-sections 4 and 5, of the Indian Factories Act, 1911 (XII of 1911), the Chief Commissioner is pleased to declare that the District Magistrate of Delhi as an Inspector of Factories shall exercise all powers of an Inspector under the Act, within the limits of the Province of Delhi, and that he shall be the Inspector to whom the notices, etc., prescribed under the Act, shall be sent.

Notification No. 314 C. & I., dated 14th January 1914, is hereby cancelled.

**No. 9934-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section (4) of the Indian Factories Act, 1911 (XII of 1911), the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint the Additional District Magistrate, every Assistant Commissioner and the Chief Medical Officer, Delhi, to be *ex-officio* additional Inspectors of Factories for all the purposes of the Act within the limits of the Province of Delhi.

Notification No. 315 C. & I., dated 14th January 1914, is hereby cancelled.

**No. 9956-Home.**—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending the 15th November 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months	Total in present half month.	Deaths registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females	Total.	
P. S. Alipur . . . . .	54	72	...	1	...	45	2	22	...	..	2	...	15	6	21	
Nangloi . . . . .	61	70	..	...	...	41	1	26	...	...	2	1	11	14	25	
Najafgarh . . . . .	50	81	...	...	...	52	2	27	...	..	...	...	11	13	24	
Subsimundi . . . . .	6	3	...	..	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	1	
Paharganj . . . . .	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	
Mehrauli . . . . .	66	64	...	1	...	30	1	27	...	...	5	...	11	11	22	
Raisina . . . . .	6	4	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	..	...	1	..	1	
Shahdara . . . . .	16	25	...	...	...	15	2	7	...	...	1	...	5	7	12	
New Cantonment . . . . .	21	29	...	...	...	17	1	11	...	...	...	...	4	2	6	
Total of the District .	281	348	...	2	...	206	9	121	...	...	10	1	59	53	112	

W. M. HAILEY,

Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

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**ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

**Abu, the 20th November 1917.**

**No. 2243.**—The following finance statements of the Central (Co-operative) Banks in Ajmer-Merwara for the quarter ending the 30th September 1917, are published for information :—

ABU, the 20th November 1917.

CENTRAL BANKS.

**CENTRAL BANKS.**

## QUARTERLY FINANCE STATEMENTS:

## PART I.

## Liabilities and Quasi-Liabilities.

## Assets and Quasi-Assets.

Name of Bank	OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.						WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.							OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.								WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.											
	Deposits, fixed current or saving bank by non-members or capacity	Overdrafts from outside banks, e.g., Presidency or Joint Stock	(Other items)	Fixed deposits or loans received from Provincial or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Liquid portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favor of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, e.g., cash credit, accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies	To cover deposit, t.n.	For loan t.n.	Cash in hand and in outside	Government paper.	Post office savings bank deposits	(Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.)	With Treasury or Mount Street Bank.	With Provincial Bank	Undrawn balance of secured cash credit.	Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to Non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to Provincial Bank by the Provincial Banks	Loans and deposits due to Provincial Bank or other Central Banks	Unqualified share capital.	Guaranteed share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Borrowed.	Loant.	RATES OF INTEREST ON WHICH MONEY IS USUALLY ...	Last dividend declared.	REMARKS.	
1																																	
Ajmer Central Bank Limited.	5,70,000						20,000	1,00,000	3,574			7,000	61,123	19,677							5,12,551		6,750			88,407	18,665	% 52 92 6% 10%	% 940	% 12			
Nasirabad Co-operative Bank Limited	40,571						7,000	16,750					122								56,775					1,768	1,706	6	% 940	% 9			
Pasangan Co-operative Bank, Limited.	70,000							3,955					972								10,231					550	719	6, 7 and 74	% 10	% 12			
Kokri Central Bank, Limited.	10,172							4,975					411								15,938					71	888	6, 74	% 9 and 10.	% 10			
TOTAL ARMER DISTRICT.	687,126						21,300	1,24,000	3,574		7,000		65,156	19,677							6,38,281		6,750			85,856	21,998	...	...	...	...		
Bawar Central Bank, Limited.	281,049							9,524	1,00,000				12,160	3,000	3,022						3,10,046					5,191	10,337	6, 6, 74, 8	% 10	% 12			
TOTAL BAWAR DISTRICT.	281,049							9,524	1,00,000				12,160	3,000	3,022						3,10,046					5,191	10,337	...	...	...	...		



## CENTRAL BANKS.

## PART II.

Name of Bank.	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I.						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	Other deposits and debentures falling due.				Estimated.		Actual in 12 months preceding present quarter.
			In twelve months from commence- ment of present quarter.	In next 12 months.	In 12 months follow- ing.	In sub- sequent years.	In twelve months from commence- ment of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ajmer Central Bank, Limited	...	..	5,36,738	2,377	...	40,850	4,75,000	50,000	3,94,227
Nasirabad Co-operative Bank, Limited.	...	...	20,401	8,910	11,263	..	26,000	30,775	46,480
Pisangan Co-operative Bank, Limited.	...	...	6,000	700	315	...	13,000	3,234	13,485
Kekri Central Bank, Limited	..	..	8,060	2,000	112	.	10,000	5,933	12,604
Total Ajmer District	..	.	5,71,199	13,987	11,699	40,850	5,24,000	89,917	4,66,796
Beawar Central Bank, Limited	...	.	94,362	33,909	1,02,773	..	1,00,000	95,000	1,30,205
Total Beawar District	.	..	94,362	33,909	1,02,773	..	1,00,000	95,000	1,30,205
GRAND TOTAL	..	...	6,65,561	47,896	1,14,468	40,850	6,24,000	1,84,917	5,97,001

NOTE TO PART II.—When deposits are taken on a certain term of notice —  
if the notice required is for not more than 3 months they should be shown under column 3,  
if the notice is for not more than a year they should be shown under column 4,  
if the notice is for a year, should be shown under column 5, and  
if for longer periods under columns 6 and 7

## PART III.

Name of Bank.	PORTION OF DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I FALLING DUE IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (4TH COLUMN OF PART II).				REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES ESTIMATED IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCE- MENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (COLUMN 8 OF PART II).			
	I Quarter.	II Quarter.	III Quarter.	IV Quarter.	I Quarter.	II Quarter.	III Quarter.	IV Quarter.
Ajmer Central Bank, Limited	1,24,478	98,029	1,20,081	1,94,150	25,000	1,75,000	2,00,000	75,000
Nasirabad Co-operative Bank, Limited.	2,896	7,900	2,055	8,450	14,000	2,000	10,000	..
Pisangan Co-operative Bank, Limited.	700	4,700	100	500	2,000	3,000	7,000	1,000
Kekri Central Bank, Limited	3,060	5,000	...	..	1,000	5,000	1,000	.
Total Ajmer District	1,31,134	1,14,729	1,22,236	2,03,100	45,000	1,85,000	2,18,000	76,000
Beawar Central Bank, Limited.	30,120	26,481	13,534	21,225	5,000	10,000	15,000	70,000
Total Merwara District	30,120	26,481	13,534	21,225	5,000	10,000	15,000	70,000
GRAND TOTAL	1,61,254	1,41,210	1,35,769	2,24,325	50,000	1,95,000	2,33,000	1,46,000

GOPI NATH,

Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge Co-operative Credit Work, Ajmer-Merwara

By order.

T. B. RUSSELL,

for First Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent, Rajputana,  
and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara

Rajputana Agency Camp, the 25th November 1917.

**No. 1383-C-A-1.**—In accordance with the provisions of section 25 of the Ajmer Municipalities Regulation, V of 1886, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to notify the appointment of Seth Tikamchand as an elected member of the Municipal Committee of Ajmer with effect from the 19th November 1917, *vice* Rai Bahadur Seth Nemichand, deceased.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL  
IN BALUCHISTAN.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Quetta, the 23rd November 1917.

**No. 686-J.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, clause 3, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Major T. G. M. Harris, I.A., Assistant Political Agent, Bolan Pass and Nushki Railway district, to be an Additional Sessions Judge of the Bolan Pass and Nushki Railway Sessions Division, and under section 193 (2) of the same Code to authorise him to try all classes of Sessions cases occurring in the said Sessions Division.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND  
CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Quetta, the 21st November 1917.

**No. 3432.**—The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Pashtu language by the Higher Standard at an Examination held at Quetta on the 19th November 1917:—

1. 2nd-Lieutenant A. F. Reilly, Zhob Militia.
2. Mr. J. C. Acheson, I.C.S.
3. Captain G. B. Walker, M.C., Second Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan.
4. Major J. B. Dalzell Hunter, I.M.S.
5. Captain P. B. Bharucha, D.S.O., I.M.S.
6. Lieutenant N. A. Qurai-hi, I.M.S.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX-TRENCH,

First Assistant.

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**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.**  
**Insolvency Jurisdiction.**

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**CASE No. 150 OF 1916.**

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of A. Siromoney of No. 65, Thompson Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. Siromoney an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of November 1917.

**CASE No. 94 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 15th November 1917.

In the matter of Gulam Rabbani, Fruit Merchant of No. 102, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Gulam Rabbani an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 12th day of November 1917.

**CASE No. 102 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 7th November 1917.

In the matter of K. Gowriah *alias* Jesudass of No. 99, 39th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said K. Gowriah *alias* Jesudass an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 6th day of November 1917.

**CASE No. 124 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 5th November 1917.

In the matter of Simeon George Jacob of No. 125, Kandawglay, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Simeon George Jacob an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 2nd day of November 1917.

**CASE No. 196 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of J. B. C. Jackson, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by J. B. C. Jackson of No. 1, North Bazaar Road, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said J. B. C. Jackson.

**CASE No. 197 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of C. J. Shaik Mahomed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by C. J. Shaik Mahomed, Trader of No. 110, Montgomery Street, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said C. J. Shaik Mahomed.

**CASE No. 198 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of Seena Muthu Nadar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Seena Muthu Nadar, cooly of No. 260, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Seena Muthu Nadar.

## CASE No. 199 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of Ana Karpana Nadar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ana Karpana Nadar, cooly of No. 255, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ana Karpana Nadar.

## CASE No. 200 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th November 1917.

In the matter of Shaik Hussain, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shaik Hussain of No. 50, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 6th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Hussain.

## CASE No. 201 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th November 1917.

In the matter of S. K. Chandra Shaha, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by S. K. Chandra Shaha, Money Lender of No. 31, Ahlone Road, Rangoon, on the 7th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said S. K. Chandra Shaha.

## CASE No. 202 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th November 1917.

In the matter of Syed Moideen, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Syed Moideen, Clerk, No. 8, 108th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Syed Moideen.

## CASE No. 203 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th November 1917.

In the matter of Meerna Appanna, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Meerna Appanna, Tindal of Boat No. 455, Rangoon, on the 8th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma, on the same day against the said Meerna Appanna.

## CASE No. 204 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th November 1917.

In the matter of Meerna Nookana, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Meerna Nookana, Tindal of Boat No. 455, Rangoon, on the 8th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Meerna Nookana.

## CASE No. 205 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 9th November 1917.

In the matter of Thomurathu Gurriah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Thomurathu Gurriah, Cooly Maistry, of No. 2, Clark Street, Rangoon, on the 8th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Thomurathu Gurriah.

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CASE No. 207 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1917.

In the matter of Radhay Singh, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Radhay Singh, Peon in the office of the Director of Public Instruction, Burma, on the 12th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Radhay Singh.

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CASE No. 208 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1917.

In the matter of Nakka Dashiah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Nakka Dashiah, Rice Cakes Seller, of No. 25, 18th Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Nakka Dashiah.

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CASE No. 209 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Essa, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Essa, Merchant, of No. 14, 28th Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Essa.

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CASE No. 108 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of Neelagiri Sree Pathay, No. 47, 40th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Neelagiri Sree Pathay, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 20th day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 125 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 19th November 1917.

In the matter of M. Abdool Rahiman, Painter, of No. 47, 38th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said M. Abdool Rahiman, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 17th day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 210 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 16th November 1917.

In the matter of John Disney, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by John Disney, Reporter, of No. 22, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said John Disney.

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CASE No. 212 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1917.

In the matter of Robert Alfred Brown, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Robert Alfred Brown, Travelling Ticket Examiner, Burma Railways, Rangoon, on the 16th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Robert Alfred Brown.

## CASE No. 213 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of Maung Nyein, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Nyein, Paddy Broker and Trader, of No. 51, 29th Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Nyein.

## CASE No. 214 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of Kooposwamy Lutchmia, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 presented by Kooposwamy Lutchmia, clerk, of No. 284, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kooposwamy Lutchmia.

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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM  
IN BENGAL.  
In Insolvency.**

**Notice of Adjudication Order.**

No. 162 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th November 1917.

*Re* Sarat Chunder Roy, Jatindra Nath Roy and Akhoy Kumar Bose, all lately carrying on business under the name and firm of Sarat Chunder, Jatindra Nath Roy at No. 26-2, Prasanno Kumar Tagore's Street in the town of Calcutta and also at No. 212, Darmahatta Street in Calcutta aforesaid but now carrying on business at No. 89, Pathuriaghatta Street in Calcutta aforesaid.

*Ex parte* Kulada Prosad Dutt—A Creditor.

On the 18th day of October 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as Insolvents.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,  
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.  
In Insolvency.**

No. 131 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th November 1917.

*Re* Thakorelal Hirahil, Vakil, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at No. 37, Sandhurst Road, lately a Coal Broker and now unemployed, an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 4th day of March 1916 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 479 OF 1917.

Dated the 20th November 1917.

*Re* Estate and effects of Haji Abdula Haji Sumar Mithawala, late of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant, a Deceased Debtor.

*Ex parte* Jerup Teja and Co., the Petitioning Creditors.

Whereas an order has been this day made under Section 108 of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) to administer the estate and effects of the abovenamed Haji Abdula Haji Sumar Mithawala (deceased) in Insolvency. It is ordered that all the estate and effects of the Debtor do vest in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.
2—1916	Rekala Paji Ravechise Mistry	Hindu	Carnac Bridge . . . .	Lately a mistry in the employ of Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer's Department, and now unemployed.	6th	January	1916
5—1916	Ali Mahomed Abu Menon	Mahomedan	Bhisti Moholla . . . .	A commission agent . . . .	"	"	"
6—1916	Essack bin Amir Hindustani	"	Yacob Street, near J. J. Hospital	A painter in the employ of Khoja Husein Mohamed Hayat.	"	"	"
7—1916	Saikh Mahomed Saikh Adam	"	Babula Tank . . . .	A servant in the employ of the Bombay Municipal Fire Brigade at Babula Tank.	"	"	"
12—1916	Ganpat Govind Pedekar	Hindu	Gujri Bazar, Byculla . . . .	Lately a servant in the employ of Govind Vishram Pedekar, and now unemployed.	7th	"	"
15—1916	Abulhassein Mahomedali Dawoodi B-unah.	Mahomedan	Bhendi Bazar . . . . ;	A manager in the employ of Modhwarao Shivshankar.	8th	"	"
16—1916	Hannanantoo Yenkaya Bandooloo alias Ramloa Savana.	Hindu	Lower Patel . . . .	A jobber in the Century Mills . . . .	10th	"	"
17—1916	Ebrahim Ismail Memon	Mahomedan	Jackeria Masjid . . . .	Lately a dealer in cloth, and now unemployed	"	"	"
19—1916	Algooram Narayan Purdeshi	Hindu	Pelisle Road, Byculla . . . .	Lately a hawker of parched rice and grains, and now unemployed.	"	"	"
24—1916	Joachim Paul Pais	European	Modi Street, Fort . . . .	A salesman in Sutton & Co. . . .	11th	"	"
25—1916	Vital Narayan Mhatre	Hindu	Byculla, opposite G. I. P. Railway's Station.	A carpenter in the Khatas Makani's Mills at Byculla, Bombay.	"	"	"

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled—*confd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.
27—1916	Re Chimbhai Haribhai Sheth . . .	Hindu . . .	Crawford Market . . .	Lately a student, and now unemployed . . .	4th	January .	1916
29—1916	" Nansab Sirdar Mirza Amin Khan . . .	Mahomedan . . .	Pathmodia Street . . .	A passenger Superintendent, G. I. P. Railway . . .	12th	" .	"
33—1916	" Rawji Arjun Thacker . . .	Hindu . . .	Vadgady . . .	A country craft keeper, . . .	13th	" .	"
35—1916	" Abdulrehman Baldi <i>alias</i> Baboo Ramjan Momin . . .	Mahomedan . . .	Agripada . . .	A jobber in the Bradbury Mills . . .	15th	" .	"
37—1916	" Walter Joseph Hume . . .	Anglo-Indian . . .	Byculla . . .	A fireman in the G. I. P. Railway Company . . .	"	" .	"
41—1916	" Eugene Griffe <i>alias</i> G. Griffe . . .	Eurasian . . .	Jacob Circle . . .	A clerk in the employ of C. Macdonald & Co., Merchants . . .	17th	" .	"
43—1916	" Trivandas Tirmukhdas Sha . . .	Hindu . . .	Fanaswadi . . .	Lately a servant in the employ of Ghandi & Co. and now unemployed . . .	10th	" .	"
46—1916	" Dhunjibhai Sorabji Daruwala . . .	Parsi . . .	Lower Parel . . .	A turner in the B., B. & C. I. Railway . . .	20th	" .	"
49—1916	" Piraji Sayanna Telagu . . .	Hindu . . .	Apollo Bunder . . .	A washerman . . .	25th	" .	"
51—1916	" Bhikoo Bawoo Themre and Sakhoram Bhawoo Thomre . . .	" . . .	New Nagpada . . .	1st Insolvent a plumber in the employ of Messrs. Alcock Ashdown & Co., and 2nd Insolvent a weaver in the Khatao Makanji Mills, Ltd. . . .	22nd	" .	"
54—1916	" Meghji Champsy Nagda . . .	" . . .	Mandoo, Shak Gully . . .	Lately carrying on business in partnership with Laoji Jamji Nagda under the name of Meghji Chamisy Nagda & Co. as a Proprietor of the Cutch Natak Samaj, and now unemployed . . .	24th	" .	"
55—1916	" John Alexander French . . .	European . . .	Bellasis Road . . .	A fitter in the Government Dockyard, Bombay . . .	"	" .	"
57—1916	" Dhardke Vithoba Moraj and his wife Kashibai . . .	Hindu . . .	Jacob Circle . . .	1st Insolvent a clerk in the employ of the David Mills, and 2nd Insolvent unemployed . . .	"	" .	"
60—1916	" Hidayatullah bin Noormahomed Haji . . .	Mahomedan . . .	Madanpura . . .	A weaver in the India Mills . . .	26th	" .	"



62—1916	" Sadoo Krishna Thakore . . . . .	Hindu . . . . .	Mogghhat Lane . . . . .	A hawker in toddy . . . . .	26th . . . . .	" . . . . .
65—1916	" Savanna Newaji Asar . . . . .	" . . . . .	Grant Road . . . . .	Latelv a servant in the employ of the Century Washing and Co., and now unemployed.	27th . . . . .	" . . . . .
66—1916	" Sylvers D'Mello . . . . .	Anglo-Indian . . . . .	No. 16, Meadow Street, Fort . . . . .	A student . . . . .	" . . . . .	" . . . . .
69—1916	" Ballaram Mahadew Survey . . . . .	Hindu . . . . .	Babula Tank Road . . . . .	An electric wireman in the employ of Messrs. Jaising C. Company at Kaitadevi, Bombay.	28th . . . . .	" . . . . .
70—1916	" Babaji Dinkar Raw . . . . .	" . . . . .	Sewri . . . . .	Latelv a contractor and supplying stones, etc., in partnership with Mahomed Esmail, and now unemployed.	" . . . . .	" . . . . .
74—1916	" Bhima Mantri Nagpuri and Mankoo Mahadoo Nagpuri . . . . .	" . . . . .	Majegaon . . . . .	Latelv doing business in partnership as cart-drivers in the name of Bhima Mankoo, and now unemployed.	2nd February . . . . .	" . . . . .
76—1916	" Charles Gay . . . . .	Eurasian . . . . .	No. 15, Marine Lines, Ithobi Tolao . . . . .	A chauffeur in the Bombay Port Trust . . . . .	4th . . . . .	" . . . . .
78—1916	" Babli Babaji alias Bhagooji Panchal . . . . .	Hindu . . . . .	Ghorupdeo. Khojas Chawl . . . . .	A carpenter in the Western Mills . . . . .	8th . . . . .	" . . . . .
82—1916	" Ardesbir Pestonji Contractor . . . . .	Parsi . . . . .	New Fatas Road . . . . .	Formerly a printing contractor and now unemployed.	" . . . . .	" . . . . .
84—1916	" Norman Milford Desmier . . . . .	European . . . . .	Middle Colaba . . . . .	Preventive officer. H. T. M.'s Customs . . . . .	11th . . . . .	" . . . . .
87—1916	" John Topper . . . . .	" . . . . .	Ripon Road . . . . .	An acting assistant station master at Kalyan, G. I. P. Railway Company.	12th . . . . .	" . . . . .
89—1916	" Bapoolal Choonilal Sha . . . . .	Hindu . . . . .	Princess Street . . . . .	Latelv a broker in jewellery, and now unemployed	14th . . . . .	" . . . . .
101—1916	" James Claudius Saxby . . . . .	Anglo-Indian . . . . .	Opposite Colaba Station . . . . .	A guard in the B. B. and C. I. Railway . . . . .	18th . . . . .	" . . . . .
102—1916	" Dhendu Laxmanon Sakulkar . . . . .	Hindu . . . . .	New Nagpada . . . . .	A toddy-drawer . . . . .	" . . . . .	" . . . . .
111—1916	" Ganadaji Hormusji Lohar . . . . .	Parsi . . . . .	Bara Bazar Street, Fort . . . . .	Latelv a broker and speculator in Government Paper, Shares, etc., and now unemployed.	24th . . . . .	" . . . . .

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled—*concl.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address.	Description.	DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.
112-1916	Re Purshotum Keshiram Joshi	Hindu	Gaiwady	Lately a dealer in canvas in partnership with Bai Rattanbai, widow of Hemraj Gopal, under the name and firm of Madhavji Shivji, and now unemployed.	24th	February	1916
114-1916	" Sitaram Ramnath Gilda	"	Kalladevi	Lately a speculator in American Futures, and now unemployed.	25th	"	"
115-1916	Ramkishon Ramnath Gilda	"	"	Lately a speculator in American Futures and now a Mehta in the employ of Nandram Moolchand.	"	"	"
116-1916	" Khatao Raghowji Thacker	"	Parel Road	Lately a dealer in grocery, etc., in partnership with Keshowji Raghowji under the name of Khatao Raghowji, and now unemployed.	"	"	"
120-1916	" Ali Meeyn Abamiya Syed	Mahomedan	Kolsa Mohalla, Pydhowni	Lately a petty dealer in charcoal, and now unemployed.	28th	"	"
121-1916	" Ebnalim Valad Bawa Jaitapkar	"	New Nagpada	Lately a servant in the employ of Oomers, Raisey, and now unemployed.	"	"	"
507-1915	" Naron Mevar Lohar	Hindu	Kamatipura 4th Lane	Lately a Blacksmith in the G. I. P. Railway Company, and now unemployed.	5th	August	1915.
81-1916	" Chand Rehman Pathan	Mahomedan	No. 15, Sunti Molla	A fitter	10th	February	1916.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, BOMBAY; }  
 Bombay, this 20th day of November 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
 Chief Clerk

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
580—1917	Tubeji Nanoo Nabak .	Hindu .	Lower Mahim . .	J. J. J. in the employ of Trikamdas Mills, Ltd.	19th	November .	1917	19th	November .	1917
581—1917	Jaffer Rahimtula Khoja .	Mahomedan .	Worli . . . .	Lately dealer in dry fish and now unemployed	20th	"	"	20th	"	"
582—1917	Ghela Dewsy Sha . . . .	Hindu . . . .	Chowki Mulla . .	Formerly doing business in partnership with Moorji Karsy, Lalji Hanraj and Takarsy Arand as dealers in grain in the name of Ghela Dewsy & Co., and latterly in his own name and afterwards in partnership with Kanji Karsney, and Liladhar Lakhamsey in the name of Kanji Karsney & Co., and now servant in the employ of Keshowji Kamji.	"	"	"	"	"	"
583—1917	Niamat Sunac Shaik . .	Mahomedan .	Ghodurdeo . . . .	Lately bullock cart keeper and bullock-cart driver and now unemployed.	21st	"	"	21st	"	"
584—1917	Abdul Husein Mahomed Alli Dawadi Vora.	" . . . .	Nal Bazar, Doctor's Street .	Lately dealer in boots and shoes, etc., and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
586—1917	Jheena Jadhav Lohar . .	Hindu . . . .	Kumbharwada 3rd Lane .	Blacksmith . . . .	"	"	"	"	"	"
587—1917	Haribhai Nathabhai Patel . . . .	" . . . .	Manjvi, Khand Bazar . .	Lately hawker in embroidery, etc., and now unemployed.	"	"	"	22nd	"	"
588—1917	Hassam Sultan Dakhni . . . .	Mahomedan .	Carnac Bunder . . . .	Umbrella Repairer . . . .	"	"	"	21st	"	"

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
588—1917	Rajulal Chmullal Sha . . .	Hindu . . .	Girgaum Back Road . . .	Lately broker in Jewellery and now unemployed.	22nd	November .	1917	21st	November .	1917
589—1917	Sheriarji Cursetji Irani . . .	Parsi . . .	Lal-bag, Parel . . .	Lately Engine Driver in the Bombay Municipality and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
590—1917	B. Is Chand Momin, Mahomed Chand Momin, Lal Jamal Mulla and Esmail Jamal Mulla.	Mahomedan . . .	1st and 2nd Debtors at New Nagpada, Tadwadi, and the 3rd and 4th Debtors, at Neotias Lane Byculla.	Lately doing business in partnership as bullock-cart keepers and now unemployed.	"	"	"	23rd	"	"
591—1917	Naron Morar Lohar . . .	Hindu . . .	Kamatipara 9th Lane . . .	Formerly Blacksmith in the G. I. P. Railway lately on Field Service at Basra and now unemployed.	23rd	"	"	"	"	"
592—1917	Jeewan Jeena Surti . . .	" . . .	Lower Parel . . .	Formerly Fitter in the B. B. & C. I. Railway (Company at Parel (tanning shed) and lately on Field Service at Basra and now unemployed.	24th	"	"	24th	"	"
593—1917	Alghoram Narayan Pardeshi . . .	" . . .	Jacob Circle . . .	Lately hawker in parched rice and grains and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 26th day of November 1917. }

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk

## CHIEF COURT OF THE PUNJAB.

## NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 20th November 1917.

**No. 6182-G.**—The following list of general holidays to be observed in the Delhi Province during the year 1918 has been prepared by the Chief Court of the Punjab and approved by the Local Government as required by Section 47, Clause (i) of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, and Home Department Notification No. 1858, dated the 24th of September 1914 :—

*List of general holidays to be observed by the Civil Courts in the Delhi Province during the year 1918.*

Description of holidays.	Names of holidays.	Date on which they fall.	Number of days including Sundays	Day or days of the week
General . . . .	Proclamation Day .	1st January .	1	Tuesday.
Hindu . . . .	Basant Panchmi .	15th February .	1	Friday.
" . . . .	Sheoratri . . .	11th March .	1	Monday.
" . . . .	Holi . . . .	27th March .	1	Wednesday.
" . . . .	Dhulandi . . .	28th March .	1	Thursday.
Christian . . . .	Good Friday . .	29th March .	1	Friday.
" . . . .	Saturday before Easter.	30th March .	1	Saturday.
" . . . .	Easter Monday .	1st April . . .	1	Monday.
Hindu . . . .	Baisakhi . . .	13th April . .	1	Saturday.
" . . . .	Durga Ashtmi .	18th April . .	1	Thursday.
Muhammadian . . . .	Shab-i-barat . .	25th May . . .	1	Saturday.
Hindu . . . .	Nirjala Ikadshi .	20th June . . .	1	Thursday.
Muhammadian . . . .	Juma-ul-wida .	5th July . . .	1	Friday.
" . . . .	* Id-ul-Fitar . .	10th July . . .	1	Wednesday.
Hindu . . . .	Bias Puja . . .	23rd July . . .	1	Tuesday.
" . . . .	Solono . . . .	22nd August .	1	Thursday.
" . . . .	Janam Ashtmi .	29th August .	1	Thursday.
Muhammadian . . . .	* Id-ul-Zuha . .	16th September .	1	Monday.
Hindu . . . .	Anant Chaudas .	19th September .	1	Thursday.
" . . . .	Dussehra . . .	12th to 15th October	4	Saturday to Tuesday.
Muhammadian . . . .	* Muharram . .	13th to 16th October	4	Sunday to Wednesday.
Hindu . . . .	Diwali . . . .	2nd November .	1	Saturday.
" . . . .	Jam Dutia . . .	5th November .	1	Tuesday.
Muhammadian . . . .	Bara Wafat . . .	17th December .	1	Tuesday.
Christian . . . .	Christmas vacation .	24th to 31st December.	8	Tuesday to Tuesday.

\* Subject to the appearance of the moon.

**NOTES.**—Every Sunday in the year is a holiday.  
The last Saturday in every month is a holiday, provided the state of the business in the Courts admits.  
All Civil Courts will be closed during the month of September.  
The day fixed for the celebration of the King Emperor's birthday will be notified separately hereafter.

By order, etc.,  
J. A. FERGUSON,  
Registrar.

### REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Wing, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Rawalpindi, this 19th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—30040, Private, Mark Cohen.  
Age—22 years.  
Height—5 feet 5 inches.  
Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, black; eyes, black.  
Trade—Barber.  
Date of Enlistment—3rd October 1915.  
Place of Enlistment—Horsham.

Parish and County in which born—Manchester.  
Date of Desertion or absence—16th November 1917.  
Place of Desertion or absence—Rawalpindi.  
Marks—Jewish appearance. Slim build. False teeth. Walks quickly as a rule with a slight stoop. Very small head and features. Probably in the company of Private Teager who is also absent. Recently returned from Calcutta and may return there.  
Under three years' service.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Wing, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Rawalpindi, this 19th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—8786, Private, H. A. Teager.  
Age—29 years.  
Height—5 feet 10 inches.  
Colour of—Complexion, fair; hair, light brown; eyes, blue.  
Trade—Indoor Porter.  
Date of Enlistment—26th February 1907.

Place of Enlistment—London.  
Parish and County in which born—Pimlico, Middx.  
Date of Desertion or absence—16th November 1917.  
Place of Desertion or absence—Rawalpindi.  
Marks—Some false teeth. Slightly deaf. Talks with a slight lisp. Protuding chin. Slovenly appearance. Probably in the company of Pte. Cohen who is also absent.  
Under eleven years' service.

J. N. ALLAN, 2nd-Lieut.,  
A. Adjt. Wing, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Anglo-Indian Force Infantry, dated at Burhan, this 25th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—4245 A I. F., Lance-Corporal John Andeen.  
Age—36 years.  
Height—5 feet 5 inches.  
Colour of—Complexion, swarthy; hair, slightly brown; eyes, grey.  
Trade—Engineer.  
Date of Enlistment—31st July 1916.

Place of Enlistment—Colaba, Bombay.  
Date of Desertion or absence—Not known.  
Place of Desertion or absence—Burhan.  
Marks—Nil. Deserted while on furlough from Mesopotamia.  
Address—Andeen's Retreat, Mazagaon, Bombay.  
On Furlough.  
Under two years' service.

F. E. D. CAMPBELL, Captain, for Lieut.-Colonel,  
Commanding 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

### MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 28th November 1917.

**No. 299-G.-Camp.**—The 60 days' leave in India under the provisions of India Army Order 291 of 1917 granted to Lieutenant-Colonel (then Major) R. H. B. Anderson, Military Accountant, 2nd class, Military Accounts Department, in Notification No. 2211-G., dated the 14th August 1917, is converted into accumulated privilege leave for 71 days.

**No. 300-G.-Camp.**—Mr. J. Whitehead, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 7th (Meerut) Division, is granted privilege leave for two months on medical grounds, with effect from the 19th November 1917.

**No. 301-G.-Camp.**—Mr. Girish Chandra Chatterjee, Accountant, 1st grade (temporary and supernumerary), in the Office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 7th (Meerut) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 19th November 1917, during the absence of Mr. J. Whitehead, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), on privilege leave.

- **No. 302-G-Camp.**—Sheikh Taj Muhammad, M.A., M.Sc., an Officer of the Indian Finance Department, on deputation in the Office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 5th (Mhow) Division, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 23rd November 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,  
Military Accountant-General.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(POST OFFICE.)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 24th November 1917.

- **No. 2955s-Ap.**—Mr. Syed Akbar Hussain, Superintendent of post offices, 3rd grade, is granted an extension of privilege leave for one month with effect from the 9th November 1917.

The 26th November 1917.

- No. 2973s-Ap.**—Mr. Kaushal Kishore, clerk, office of the Inspector-General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Western Circle, is appointed sub. *pro tem.* Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, with effect from the 13th October 1917 and until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,  
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Delhi, the 22nd November 1917.

- No. 377-C-E-E.**—The following reversion in the upper subordinate establishment (Technical Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. C. Parthew . . . .	Deputy Superintendent, Technical, 2nd class, officiating.	Telegraph Master; Technical.	16th June 1917.

Simla, the  $\frac{24th}{26th}$  November 1917.

- No. 2911s-E-E.**—Mr. C. Landon, M.C., Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, has been granted special (field) leave for three months with effect from the 2nd July 1917, under Army Department letter No. 5832, dated 4th June 1915, combined with furlough on medical certificate for one month with effect from the 2nd October 1917, under Army Department letter No. H.-5529, dated the 26th June 1916.

The 24th November 1917.

- No. 2993s-E-E.**—Mr. M. S. Parkins, Inspecting Telegraphist, has been appointed as an officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, in the field (Mesopotamia, with effect from the 14th March 1917.

- No. 2995s-E-E.**—Mr. G. Morgan, Inspecting Telegraphist, has been appointed as an officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, in the field (Mesopotamia, with effect from the 14th March 1917.

**No. 2997-s.-E.-E.**—Mr. H. Pickering, Inspecting Telegraphist has been appointed as an officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, in the field (Mesopotamia) with effect from the 3rd September 1917.

**No. 2999-s.-E.-E.**—Mr. J. R. Fox, Inspecting Telegraphist has been appointed as an officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, in the field (Mesopotamia) with effect from the 4th to the 23rd May 1917, both days inclusive.

**No. 3001-s.-E.-E.**—Mr. J. R. Fox, Inspecting Telegraphist has been appointed as an officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, in the field (Mesopotamia) with effect from the 14th March 1917 to 14th April 1917, both days inclusive.

**No. 3003-s.-E.-E.**—Mr. J. R. Fox, Inspecting Telegraphist has been appointed as an officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, in the field (Mesopotamia) with effect from the 6th June 1917 to the 2nd September 1917, both days inclusive.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

### POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS. (TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

#### NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.

**No. 6203-T.**—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 15th November 1917 to 28th November 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Office.</i>			
Subhankhwar Camp	North-West Frontier	4th November 1917	Closed.
<i>Railway Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Barahat	East Indian Railway	20th October 1917	Closed.
Dhownee	East Indian Railway	20th October 1917	"
Jhadupudu	Bengal-Nagpur Railway	1st November 1917	Opened.
Mandar Hill	East Indian Railway	20th October 1917	Closed.
Matli	North-Western Railway	10th November 1917	"
Tando Mahammad Khan	North-Western Railway	26th November 1917	"
Tikaree	East Indian Railway	20th October 1917	"

W. SUTHERLAND,

Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

### CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

#### ERRATA.

In the list of candidates who passed the last Preliminary Examination in Law held in August, 1917, in the Second Division, published on page 652 of the Calcutta Gazette, dated the 10th October, 1917 :—

For—" Ray, Jaminikanta . . . . . Ripon Law College."  
Read—" Ray, Jamininath . . . . . Ripon Law College."

2. In the list of candidates, who passed the last Intermediate Examination in Law held in August, 1917, in the Second Division, published on page 635 of the Calcutta Gazette, dated the 10th October, 1917 :—

For—" Gupta, Taranath . . . . . University College."  
Read—" Gupta, Taraknath . . . . . University Law College."



3. In the list of candidates, who passed the last Final B. L. Examination held in August 1917, in the Second Division, published on page 641 of the Calcutta Gazette, dated the 10th October, 1917 :—

*For*—"Mohin Uddin Ahmed . . . . . Patna Law College."  
*Read*—"Mobin Uddin Ahmed . . . . . Patna Law College."

4. In the list of candidates, who passed the last Matriculation Examination in the First Division, published on pages 1916, 1944, 1961, 1973, 1992, 1993 and 2005 of India Gazette, dated the 20th October, 1917, and on pages 700, 728, 745, 757, 776, 777, and 789 of Calcutta Gazette, dated the 24th idem :—

*For*—"Abdul Khair . . . . . 18-11 Government Moslem High School, Chittagong."  
*Read*—"Abul Khair . . . . . 18-11 Government Moslem High School, Chittagong."  
*For*—"Das, Ramendrakumar . . . . . 16-3 Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta."  
*Read*—"Das, Ranendrakumar . . . . . 16-3 Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta."  
*For*—"Jamma Prasad Sinha . . . . . 17-2 Palamau Zila School."  
*Read*—"Jamuna Prasad Sinha . . . . . 17-2 Palamau Zila School."  
*For*—"Misra, Anadiprasad . . . . . 18-6 Bhagalpur Zila School."  
*Read*—"Misra, Anandi Prasad . . . . . 18-6 Bhagalpur Zila School."  
*For*—"Raychaudhuri, Jatindrachandra . . . . . 16-1 Rampur Zila School."  
*Read*—"Raychaudhuri, Jatindrachandra . . . . . 16-1 Rangpur Zila School."  
*For*—"S. A. Maiz . . . . . 24-4 Bettiah Raj H. E. School."  
*Read*—"S. A. Moiz . . . . . 24-4 Bettiah Raj H. E. School."  
*For*—"Syed Abdul Hasan . . . . . 16-2 M. A. A. School, Patna City."  
*Read*—"Syed Abul Hasan . . . . . 16-2 M. A. A. School, Patna City."  
*For*—"Syed Ali Zamad . . . . . 18-8 Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School."  
*Read*—"Syed Ali Jawad . . . . . 18-8 Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School."

5. In the list of candidates, who passed the last Matriculation Examination in the Second Division published on pages 2011, 2017, 2025, 2026, 2064 and 2077 of India Gazette, dated the 20th October, 1917, and on pages 795, 801, 809, 810, 848 and 861 of Calcutta Gazette, dated the 24th idem :—

*For*—"Badrinath Verma . . . . . 23-6 Bettiah Raj Madhepur Coronation H. E. School."  
*Read*—"Badrinath Verma . . . . . 23-6 Madhepur Coronation H. E. School."  
*For*—"Ba Thin . . . . . 21 Rangoon St. John's College."  
*Read*—"Ba Thein . . . . . 21 Rangoon St. John's College."  
*For*—"Chandra, Labanyakumar . . . . . 20-5 Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 68."  
*Read*—"Chandhuri, Labanyakumar . . . . . 20-5 Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 68."  
*For*—"Chattopadhyay, Satischandra . . . . . 18-11 Balur Ghat H. E. School."  
*Read*—"Chakye, Satischandra . . . . . 18-11 Balurghat H. E. School."  
*For*—"Rajeswari Prasad Varma . . . . . 17-1 Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School."  
*Read*—"Rajeshwari Prasad Varma . . . . . 17-1 Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School."  
*For*—"Sithanarain Srivastava . . . . . 17 B. N. Coll. School, Bankipur."  
*Read*—"Sitla Narain Srivastava . . . . . 17 B. N. Coll. School, Bankipur."

6. In the list of candidates, who passed the last Matriculation Examination in the Third Division, published on page 2082 of India Gazette, dated the 20th October, 1917, and on page 866 of Calcutta Gazette, dated the 24th idem :—

*For*—"Bandyopadhyay, Suprakas . . . . . 21 Brahmo Boys' High School."  
*Read*—"Bandyopadhyay, Suprakas . . . . . 21 Chakdaha Ramlal Academy."

7. In the list of successful M. A. candidates in Mental and Moral Philosophy, published on page 879 of the Calcutta Gazette, dated the 24th October, 1917, under the heading "Mental and Moral Philosophy, Second Class (In Order of Merit)" the following is to be inserted after "9. Ghosh, Ajitkumar.....Ditto", and to be bracketed with "10. Sen, Ramapada..... University Student":—

"Ghosh, Manmathanath . . . . . University Student."

The name of "Ghosh, Manmathanath, University Student." appearing on page 880 of the Calcutta Gazette of the 24th October, 1917, under the heading "Third Class, (In Order of merit)" is to be deleted from the list.

P. BRÜHL,

Registrar, Calcutta University.

SENATE HOUSE

The 28th November, 1916.

**OFFICE OF THE TEA COMMISSIONER FOR INDIA.****NOTICE.***Government Purchase of Tea for the United Kingdom.*

Notice is hereby given that the Food Controller in England proposes to purchase direct in India and Ceylon all tea required for consumption in the United Kingdom. The basis of payment is still under discussion, but it has been decided that each estate will be invited to tender to supply a proportion of its crops, the proportion being fixed on the basis of average production in the year, 1914, 1915 and 1916, with a special allowance in the case of new estates and of extensions of estates now coming into bearing. Statistics are, therefore, required by the undersigned showing, in respect of each estate in India which wishes to participate in the scheme, the crop manufactured in the years 1914, 1915 and 1916 and, in the case of newly opened out estates and of estates with new extensions coming into bearing, in addition, figures showing the actual crop manufactured in 1917 and the estimated crop in 1918. Information is also required as to the area under tea in full bearing, as well as of that under new tea which will come into full bearing in 1918.

In the case of tea estates situated in Bengal and Assam, these statistics are being collected by the Indian Tea Association. The Calcutta Agency Houses will furnish the information in respect of all estates in their Agencies, while that in respect of estates not represented in Calcutta will be obtained through the District Committees of its Assam and Surma Valley Branches and of the Duars and Darjeeling Planters Associations. In the case of tea estates situated in Madras, Bihar and Orissa, and the United Provinces, Local Governments have been asked to arrange for the collection of the statistics required. Those relating to the district of Kangra in the Punjab are being collected by the Deputy Commissioner of that district.

The statistics of outturn furnished by private concerns or concerns which do not publish regular accounts, as well as crop estimates of new extensions coming into bearing, will be verified by local Committees of tea planters appointed by local Associations where such exist.

It is essential that the above statistics should be furnished as soon as possible in order to enable the undersigned to work out the quantity of tea to be supplied by each estate. The above information must be submitted in accordance with the instructions contained in this notice not later than the 15th December 1917.

W. M. KENNEDY,—Lieut.-Col.,  
Tea Commissioner for India.

Block B-3, CIVIL BUILDINGS,  
Calcutta, the 26th November 1917.

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FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING OCTOBER, 1917.

REVIEW of the SEA-BORNE TRADE and NAVIGATION of BRITISH INDIA for the month of OCTOBER, 1917, and for the seven months ended October, 1917

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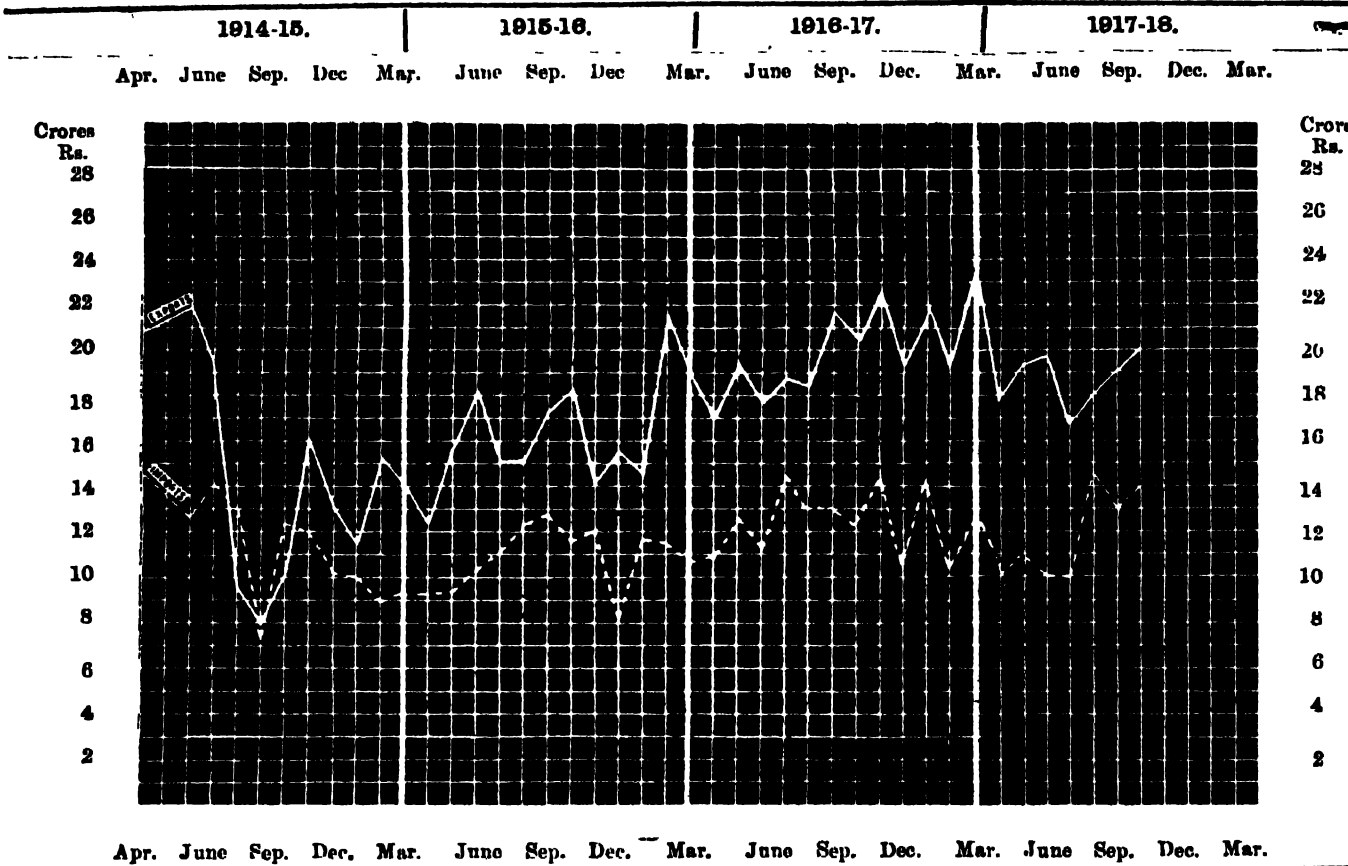
FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING OCTOBER, 1917.

The trade returns of British India for October, 1917, as compared with those of the preceding month, showed increases in total imports, exports, and re-exports. The total imports of merchandise were valued at R14 crores, the exports, including those of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance on Government account, at R19 crores, and the re-exports at nearly R67 lakhs. Imports increased by 8 per cent, exports by 2 per cent, and re-exports by 69 per cent. As compared with October, 1916, imports showed an increase of 14 per cent, while exports showed a decrease of 3 per cent and re-exports of 2 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to October, 1917, is appended below :—

MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO OCTOBER, 1917.

(Private Merchandise only)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R6,31 lakhs in September, 1917, and R5,83 lakhs in October, 1917. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during September and October, of the years 1915, 1916, and 1917, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods :—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)
September	13,86	17,33	13,05	21,72	12,91	19,22 (a)	4,47	8,67	6,31
October	11,55	18,22	12,28	20,47	14,01	19,84 (a)	6,78	8,19	5,83

(a) Include the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account

• *Comparisons with September, 1917.*—As compared with September, 1917, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (+R34 lakhs), mineral oil (+R23 lakhs), wood (timber) (+R28 lakhs), and cotton piecegoods, grey (+R32 lakhs), but *decreases* under silk, raw (—R16 lakhs), cotton mill machinery (—R12 lakhs), and cotton piecegoods, coloured, printed, ordyed (—R62 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under grain, pulse, and flour (+R74 lakhs), raw hides, (+R28 lakhs), raw jute (+R55 lakhs), raw wool (+R20 lakhs), rubber, raw (+R21 lakhs), cotton piecegoods (+R15 lakhs), and jute manufactures (+R19 lakhs), but *decreases* under raw skins (—R13 lakhs), castor seed (—R11 lakhs), linseed (—R11 lakhs), cotton, raw (—R2,35, lakhs), and opium (—R18 lakhs).

• *Comparisons with October, 1916.*—As compared with October, 1916, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under chemicals (+R18 lakhs), wood (timber) (+R25 lakhs), cotton piecegoods, grey (+R32 lakhs), white (+R85 lakhs), and coloured, printed, etc. (+R49 lakhs), and matches (+R11 lakhs), but *decreases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (—R26 lakhs), motor cars and motor cycles (—R13 lakhs), tea-chests (—R11 lakhs), kerosene oil (—R13 lakhs), and other kinds of mineral oil (—R20 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under grain, pulse, and flour (+R1,46 lakhs), lac (+R17 lakhs), raw hides (+R18 lakhs), raw wool (+R34 lakhs), rubber, raw (+R14 lakhs), jute manufactures (+R44 lakhs), and hides, tanned (+R39 lakhs), but *decreases* under raw skins (—R20 lakhs), groundnut seed (—R10 lakhs), linseed (—R39 lakhs), raw cotton (—R72 lakhs), raw jute (—R1,38 lakhs), skins, tanned (—R10 lakhs), cotton twist and yarn (—R42 lakhs), and cotton piecegoods (—R30 lakhs).

#### VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in October, 1916 and 1917, as compared with September 1916 and 1917, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows:—

	September 1916 R(lakhs)	October 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	September 1917 R(lakhs)	October 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
<b>IMPORTS</b>						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	2,52	2,93	+ 41	1,97	2,46	+ 49
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	1,04	85	—19	81	1,25	+ 44
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	9,35	8,36	—99	9,89	10,01	+ 12
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	14	14	...	24	29	+ 5
..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	13,05	12,28	—77	12,91	14,01	+ 1,10
	—	—	—	—	—	—

EXPORTS	September 1916	October 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—)	September 1917	October 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—)
	₹(lakhs)	₹(lakhs)	₹(lakhs)	₹(lakhs)	₹(lakhs)	₹(lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	5,92	6,88	+ 46	6,48	7,88	+ 1,45
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	8,00	7,45	—55	6,62	5,88	—1,29
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	6,82	5,73	—1,09	5,80	5,80	+ 20
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	18	22	+ 4	17	16	—1
Total	20,92	19,78	—1,14	18,82(a)	19,17(a)	+ 85

### COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (SEPTEMBER, 1917).†

#### I.—Imports.

##### AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF FOODSTUFFS.

Sugar.

The imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in October, 1917, increased by ₹49 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar 16 D. S. and above, in October, 1917, increased to 41,630 tons, valued at ₹1,40 lakhs from 31,323 tons, valued at ₹1,06 lakhs, in the preceding month (September, 1917). In the seven months ended October, 1917, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 196,595 tons, valued at ₹6,61 lakhs, as against 223,099 tons, valued at ₹7,32 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The imports of salt in October, 1917, amounted to 18,506 tons as against 26,623 tons in the preceding month.

Salt.

##### AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MINERAL OIL AND A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF RAW SILK.

Mineral oil.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in October, 1917, increased by ₹44 lakhs. The quantity of mineral oil imported in October, 1917, increased to nearly 7 million gallons, from over 2 million gallons, in the preceding month. The value of these imports was ₹35 lakhs, as against over ₹11 lakhs, in the preceding month. The quantity of kerosene oil imported increased to 1,087,786 gallons from 555,249 gallons. Imports of raw silk decreased to 97,937 lbs from 278,251 lbs in the preceding month.

Raw silk.

##### AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF COTTON PIECEGOODS.

Cotton goods.

The value of the imports of Manufactured articles increased by ₹12 lakhs. The imports of cotton piecegoods, including fents, in October, 1917, increased to 154 million yards, valued at ₹4,89 lakhs, from 146 million yards, valued at ₹4,70 lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods increased by 25 million yards to 58 million yards, but white goods decreased by nearly 8 million yards to 56 million yards, and coloured, printed, or dyed by 14 million yards to 37 million yards. In the seven months ended October, 1917, the total imports of cotton piecegoods amounted to 969 million yards, valued at ₹29 crores, as against 1,215 million yards, valued at nearly ₹27 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The imports of iron or steel sheets and plates decreased in October, 1917, to 3,427 tons, valued at ₹23 lakhs, from 5,205 tons, valued at ₹32 lakhs, in the preceding month.

Iron or steel sheets and plates.

(a) Include the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

† Comparison is made with the previous month and not with the corresponding month of last year, owing to the present abnormal circumstances brought about by the war.

**II.—Exports.****AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO.**

The exports of Food, drink, and tobacco increased in October, 1917, by <sup>Grain, pulse, and flour.</sup> R1,45 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The exports of grain, pulse, and flour showed an increase in October, 1917, and amounted to R5,36 lakhs, as against R4,62 lakhs in the preceding month. In the seven months ended October, 1917, the value of the exports amounted to over R32 crores, as against over R19 crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW COTTON AND AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW JUTE.**

The value of the exports of Raw materials decreased by R1,29 lakhs. <sup>Raw Cotton.</sup> The shipments of raw cotton decreased in October, 1917, to 18,616 tons, valued at R2,03 lakhs, from 38,070 tons, valued at R4,38 lakhs, in the preceding month. In the seven months ended October, 1917, the exports amounted to 210,476 tons, valued at R21,79 lakhs, as against 275,650 tons, valued at R20,49 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

The exports of raw jute in October, 1917, increased to 30,803 tons, valued <sup>Raw Jute.</sup> at R68 lakhs, from 5,567 tons, valued at R13 lakhs, in the preceding month. In the seven months ended October, 1917, the exports amounted to 112,639 tons, valued at R2,92 lakhs, as against 234,339 tons, valued at R6,95 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF JUTE MANUFACTURES.**

The value of the exports of manufactured articles increased by R20 lakhs. <sup>Jute manufactures.</sup> The exports of jute manufactures were valued in October, 1917, at R3,58 lakhs as against R3,69 lakhs in the preceding month. In the seven months ended October, 1917, the value of the exports amounted to nearly R21 crores, as against R25 crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**SEVEN MONTHS ENDED OCTOBER, 1917.**

The summary of the results for the seven months ended October, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915 and 1916, is as follows:—

	1915		1916		1917		ACTUAL NET EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise(private)	77,36	1,12,30	87,61	1,38,98(a)	82,83	1,31,30(b)	34,94	46,37	45,47

In the seven months ended October, 1917, exports, including re-exports, were less by R2,68 lakhs or 2 per cent than in 1916, but higher by R19,00 lakhs or 17 per cent than in 1915. In the same period imports were less by R4,78 lakhs or 5 per cent than in 1916, but higher by R5,47 lakhs or 7 per cent than in 1915. The net excess of exports over imports in these seven months was R48 crores, as compared with R46 crores in 1916 and R35 crores in 1915. The total value of merchandise decreased by R7 crores, or 3 per cent, to R214 crores.

(a) Includes the value of wheat exported on Government account.

(b) Includes the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

## CHIEF INCREASES AND DECREASES.

Comparing the values of the imports and exports during the seven months ended October, 1917, with those in the corresponding period of 1916, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

## I.—Imports.

		Increases	
		R	R
		(thousands)	(thousands)
Class II	Mineral oil, other than kerosene . . . . .	14,28	Copper, wrought . . . . . 5,63
	Silk (raw) . . . . .	18,26	Cotton, white piece goods . . . . . 89,12
	Wood (timber) . . . . .	34,41	"    coloured . . . . . 1,98,86
	Chemicals . . . . .	28,19	Class III Silk, piece goods . . . . . 12,68
Class III	Dyeing and tanning substances . . . . .	40,43	"    woollen piece goods . . . . . 44,89
	Iron or steel-sheets and plates . . . . .	24,33	Class IV Matches . . . . . 42,78
			Articles imported by post . . . . . 85,16

## Decreases

Class I	Biscuits and cakes . . . . .	38,61	Bars and channel (steel) . . . . . 14,44
	Canned and bottled provisions . . . . .	24,44	Paper (excluding pasteboard) . . . . . 27,79
	Sugar, 16 D S. and above . . . . .	71,21	Stationery . . . . . 12,91
	Molasses . . . . .	12,34	Railway carriages and wagons . . . . . 34,74
	Salt . . . . .	25,77	"    materials for construction . . . . . 46,27
Class II	Kerosene oil . . . . .	42,89	Class III Machinery, etc.—prime movers, etc. . . . . 14,52
	Boots and shoes . . . . .	16,93	Textile machinery (cotton) . . . . . 20,13
	Motor cars and motor cycles . . . . .	63,90	"    (jute) . . . . . 27,74
	Drugs and medicines . . . . .	17,61	Cotton, twist and yarn . . . . . 47,19
Class III	Hardware . . . . .	30,06	"    grey piecegoods . . . . . 78,41
	Paints and colours . . . . .	15,95	Haberdashery and millinery . . . . . 31,12
	Earthenware and porcelain . . . . .	10,49	Tea-chests . . . . . 30,65
	Iron or steel-pipes and fittings, cast . . . . .	14,98	Class IV Toys and requisites for games . . . . . 11,41
			Horses . . . . . 16,11

## II.—Exports.

		Increases	
		R	R
		(thousands)	(thousands)
Class I	Grain, pulse, and flour . . . . .	12,74,73	Class II Lac . . . . . 70,51
			Coconut oil . . . . . 7,41
			Cotton (raw) . . . . . 1,80,45
			Hemp (,,) . . . . . 11,97
			Indigo . . . . . 22,49
			Opium . . . . . 39,95
			Class III Hides, tanned . . . . . 67,11
			Cotton, twist and yarn . . . . . 31,34
			"    piece goods . . . . . 14,28

## Decreases

Class II	Coal, coke, etc. . . . .	32,82	Class II Jute (raw) . . . . . 4,02,93
	Hides (raw) . . . . .	1,21,31	Silk (,,) . . . . . 19,54
	Skins (,,) . . . . .	59,99	Wool (,,) . . . . . 18,26
	Castor seed . . . . .	9,33	Teakwood . . . . . 14,23
	Copra or coconut kernel . . . . .	57,33	Manures . . . . . 16,44
	Cotton seed . . . . .	22,27	Skins, tanned . . . . . 85,80
	Linseed . . . . .	2,88,76	Class III Myrobalans . . . . . 13,98
	Rapeseed . . . . .	15,65	Oilseeds . . . . . 26,45
	Sesamum seed . . . . .	48,26	Class IV Jute manufactures . . . . . 4,78,14
			Bran and pollards . . . . . 26,28



## Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the seven months ended October, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916:—

Principal Articles	Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (-) in the seven months ended October, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	₹ (thousands)	₹ (thousands)	(thousands)	₹ (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)	—	—	94.14	85.58	—	—8.56
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)	—	—	1,42.16	75.91	—	—66.25
Chemicals	—	—	1.18.77	1.46.06	—	+ 28.19
Coal, coke, and patent fuel . . . tons	19	16	7.28	4.81	—3	—2.47
Drugs and medicines . . . . .	—	—	92.90	75.29	—	—17.61
Dyeing and tanning substances . .	—	—	33.54	73.97	—	+ 40.43
Fruits and vegetables . . . . .	—	—	35.08	34.92	—	—16
Glass and glassware . . . . .	—	—	90.61	88.03	—	—2.62
Hardware . . . . .	—	—	1,86.20	1,56.14	—	—30.06
Instruments, apparatus, etc. . . .	—	—	1,17.26	1,02.69	—	—14.47
Liquors . . . . . gals.	2,977	1,819	1,55.72	1,36.62	—1,128	— 19.10
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery . . . . .	—	—	3,87.99	2,88.48	—	—99.51
Matches . . . . . gross	5,887	7,978	57.91	1,00.64	+ 2,091	+ 42.73
Metals, iron and steel . . . . . tons	169	99	5,44.43	4,66.92	—70	—77.51
„ copper . . . . . cwts	17	19	18.79	26.60	+ 2	+ 7.81
Oils—mineral . . . . . gals.	50,250	38,969	2,52.83	2,24.17	—11,251	—28.66
Paper and pasteboard . . . . .	—	—	1,41.17	1,15.75	—	—25.42
Provisions and oilman's stores . .	—	—	1,89.17	92.41	—	—96.76
Railway plant and rolling-stock . .	—	—	1,24.56	35.14	—	—89.42
Salt . . . . . tons	283	158	1,11.94	86.17	—125	—25.77
Spices . . . . . lbs	80,935	74,322	1,05.03	93.28	—6,013	—11.75
Stationery . . . . .	—	—	45.93	36.91	—	—12.01
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above . . . cwts	1,462	3,932	7,31.76	6,60.55	—530	—71.21
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . „	20	19	9.48	14.90	—1	+ 5.42
„ twist and yarn . . . . . lbs	19,358	9,897	2,44.83	1,97.64	—9,461	—47.19
„ grey piecegoods . . . . . yards	553,262	367,480	10,41.85	9,68.14	—185,782	—73.41
„ white „ . . . . . „	379,727	320,050	7,82.77	8,70.89	—59,677	+ 88.12
„ coloured „ . . . . . „	255,080	254,710	7,95.28	9,93.61	—370	+ 1,98.36
„ other sorts of manufac- tures . . . . .	—	—	2,53.19	2,17.82	—	—35.37
Silk, raw . . . . . lbs	1,030	1,165	54.41	72.67	+ 155	+ 18.26
„ manufactures . . . . .	—	—	1,60.57	1,65.19	—	+ 4.92
Woolen manufactures . . . . .	—	—	95.25	1,31.90	—	+ 36.71

## Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the seven months ended October, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916 :—

Principal Articles	Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (-) in the seven months ended October, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	₹ (thousands)	₹ (thousands)	(thousands)	₹ (thousands)
Chemicals—saltpetre . . . cwt	306	312	60,93	60,89	+ 6	—4
Coal, coke, and patent fuel . . tons	558	196	50,81	17,99	—362	—32,82
Coir . . . . . cwt	311	278	36,47	31,83	—33	—4,65
Dyes, indigo . . . . . "	10	16	66,88	89,37	+ 6	+ 22,49
„ myrobalans . . . . . "	783	587	47,06	33,08	—196	—13,98
Grain, pulse, and flour . . . value	—	—	19,27,97	32,02,70	—	+ 12,74,73
Hides, raw . . . . . cwt	469	334	3,70,74	2,49,43	—135	—1,21,31
Skins, raw . . . . . "	321	240	3,20,82	2,60,83	—81	—59,99
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed—						
Hides { Private . . . . . "	148	13	2,03,82	14,35	—135	—1,89,47
	Government . . . . . "	204	24,21	2,80,79	+ 186	+ 2,56,58
	Total . . . . . "	166	2,28,03	2,95,14	+ 51	+ 67,11
Skins . . . . . "	93	32	2,24,86	1,86,06	—61	—38,80
Total Hides and skins, tanned or dressed (including cow hides on Government account) . . . . . "	259	249	4,52,89	4,31,20	—10	—21,69
Latex . . . . . "	234	179	1,85,72	2,06,23	—55	+ 70,51
Manures . . . . . tons	37	14	82,99	16,55	—23	—16,44
Castor oil . . . . . gals.	1,230	1,236	18,45	21,41	+ 6	+ 2,96
Cocunut oil . . . . . "	1,378	1,711	27,83	34,74	+ 333	+ 7,41
Oilcakes . . . . . cwt	1,410	737	57,84	30,89	—673	—26,45
Opium . . . . . "	6	7	92,08	1,32,08	+ 1	+ 39,95
Seeds—total . . . . . "	11,021	5,530	9,34,29	4,91,79	—5,491	—4,42,50
Castor . . . . . "	1,149	958	88,21	78,88	—196	—9,33
Copra . . . . . "	411	110	77,15	19,82	—301	—57,33
Cotton seed . . . . . "	599	22	23,13	86	—577	—22,27
Groundnuts . . . . . "	1,560	1,537	1,30,94	1,32,44	—23	+ 1,50
Linseed . . . . . "	5,206	1,694	4,37,59	1,53,83	—3,512	—2,83,76
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . cwt	5,313	4,210	20,48,56	21,79,01	—1,303	+ 1,30,45
„ twist and yarn . . . lbs	95,605	81,569	4,22,46	4,53,84	—14,036	+ 31,38
„ piece goods . . . yards	124,814	102,032	2,44,95	2,59,23	—22,782	+ 14,28
Hemp, raw . . . . . cwt	295	264	62,70	74,67	—31	+ 11,97
Jute, raw . . . . . tons	234	113	6,94,70	2,91,77	—121	—4,02,93
„ manufactures . . . value	—	—	25,24,83	20,51,19	—	—4,73,14
Wool, raw . . . . . lbs	30,044	24,512	2,34,98	2,15,97	—5,532	—18,96
Wood, teak . . . . . cubic ton	10	8	31,00	16,77	—2	—14,23
„ other timber . . . . . "	1	1	1,18	87	—	—81

# TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of October 1917, as compared with those of September, 1917, are stated below :—

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS, INCLUDING RE-EXPORTS	
	September, 1917	October, 1917	September, 1917	October, 1917
	₹ (lakhs)	₹ (lakhs)	₹ (lakhs)	₹ (lakhs)
Bengal . . . . .	8.51	5.52	7.05	8.27
Bombay . . . . .	6.00	5.40	6.16	4.80
Sind . . . . .	1.39	1.16	2.48	3.28
Madras . . . . .	1.26	1.30	1.61	1.96
Burma . . . . .	75	68	1.52	1.53
Total	12.91	14.01	19.22(b)	19.84(b)

Under imports, Bengal showed an increase of 57 per cent and Madras of 3 per cent, while Bombay showed a decrease of 10 per cent, Sind of 17 per cent, and Burma of 16 per cent. Under exports, Bengal showed an increase of 17 per cent, Madras of 22 per cent, Sind of 14 per cent, and Burma of nearly 1 per cent while Bombay alone showed a decrease of 22 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (September, 1917).

# BALANCE OF TRADE.

The following table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise on private account only, as well as the value of wheat, tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account :

	Seven months, April to October, 1916	Seven months, April to October, 1917
	₹ (lakhs) 1,33,98(a)	₹ (lakhs) 1,31,30(b)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports † . . . . .	87.61	82.83
Imports „ † . . . . .	46.37	48.47
Excess of Exports over Imports . . . . .	*	*
Net imports of Gold . . . . .	*	*
„ „ „ Silver . . . . .	*	*
Net Imports of Treasure . . . . .	13,85.2	33,04.5
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India . . . . .	...	...
Sterling bills on London sold in India . . . . .	32.5	59.2
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports) . . . . .	14.9	14.3
Interest on Enfaced Rupee paper . . . . .	*	*
Net Balance of Trade . . . . .	October (1916)	October (1917)
Average rate of exchange . . . . .	d. 16.133	d. 17.00 (c)

In the seven months ended October, 1917, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R48,47 lakhs, as against R46,37 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916.

\* Temporarily discontinued

† Exclusive of Government transactions (other than wheat, tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance in the case of exports).

(a) Include the value of wheat exported on Government account.

(b) Include the value of wheat, tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

(c) Approximate Rate for Telegraphic Transfers.

The amount of Council Bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the seven months ended October, 1917, was Rs 33,04½ lakhs, of which Rs 2,14½ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, Rs 10,93 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and over Rs 19,97 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the seven months ended October, 1916, the amount was over Rs 18,85 lakhs, of which about Rs 3,89 lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, Rs 3,20 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and over Rs 7,26 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the seven months ended October, 1915, the amount of Council Bills paid was about Rs 7,55 lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupce paper, over Rs 7½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and over Rs 66½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the seven months, April to October, 1917, while in the corresponding period of 1916, about Rs 23½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and about Rs 55½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

#### DECLARED VALUE PER UNIT OF SELECTED ARTICLES.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during October, 1915, 1916, and 1917, are noted below :—

Imports	OCTOBER						OCTOBER					
	1915		1916		1917		1915		1916		1917	
	R	A. P.	R	A. P.	R	A. P.	R	A. P.	R	A. P.	R	A. P.
Sugar, 16 D S and above cwt	15	1 1	16	13 1	16	13 2						
Cotton, twist and yarn lb	0 15	2	1 6	0	2 5	0						
" grey piecegoods yard	0 2	7	0 3	1	0 4	9						
" white "	0 2	9	0 3	6	0 4	6						
" coloured "	0 3	2	0 5	10	0 6	6						
						Exports						
						Indigo cwt	11	9 8	58	2 3	54	4 0
						Cotton, raw "	7	7 4	16	11 11	54	9 1
						Jute, raw bale	51	5 10	55	0 7	59	4 6

As compared with the corresponding month of the previous year (October, 1916), under imports, the declared unit value of cotton twist and yarn rose in October, 1917, by 65 per cent, and of cotton piecegoods, grey by 54 per cent, white by 29 per cent, and coloured by 11 per cent. The declared unit value of sugar was almost on the level of last year. Under exports, raw cotton showed an increase of 16 per cent, while indigo showed a decrease of 7 per cent, and raw jute of 29 per cent.

#### CUSTOMS REVENUE.\*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal articles in October, 1917, as compared with September, 1917, and October, 1916 and 1913 :—

IMPORT DUTY	October 1913 (pre-war month)	October 1916	September 1917	October 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in October, 1917, as compared with		
	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	September 1917	October 1916	October 1913
	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)
<i>Special duties</i>							
Arms	61	62(a)	29(a)	30(a)	+1	-32	-81
Liquors	11,11	8,95	9,17	10,64	+151	+1,73	-43
Petroleum	1,50	4,27 (b)	2,78(b)	2,68(b)	10	-1,59	-1,82
Silver bullion and coin	2 61	67	63	88	+25	21	-1,73
" manufactures	—	33	27	22	-5	-11	—
Sugar	12 78	15,23(c)	10 48(c)	13 65(c)	+3,17	-1,58	+87
Tobacco	2,45	2,96	7,54	4,72	-8,12	+1,74	+2,27
<i>Duty at 2½ per cent</i>							
Machinery	—	88	55	87	+32	-1	—
Metals—Iron and steel	1,29	1,39	1,34	1,24	-10	-10	-1
Railway plant etc.	—	13	11	9	-2	-4	—
<i>Duty at 7½ per cent</i>							
Articles of food, etc., excluding sugar	3 28	5,68	4,51	6,78	+2,22	+1 05	+3,45
Raw materials, etc.	1 55	2,95	3,86	4,80	+94	+1,85	+3,25
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—							
Cotton manufactures	14,11	12,83	37 92	39,61	+1,69	+27,28	+20,87
Others	20,14	22,72	23 98	26,45	+2,47	+3,73	+6,01
Total (including other articles)	90,14	51,31	1,04,55	1,14,53	+9,98	+33,22	+34,09
EXPORT DUTY (Total)	6,1	25,52	24,73	27,20	+2,42	+1,63	+20,89

\* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.

(a) Excludes the 7½ per cent duty on explosives.

(b) " " petroleum.

(c) " " confectionery.

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the seven months ended October, 1917, the import duties increased to Rs. 66½ lakhs from Rs. 59½ lakhs in the seven months ended October, 1916, and the export duties rose to more than Rs. 1,49½ lakhs from over Rs. 1,16 lakhs. The grand total of gross Indian sea and land customs revenue (excluding salt) in the seven months, April to October, 1917, amounted to about Rs. 8,74 lakhs, as compared with over Rs. 7,07 lakhs in the same period of last year.

#### RAILWAY STATISTICS.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable index to the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April to 3rd November, 1917, were Rs. 43,77 lakhs, as against Rs. 39,70 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, or an increase of Rs. 4,07 lakhs.

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ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

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NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 4th December 1917.*

**No. 2823-I. C.**—The following extract from the *London Gazette* of the 24th August 1917 is republished for information :—

*Crown Office,  
August 24, 1917.*

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to create and institute an Order of Knighthood to be styled "The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire".

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office,  
St James's Palace,  
August 21, 1917.*

STATUTES OF THE ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

GEORGE, R.I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, to all to whom these Presents shall come.

Greeting !

WHEREAS by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster the Fourth day of June, 1917, in the Eighth year of Our Reign, We have thought fit and been pleased to institute, erect, constitute, and create an Order of Knighthood, to be called and known for ever hereafter by the name, style, and designation of "The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire," whereof We, Our heirs and successors for ever shall be Sovereigns :

And whereas by Our aforesaid Letters Patent We did ordain that the said Order should be governed by Statutes and Ordinances and that the Statutes to be observed within the said Order should be established by Us and sealed by the Seal of the said Order which Statutes so given and in future to be given by Us, Our heirs and successors, to which the said Seal shall be affixed, should be of the same validity and taken and read as if the same and every Article of them had been verbatim recited in the said Letters Patent and passed under the Great Seal of Our said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland :

Now Know Ye that in pursuance of the said Letters Patent of the Fourth day of June, 1917, We have made, ordained, and established and by these Presents, sealed with the Seal of the said Order, do make, ordain, and establish the following Statutes and Ordinances which shall from henceforth be inviolably observed and kept within the said Order :—

1. It is ordained and enjoined that this Order of Chivalry shall be styled and designated in all Acts, proceedings, and pleadings The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire as in Our said Letters Patent is directed, and by no other designation.

2 It is ordained that the said Order shall consist of the Sovereign and a Grand Master and of five several classes :—I. "Knights Grand Cross" and "Dames Grand Cross". II. "Knights Commanders" and "Dames Commanders". III. "Commanders". IV. "Officers". V. "Members".

3. It is ordered that We, Our heirs and successors, Kings or Queens Regnant of Our said United Kingdom, are and for ever shall be Sovereigns of this Order, to whom doth and shall belong all power of annulling, interpreting, explaining, or augmenting these and every part of these Statutes.

4. We do hereby ordain, direct, and appoint that a Prince of the Blood Royal or such other exalted personage as We, Our heirs and successors shall hereafter appoint shall be Grand Master of the said Order, and shall in virtue thereof be the First or Principal Knight Grand Cross of the said Order, to whose custody shall be confided the Great Seal of the Order, which he shall affix to all Statutes, Ordinances, and Instruments according to the regulations touching the issue of every of the said Instruments; and it is further ordained that it shall be his special duty to enforce the due observance of the Statutes and Ordinances of this Order, and that he shall likewise direct the issue of all



letters of Summons whenever the Sovereign shall be pleased to command an Investiture of the said Most Excellent Order.

5. It is ordained that the persons to be admitted to this Order shall be such persons, male or female, as may have rendered or shall hereafter render important services to Our Empire, and that Foreign persons upon whom we may think fit to confer the honour of being received into this Order shall be deemed to be, and described as, Honorary Knights Grand Cross or Honorary Dames Grand Cross, Honorary Knights Commanders or Honorary Dames Commanders, Honorary Commanders, Honorary Officers, and Honorary Members, according to the classes in the Order to which they belong.

6. It is ordained that when We, Our heirs or successors shall be pleased to nominate and appoint any person to this Order such appointment shall be made by Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual sealed with the Seal of this Order and countersigned by the Grand Master of the said Order.

7. It is ordained that this Order shall rank next to and immediately after Our Royal Victorian Order, and before Our Distinguished Service Order, that in all solemn Ceremonies, places and assemblies the Knights Grand Cross of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately after the Knights Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, that the Dames Grand Cross of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately before the wives of Knights Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and may on all occasions have, use and enjoy the appellation and style of Dame before their Christian or first names, that the Knights Commanders of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately after the Knights Commanders of the Royal Victorian Order, that the Dames Commanders of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately before the wives of Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and may on all occasions have, use and enjoy the appellation and style of Dame before their Christian or first names, that the men who are Commanders of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately after the Members of the Third Class of the Royal Victorian Order and the women who are Commanders of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately before the wives of Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, that the men who are Officers of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately after the Members of the Fourth Class of the Royal Victorian Order and the women who are Officers of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately before the wives of Members of the Fourth Class of the Royal Victorian Order, that the men who are Members of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately after the Members of the Fifth Class of the Royal Victorian Order and that the women who are Members of this Order shall have place and precedence next to and immediately before the wives of Members of the Fifth Class of the Royal Victorian Order.

8. It is ordained that the Insignia of the Sovereign of this Order shall be of the same material and fashion as are hereinafter appointed for the Knights Grand Cross, save only with those alterations which distinguish Our Royal Dignity.

9. It is ordained that the Grand Master shall wear the Insignia of a Knight Grand Cross, the badge of which for the Grand Master shall be augmented in accordance with the commands of the Sovereign.

10. It is ordained that the Knights and Dames Grand Cross of this Most Excellent Order shall upon all great and solemn occasions wear the badge of the Order, which shall consist of a cross patonce, enamelled pearl, finbriated or surmounted by a gold medallion with a representation of Britannia seated within a circle gules inscribed with the motto "For God and the Empire," in letters of gold ensigned with the Imperial Crown or, the whole suspended from a purple riband of the breadth of three inches and three-quarters, passing from the right shoulder to the left side, and they shall wear on the left side of their coats or outer garments an oval Star composed of eight points and charged with a medallion as above.

11. It is ordained that the Knights Commanders shall wear around their necks a riband of the same colour and pattern as that of the Knights Grand Cross of the breadth of one inch and three-quarters and pendent therefrom the badge of the Knights Commanders of the Order, which shall be of similar form and pattern to that appointed for the Knights Grand Cross, but of a smaller size, and also that they shall wear on the left side of their coats or outer garments a silver Star composed of four equal points and four lesser, charged with a medallion as before, and it is ordained that the Dames Commanders shall wear a badge of similar form and pattern as that appointed for Knights Commanders, attached to a riband, also similar to that worn by Knights Commanders, but tied in a bow and worn on the left shoulder, and that they shall wear a like Star.

12. It is ordained that the Commanders shall in the same manner wear the like riband and badge as that appointed for the Knights or Dames Commanders of the Most Excellent Order, but that they shall not be entitled to wear the Star.

13. It is ordained that the Officers shall wear a badge of similar form and pattern as that appointed for the Commanders of the Order, but of a smaller size and silver gilt, attached to a riband of the same colour and pattern of the breadth of one inch and a quarter, attached to the left breast of their coats or outer garments by men, and tied in a bow on the left shoulder by women.

14. It is ordained that the Members shall wear in like manner the same riband and badge as that appointed to Officers of the Order except that it shall be in silver.

15. It is ordained that upon the nomination of any person to be a Knight Grand Cross, Dame Grand Cross, Knight Commander or Dame Commander of this Order, he or she shall be invested with the Insignia of his or her dignity in the Order by Us, Our heirs and successors and that on the day of the Investiture the person to be invested shall be introduced into the presence of the Sovereign by the Officer of the Order in attendance bearing the proper Insignia of the Order, when the Sovereign having in the case of Knights Grand Cross and Knights Commander conferred the honour of Knighthood upon the person so nominated if he have not previously received the said honour will then proceed to invest him or her with the Ensigns of the said Order in the following manner: The Sovereign will invest the new Knight Grand Cross, Dame Grand Cross, Knight Commander or Dame Commander with the riband and badge and will deliver or place on his or her left side the Star of the said Order appertaining to his or her dignity.

16. It is further ordained that it shall be competent for Us, Our heirs and successors by a Warrant or Warrants under Our Sign Manual countersigned by the Grand Master and sealed with the Seal of this Order to authorize some distinguished person in Our Service or other person to perform in Our name and on Our behalf the Ceremony of investing Knights Grand Cross, Dames Grand Cross, Knights Commanders, or Dames Commanders with the Insignia of their respective dignities or to permit the Ceremony of Investiture to be dispensed with. And We reserve to Ourselves, Our heirs and successors by Our or their Warrant or Warrants as aforesaid, full power and authority to permit and authorize the person or persons not invested by us to wear the Insignia and enjoy the privileges appertaining to their respective dignities in as full and ample a manner as if they had been invested by Us, Our heirs and successors.

17. It is ordained that on the promotion of a person to a higher class of this Order the Insignia of the class theretofore worn by him or her shall be returned to the Secretary of the Order for the service of the Order, and that on the resignation or decease of an official of the Order his Badge of Office shall be restored for the service of the Order.

18. It is ordained that Knights Grand Cross and Dames Grand Cross shall have the same privileges under the same authority in connection with the

bearing of Supporters to their Arms as are enjoyed by the Knights Grand Cross of Our other Orders of Knighthood.

19. It is ordained that the Seal of the Order shall have engraved thereon as follows (that is to say) a representation of Britannia surrounded by a circle containing the motto of the Order "For God and the Empire," and that the Statutes of the Order shall be sealed by and with the same.

20. It is ordained that it shall be competent for Us, Our heirs and successors by an Ordinance signed by the Sovereign and sealed with the Seal of the Order to cancel and annul the appointment of any person to this Order, and thereupon his or her name in the Register shall be erased. But that it shall be competent for the Sovereign to restore to the Order any person whose appointment may have been so cancelled and annulled when circumstances render it just and expedient so to do.

21. It is ordained that a medal in connection with the said Most Excellent Order shall be awarded to persons, not being members of the five classes of the said Most Excellent Order, whose services to Our Empire would warrant such mark of Our Royal appreciation.

22. It is ordained that the medal of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for men and for women shall consist of a circular medal in silver, having on the obverse a representation of Britannia within the circle and motto of the Order and on the reverse Our Royal and Imperial Cypher, and shall be worn on the left side suspended by a ring to a purple riband of one inch and one-sixteenth of an inch in width.

23. It is ordained that it shall be competent for Us, Our heirs and successors by a Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual to cancel and annul the award of any Medal of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, and that thereupon the name of the recipient in the Register shall be erased, but it shall be competent for the Sovereign to restore the medal to any person whose name may have been so erased, when circumstances render it just and expedient so to do.

24. It is ordained that the 24th day of May every year shall henceforth be taken and deemed to be the anniversary of the institution of this Order.

25. It is ordained that the following officials shall be appointed to this Order, that is to say, a

King of Arms,  
Registrar and Secretary,  
Gentleman Usher of the Purple Rod.

26. It is ordained that the King of Arms of this Order shall be nominated by Us, Our heirs and successors, and that he shall sedulously attend the Service of the Order. And further it is ordained that he shall wear around his neck pendent to a purple riband an escocheon of gold enamelled on a field purpure a representation of Britannia impaling the Arms of the Sovereign surrounded with the circle and motto of the Order and surmounted by an Imperial Crown, that he shall carry the Rod of this Order, which shall have on the two greater squares the Arms of the Order impaled with those of the Sovereign, and on the lesser squares the Arms of the Order, the whole surmounted by an Imperial Crown, and that at all Coronations he shall precede the Knights Grand Cross and shall carry and wear a Crown as Our other Kings of Arms are accustomed to do, which badge, rod and crown shall all be of the same materials with those used and borne by Our Garter Principal King of Arms.

27. It is ordained that the Registrar and Secretary shall be appointed by Us, Our heirs and successors, that he shall record all proceedings connected with this Most Excellent Order in a register to be appropriated for that purpose and shall, under the directions of the Grand Master, prepare all Warrants and other instruments to be passed under the Seal of the Order and engross the same, that he shall summon the Knights Grand Cross to

attend the Sovereign at all investitures of this Order, that in all Ceremonies of the Order he shall wear around his neck pendent to a purple riband an escocheon of gold enamelled on a field purpure the badge of the Knights Grand Cross of the Order with two pens saltirewise between the angles in pearl enamel, the whole surmounted by an Imperial Crown.

28. It is ordained that the Gentleman Usher of the Purple Rod of this Most Excellent Order shall be appointed by Us, Our heirs and successors, shall wear around his neck pendent to a purple riband an escocheon of gold enamelled on a field purpure a representation of Britannia surrounded by the circle and motto of the Order and surmounted by an Imperial Crown, and that he shall carry the Purple Rod of the Order, having at the top an escrol thereon the motto of the Order surmounted by a representation of Britannia.

29 It is ordained that all and every of the officials of this Order shall over and above the duties more specially imposed by the foregoing Statutes execute diligently whatever the Sovereign or Grand Master may be pleased to command touching the interests of the said Order, and that the said Offices of King of Arms, Registrar and Secretary, and Gentleman Usher shall be holden during good behaviour.

Lastly.—We reserve to Ourselves, Our heirs and successors, full power of annulling, altering, abrogating, augmenting, interpreting or dispensing with these Statutes and Regulations or any part thereof by a notification under the Sign Manual of the Sovereign of the Order.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the Fourth day of *June*, 1917, in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

BY HIS MAJESTY'S COMMAND.

*Geo. Cave.*

J. B. WOOD,

*Political Secretary to the Government of India.*

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## FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 11th December 1917.*

**No. 2824-I. C.**—His Imperial Majesty The KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for services in connection with the war :—

*To be Knight Grand Cross.*

His Excellency the Right Honourable FREDERIC JOHN NAPIER THESIGER, P.C., G.M.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.M.I.E., Baron Chelmsford, Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

*To be Dame Grand Cross.*

FRANCES CHARLOTTE, LADY CHELMSFORD, C.I., wife of His Excellency the Right Honourable Frederic John Napier Thesiger, Baron Chelmsford, Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

*To be Knights Grand Cross.*

His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir FREEMAN FREEMAN-THOMAS BARON WILLINGDON, of Ratton, G.C.I.E., Governor of the Presidency of Bombay.

Colonel His Highness Asaf Jah Muzaffar-ul-mulk-wal-mamalik, Nizam-ul-Mulk Nizam-ud-Doula Nawab Mir Sir USMAN ALI KHAN Bahadur, Feteht Jung, G.C.S.I., of Hyderabad (Deccan).

Colonel His Highness Maharaja Sri Sir KRISHNARAJA WADIYAR Bahadur, G.C.S.I., of Mysore.

Major-General His Highness Mukhtar-ul-Mulk Azim-ul-Iktidar Rafi-ush-Shan Wala Shikoh Mohtasham-i-Dauran Umdat-ul-Umara Maharajadhiraja Alijah Hisam-us-Saltanat Maharaja Sir MADHO RAO Scindia Bahadur Srinath Mansur-i-Zaman Fidvi-i-Hazrat-i-Malik-i-muazzam-i-rafi-ud-darja-i-Inglistan, G.C.S.I., G.C.V.O., A.-D.-C., LL.D., of Gwalior.

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MARIE ADELAIDE, Lady Willingdon, C.I., wife of the Right Honourable Baron Willingdon, G.C.I.E., Governor of Bombay.

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Sir JOHN PRESCOTT HEWETT, G.C.S.I., C.I.E., Chairman of the Indian Soldiers' Fund Committee.

Sir CHARLES RAIT CLEVELAND, K.C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Director of Criminal Intelligence.

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His Highness Raja CHURA CHAND SINGH, of Manipur.

Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel Sir WARREN ROLAND CROOKE-LAWLESS, Kt., C.I.E., Red Cross Hospital, Netley.

Maharaja Sri Rao Sir VENKATASVETACHALAPATI RANGA RAO Bahadur, G.C.I.E., of Bobbili.

ARTHUR ROBERT ANDERSON, Esquire, C.I.E., Member, Indian Munitions Board.

ABDULLA IBN YUSUF ALI, Esquire, Indian Civil Service (retired).

PATRICK DALREAGLE AGNEW, Esquire, Indian Civil Service (retired).

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Rai Sahib RAJESHWAR MITRA, late Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, retired, Jubbulpore.

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J. B. WOOD,

*Political Secretary to the Government of India.*



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

ORDER.

*Delhi, the 5th December 1917.*

**No. 1195-D.**—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, (IV of 1915), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

1. After Rule 11-C of the said Rules the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

“11 CC (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor-General in Council any product, article or thing or class of product, article or thing can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war, the Governor-General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf may, with a view to maintaining or increasing the production of any such product, article or thing, or class of product, article or thing, by order in writing regulate, restrict or prohibit the carrying on of any work in any mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business or the engagement of any workman or all or any classes of workmen therein

(2) If the owner or person in charge of any mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business in respect of which an order has been made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) or any other person affected by such order fails to comply therewith or disobeys any direction contained therein, he shall be deemed to have contravened these rules, and the authority making the order may take such action as he thinks necessary to give effect to the same.”

II. In rule 11 E of the said Rules

(1) after the words “the Governor-General in Council” the words “or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf” shall be inserted,

(2) for the words “in his opinion” the words “in the opinion of the Governor-General in Council” shall be substituted and (3) in clause (c) of sub-rule (1) the word ‘other’ shall be omitted.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*







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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 5th December 1917.

No. 706-C.—The services of Maulvi Barkat Ali Khan, a Subordinate Judge in the Punjab, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Delhi with effect from the afternoon of the 10th November 1917.

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**POLICE.***The 6th December 1917.*

**No. 753-C.**—The services of Mr. I. W. Bowring, Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the 16th November 1917.

**S. R. HIGNELL,***Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.**

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**NOTIFICATION.****FORESTS.***Delhi, the 4th December 1917.*

**No. 84-C.**—On return from leave Mr. C. E. C. Cox, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Central Provinces, is attached to the Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun, with effect from the forenoon of the 15th November 1917.

**R. A. MANT,***Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.***Delhi, the 5th December 1917.*

**No. 2122-Est. A.**—Major F. H. Humphrys, of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for one year and nine months, under Articles 233 and 308(b), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th November 1917.

**No. 2123-Est. A.**—Mr. J. H. H. Bill, of the Political Department, is posted as Political Agent, Tochi, with effect from the 14th November 1917.

**No. 2126-Est. A.**—Mr. E. C. Gibson, I.C.S., temporarily officiating in the Political Department, and Assistant Political Agent, Eastern Rajputana States, held charge of the current duties of the office of Political Agent, Eastern Rajputana States, in addition to his own duties, from the 8th November to the 15th November 1917, inclusive.

**No. 2127-Est. A.**—Mr. C. C. Watson, C.I.E., of the Political Department, is posted as Political Agent, Eastern Rajputana States, with effect from the 16th November 1917.

**No. 2135-Est. A.**—The undermentioned officers are confirmed in the Political Department of the Government of India :—

Captain S. Williams.

Captain P. G. Loch.

Captain G. B. Walker.

*The 6th December 1917.*

**No. 2848-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912 (II of 1912), as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit :—

(1) the income-tax payable in respect of the profits of any Co-operative Society for the time being registered under the Act, or of the dividends or other payments received by the members of any such Society on account of profits, and

(2) the following fees payable under the law of registration for the time being in force, namely :—

(a) all fees payable by, or on behalf of, any Co-operative Society for the time being registered under the Act, and

(b) all fees payable in respect of any instrument executed by any officer or member of such a society and relating to the business thereof.

**No. 2854-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Indian Defence Force (Bangalore) Rules, 1917, namely :—

1. In rule 16, for categories C, D and E, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“C. Unfit for military service but likely to become fit for inclusion in category A or B within six months.

D. Unfit for military service and unlikely to become fit for inclusion in category A or B within six months.”

2. For rule 17, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“17. (1) Persons who are classified in category C or D of medical fitness shall be exempted from military service and conditional certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I of these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

(2) Any person

(a) who has received a certificate of exemption in accordance with the provisions of sub-rule (1), or

(b) who has at any time been exempted from military service on the ground of ill-health or infirmity, or

(c) who has at any time been classified under these rules as fit to perform the courses of training or instruction specified by the regulations made under the Act by the Commander-in-Chief in India for persons deemed to be enrolled for local military service,

may from time to time be required by the competent military authority to present himself for further medical examination :

Provided, that no person who at his last examination was classified as permanently unfit for any service, or as unfit for military service and unlikely to become fit for inclusion in category A or B within six months shall be required to present himself for further medical examination within six months thereof.”

3. In rule 18 the words “in accordance with the terms of a certificate of exemption issued under rule 17” shall be omitted.

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

*The 5th December 1917.*

**No. 2131-Est. A.**—1st Class Assistant Surgeon C. C. Kelly, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Medical Officer in charge of the Political Agency, Koweit, is granted privilege leave for three and half months, with effect from the 13th October 1917.

**No. 2132-Est. A.**—2nd Class Assistant Surgeon J. G. Johnstone, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Quarantine Medical Officer, Lingah, on return from leave is posted temporarily as Medical Officer in charge, Political Agency, Koweit, with effect from the 13th October 1917.

**No. 2153-Est. A.**—2nd Class Assistant Surgeon A. L. Hudson, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Surgeon in sub-charge of the Residency Dispensary Bushire, with effect from the 5th June 1917, and until further orders.

Foreign and Political Department Notification No. 963-Est. A., dated the 17th July 1917 is hereby cancelled.

A. H. GRANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.****LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.**

*Delhi, the 5th December 1917.*

**No. 1336-F. E.**—Mr. S. C. Mukherjee, an officer in class III of the General List of the Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, was granted privilege leave for 14 days from the 31st October 1917 to the 13th November 1917.

**No. 1337-F. E.**—Khan Bahadur Mr Muhammad Hasan Khan, a Superintendent in the Finance Department Secretariat, has been promoted substantively to class III of the General List of the Indian Finance Department, with effect from the 21st November 1917, and has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the same date.

**No. 1338-F. E.**—Mr. A. G. N. Clark, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 21st November 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 1339-F. E.**—Mr. B. K. Chatterjee, Assistant Accountant General, Bengal, has been granted privilege leave for 36 days, with effect from the 4th November 1917.

**No. 1340-F. E.**—Mr. J. L. Devine, Deputy Comptroller, Central Provinces, has been granted privilege leave for 31 days, with effect from the 22nd November 1917.

*Simla, the 6th December 1917.*

**No. 1345-F. E.**—Mr. G. Rainy, I.C.S., was placed on special duty in the Finance Department Secretariat from the 15th to the 25th October 1917.

Mr. G. Rainy, I.C.S., has been appointed Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department, with effect from the 29th October 1917.

*Delhi, the 6th December 1917.*

**No. 1346-F. E.**—Mr. P. C. Chowdhuri, Probationer, Indian Finance Department attached to the office of the Comptroller, India Treasuries, has been granted privilege leave for 26 days, with effect from the 27th November 1917.

H. F. HOWARD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Delhi, the 8th December 1917.*

**No. 1064-D.**—Mr. P. W. Singleton, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-nine days, with effect from the 3rd January 1918, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

**No. 1151-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 of the Indian Salt Act, 1882 (XII of 1882), and by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and in pursuance of the agreement made with the Chief of the State of Jaipur, dated the 7th August 1869, and of the agreements made with the Chief of Jodhpur, dated respectively the 27th January 1870, the 18th April 1870 and the 18th January 1879, which provide for the lease to the British Government of the salt sources of Sambhar, Didwana and Pachbhadra within the said States, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government

of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 547-Excise, dated the 25th January 1905, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In rule 8 of the said rules after the words “under these rules,” the following words shall be inserted, namely :—

“Such an order may be made in respect of all or any salt sources, and in respect of all or any classes of applications or indents.”

**No. 1152-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Salt Act, 1882 (XII of 1882), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Finance and Commerce, No. 1892, dated the 27th June 1884, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In rule 14 A of the said rules after the words “under these rules” the following words shall be inserted namely :—

“Such an order may be made in respect of all or any salt sources, and in respect of all or any classes of requisitions or *rawannahs*.”

**No. 1261-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz* :—

#### *Additions.*

Dong Ting Gee, Dr., of the Ping Yee Hau Drug Store, Canton.

▼ Vordoni and Company, S. J., Tientsin.

Whitmore, R. A., Tientsin.

**No. 1292-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the importation of coffee into British India from all destinations.

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to prohibit :—

- (i) the import of any goods by, or for the use of, the Crown ;
- (ii) the import of any goods shipped from any Indian port ;
- (iii) the import of any goods from any Native State in India ;
- (iv) the import of any goods imported under a license granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import.

**No. 1295-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916) and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, in so far as it relates to the entry “(D) Cotton, raw,” in the Schedule thereof, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the export of raw cotton be also prohibited to the United States of America, subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification as subsequently amended.

**No. 1299-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th of May 1917, as subsequently amended so far as it relates to the export of rice, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of rice to all foreign destinations in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, to Mauritius and to the Netherlands East Indies, subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification as subsequently amended.

**No. 1323-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that for proviso (i) to the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, the following shall be substituted, *viz* :—

“(i) the export of any article by the Crown ;”

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### COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

*The 8th December 1917.*

**No. 13829.**—Mr F. J. G. Geary, I.C.S., Assistant Controller of Hides at Calcutta under the Indian Munitions Board, is appointed temporarily as an Assistant to the Director General of Commercial Intelligence in addition to his own duties with effect from the 12th November 1917, until further orders.

## IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

*The 8th December 1917.*

**No. 1223-D.**—IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of the Notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 9961-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India, whether by the parcels post or otherwise, of all goods from Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland and Switzerland unless certificates of origin and interest in the form prescribed in the annexed schedule are presented to the Customs Collector at the port of import in respect of such goods :—

Provided that—

- (i) a single certificate may be used to cover any number of parcels of goods shipped by one consignor to one consignee on one vessel at the same time for the same port ;
- (ii) nothing in this notification shall apply to—
  - (a) goods imported for the use of Government Departments ;
  - (b) goods imported under a general or special licence granted by the Governor General in pursuance of the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation, No. 2, as amended and extended by subsequent Proclamations, except so far as a certificate of origin may be required by the conditions of the licence itself ;
  - (c) goods imported from an allied country by way of a neutral country on a through bill of lading or by through postal parcel ;
  - (d) goods transhipped for consignment to other parts of the British Empire where the system of certificates of origin and interest is in force, or carried forward in the same bottom to foreign ports ;
  - (e) *bona fide* personal and household effects of persons entering the country ;
  - (f) samples of no commercial value ;
  - (g) imports of boxboards ; bulbs (not including lily of the valley roots) ; carbide of calcium ; cod-liver oil ; cyanide of calcium ; flax and flaxseed ; flowers (cut) ; foodstuffs (other than wines and spirits) ; granite and granite setts for paving ; ice ; iron ore ; kerbstone ; matchboards ; paving stones ; slatestone ; strawboard ; tar ; timber of any kind, including pitprops and hoops for casks ; wood pulp, mechanical (not including cellulose) ;
  - (h) zinc ashes, spelter, copper, copper ores, and brass, when these are shipped from Norway ;
  - (i) receptacles originally exported from British India and returned empty ;
  - (j) goods originating in a neutral country other than that in which the Consular Officer resides and accompanied by a Consular permit for their shipment.
- (iii) the Customs Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that the goods have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any goods imported from the above mentioned countries, even if unaccompanied by certificates of origin and interest, on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture

if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs Collector may direct ;

(iv) the Customs Collector, in his discretion, may—

- (a) detain goods in respect of which a certificate of origin and interest has been duly furnished, pending the production of such further evidence as he may consider satisfactory ; or
- (b) release such goods on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs Collector may direct.

### SCHEDULE.

#### *Form of Certificate of Origin and Interest.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify that Mr. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Producer, Manufacturer, Merchant, Trader, etc.), residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
in this town, has declared before me that the merchandise designated below, which is to be shipped from this town to \_\_\_\_\_ consigned to (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Merchant, Manufacturer, etc.), \_\_\_\_\_ has not been produced or manufactured in enemy territory ; that no person who is an enemy, or with whom trading is prohibited under any law or proclamation for the time being in force relating to trading with the enemy or relating to trading with persons of enemy nationality or associations, has any interest in such merchandise ; and that he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof.

*The present certificate must not be regarded as an absolute guarantee of the origin of the goods, which remain liable to seizure if they should prove on examination by the competent British authorities to be of enemy origin.*

Number and description of cases.	Marks and numbers.	Weight or quantity.	Total value (b).	Contents.	Name of producer or manufacturer (c).

The goods covered by this certificate must be shipped within a period of not more than (c) days from the date hereof.

This certificate is valid for not more than (d) \_\_\_\_\_.

(Signed).....

(Signature of person declaring.)

(Signed).....

(Signature of Consular Authority  
issuing certificate and date.)

(Consular Fee Stamp)

- (a) If desired, the word "order" may be inserted here, instead of the name of the purchaser in India.
- (b) This column may be left blank, if desired.
- (c) Here insert number of days within which the goods must be shipped from the country of origin. On the arrival of the goods at a destination in India the onus of proving that they were shipped within the period required will, if necessary, rest in cases of doubt, with the importer of the goods.
- (d) Here insert quantity or weight.
- (e) This column may be left blank at the request of the declarant ; but the name of the producer or manufacturer must be inserted in a separate document issued at the same time by the Consular Officer, which will only be inspected by the Customs Authorities at the port of importation. The separate document may be either a letter from the Consular Officer concerned or a copy of the certificate itself furnishing the necessary particulars. In all cases where a separate document is issued an entry to this effect must be made in this column.

In the case of the following articles, however, the particulars in question need not necessarily be furnished either in the certificate or in the separate document ; in such cases the words "he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof" in the text of the certificate may be replaced by the words "I am satisfied that such is the case" :—

- (i) All articles in respect of which certificates of origin and interest, though not required under this notification, are issued at the special request of the exporter.

(ii) Argols.  
Barks.  
Berries.  
Bones.  
Charcoal.  
Codliver oil.  
Eiderdown.  
Empty yarn and electric cable spools.  
Essential oils of native fruits.  
Fish oils.  
Fresh and dried flowers.  
Grease.  
Hides.  
Leaves.  
Lichen, moss and other wild growths.  
Medicinal herbs.  
Metal foundry residues.

Old clothes and wearing apparel.  
Olive meal (ground).  
Old rags.  
Old rails.  
Old ropes, lines, etc.  
Personal effects.  
Returned empties (including casks).  
Roots.  
Ships' stores.  
Spelter.  
Squills.  
Steel, zinc and other metal scraps.  
Sumac.  
Sweepings of precious metals.  
Waste clippings of textile materials.  
Wax (bees-wax, etc.).

- (f) In the case of goods partially produced or manufactured in enemy territory, certificates will only be granted, and accepted, when not more than 5 per cent. of the cost to the manufacturer is due to enemy labour or material. The percentage of value derived from such enemy production or manufacture should be stated in the certificate. The percentage should be calculated, not upon the sale price of the finished goods in India, but upon the value delivered at the place of manufacture, excluding cost of packing and carriage to India.
- (g) A new certificate shall be issued for goods for which a certificate has previously been granted, but which have been short shipped.
- (h) The issue of a certificate implies no permission to import goods the import of which into India has been prohibited.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

*Delhi, the 7th December 1917.*

### APPOINTMENTS.

**No. 2065.**—Major G. L. Pepys, D. S. O., 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force), is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. Dated 17th November 1917.

**No. 2066.**—Major V. E. Gwyer, 10th Jats, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, while holding the appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. Dated 25th November 1917.

**No. 2067.**—Lieutenant A. J. Christian, The Gloucestershire Regiment, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding an appointment as Intelligence Officer graded as General Staff Officer, 2nd grade. Dated 21st May 1917.

**No. 2068.**—Second Lieutenant J. Dall, 1st The Battalion, Highland Light Infantry, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Staff Captain. Dated 29th November 1917.

**No. 2069.**—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding appointments as Assistant Provost Marshals:—

Second Lieutenant J. G. McF. Black, 1-7th Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment. Dated 23rd November 1917.

Lieutenant A. H. Virgin, 1st Battalion, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment). Dated 24th November 1917.

**No. 2070.**—The undermentioned warrant and non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

#### *Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

##### *Royal Garrison Artillery.*

No. 18005 Company Serjeant Major Frederick Pittman. Dated 25th October 1917.

No. 2867 Serjeant Frederick Peters. Dated 29th October 1917.

No. 2216 Battery Quartermaster Serjeant John Whiteside. Dated 12th November 1917.

No. 6221 Battery Serjeant Major George Shepherd Budge. Dated 24th November 1917.



*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

No. 41847 Serjeant Edward Patrick Warner. Dated 11th November 1917.

No. 8025 Regimental Serjeant Major William Satchell. Dated 23rd November 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2071.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).*

Serjeant Robert Makin. Dated 16th November 1917.

Serjeant George Thomas Wensley. Dated 16th November 1917.

## PERSONAL STAFF.

**No. 2072.**—The Viceroy and Governor-General has been pleased to make the following appointments on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 1st December 1917 :—

*To be Indian Aide-de-Camp.*

Risaldar-Major Muhammad Akbar Ali Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, 7th Haryana Lancers, *vice* Risaldar-Major Karm Singh, *Bahadur*, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse), retired.

*To be Honorary Aide-de-Camp.*

Risaldar-Major Karm Singh, *Bahadur*, late 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

## INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

**No. 2073.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, with effect from the dates specified :—

Bhola Nath	6th November 1917.
Bantwal Rama Bhatji	9th November 1917.

**No. 2074.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1374, dated the 24th August 1917, for "Shankar Lal" read "Shankar Lal Patney."

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2075.**—The undermentioned to be temporary Second-Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Michael John Taggart	7th December 1917.
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**No. 2076.**—The following are appointed to the Indian Army on probation, subject to His Majesty's approval, with a view to permanent appointment, with effect from the dates specified :—

*To be Lieutenants.*

Temporary Captain Guy Dowling, 2-4th Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), attached 3rd Brahmins. Dated 3rd November 1917 but to rank from 5th May 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Maurice Arthur Haines, Machine Gun Corps (Motor Branch), attached 1st Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 21st August 1917 but to rank from 18th May 1916

Lieutenant Forrest Henry Hartnoll, 1-5th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 14th September 1917 but to rank from 1st June 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Frederick Hill Ledgerwood, 7th Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), attached 89th Punjabis. Dated 21st August 1917 but to rank from 16th June 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Edward Maurice Carter, 15th Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, attached 120th Rajputana Infantry. Dated 21st August 1917 but to rank from 22nd June 1916.

Lieutenant John Maurice Hastings, 2-1st London Divisional Signal Company, Royal Engineers, attached 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from 28th June 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Frederick Percival St. Maur, Royal 1st Devon Yeomanry, attached 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse). Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 14th July 1916.

Lieutenant Ronald Jocelyn Leslie Scott, General List, attached 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 24th July 1916.

Second Lieutenant Leo Matthew Hilliard, 5th (Princess Charlotte of Wales's) Dragoon Guards, attached 7th Haryana Lancers. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 11th August 1916.

Lieutenant Arthur William Ord Hasted, 3rd Battalion, The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), attached 2nd Battalion, 113th Infantry. Dated 19th August 1917 but to rank from 5th September 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Charles Fleming Aitken, Welsh Horse, attached 39th King George's Own Central India Horse. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from 20th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Turberville Rowley Evans, 10th Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), attached 29th Punjabis. Dated 25th June 1917 but to rank from 26th September 1916.

Lieutenant Douglas David Malcolm Urquhart, 11th Battalion, The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), attached 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry. Dated 5th May 1917 but to rank from 29th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Reginald Arthur Delafons, General List, attached 3rd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 31st July 1917 but to rank from 6th October 1916.

Lieutenant Charles Eric Hobbs, 1st Reserve Regiment of Lancers, attached 16th Cavalry. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from 8th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Reginald Albert Hamer, Royal Field Artillery, attached 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse). Dated 7th September 1917 but to rank from 15th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant John Bell Nelson, 5th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment, attached 125th Napier's Rifles. Dated 8th September 1917 but to rank from 29th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant John France Warburton, 3rd Battalion, The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), attached 18th Pioneers. Dated 5th November 1917 but to rank from 8th February 1917.

Lieutenant Denis Sidney Brown, General List, attached 1st Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 17th September 1917 but to rank from 15th February 1917.

Lieutenant William Ernest Tollit, 4th Battalion, The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, attached 2nd Battalion, 112th Infantry. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from 18th February 1917.

Lieutenant Herbert Louis Mostyn-Owen, Montgomeryshire Yeomanry, attached 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry. Dated 24th August 1917 but to rank from 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant Lionel George Homewood Heaver, 1-4th Battalion, The Cheshire Regiment, attached 41st Dogras. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 8th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Richard Crocombe, 3rd Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, attached 76th Punjabis. Dated 6th June 1917 but to rank from 26th March 1917.

Lieutenant William Dobie Marshall, 1-8th Battalion, The Manchester Regiment, attached 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from the 4th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Geoffrey Scott, Glamorgan Yeomanry, attached 2nd Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 18th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant James Dow Sainter, 6th Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), attached 66th Punjabis. Dated 16th September 1917 but to rank from the 7th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant Geoffrey Carl Allen, 9th Battalion, The London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles), attached 29th Punjabis. Dated 28th July 1917 but to rank from the 9th May 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant Douglas Gerald Carr, 3rd Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, attached 120th Rajputana Infantry. Dated 25th September 1917 but to rank from the 11th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant Alfred Leeming, 9th Battalion, The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), attached 106th Hazara Pioneers. Dated 16th September 1917 but to rank from the 14th May 1917.

Lieutenant Thomas Cuthbert Chalmers, 1-1st Ayrshire Yeomanry, attached 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry. Dated 16th August 1917 but to rank from the 17th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant Conroy Richdale Richdale, 1-5th Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry. Dated 14th September 1917 but to rank from the 26th May 1917.

Second-Lieutenant Frank Leonard Stott, 1st Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 112th Infantry. Dated 30th July 1917 but to rank from the 23rd June 1917.

Second Lieutenant Howard Allan Cornewall Lewis, 8th Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 113th Infantry. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 7th July 1917.

Second Lieutenant James Louis Hunt, 2-23rd Battalion, The London Regiment, attached 37th Dogras. Dated 5th November 1917 but to rank from the 9th July 1917.

Second Lieutenant William Albens Power, 2-24th Battalion, The London Regiment (The Queen's), attached 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis). Dated 5th November 1917 but to rank from the 28th October 1917.

#### *To be Second Lieutenants.*

Second Lieutenant Harold Victor John Hill, Machine Gun Corps, attached 29th Punjabis. Dated 26th June 1917 but to rank from the 1st July 1916.

Second Lieutenant Martin Wales Robinson Barracrough, Lancashire Hussars, attached 7th Haryana Lancers. Dated 6th June 1917 but to rank from the 25th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant James Eliot Stephen, 2nd Battalion, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), attached 19th Punjabis. Dated 12th September 1917 but to rank from the 28th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Wilfrid Arthur Blyde, Berkshire Yeomanry, attached 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse). Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 11th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Leonard Mitchell, 11th Battalion, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), attached 110th Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 10th August 1917 but to rank from the 21st October 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant George Henry McCutcheon, 5th Battalion, The Royal Irish Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 30th July 1917 but to rank from the 15th November 1916.

Second Lieutenant Alfred Lakeland Fell, 1-8th Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), attached 3rd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles). Dated 21st September 1917 but to rank from the 11th April 1917.

Lieutenant John Adams Coventon, 2-1st Scottish Horse, attached 8th Cavalry. Dated 2nd August 1917 but to rank from the 5th June 1917.

Second Lieutenant John Arthur Clarke, 4th Battalion, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), attached 66th Punjabis. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 5th June 1917.

Second Lieutenant Charles Eglesfield Norman, 4th South African Infantry, attached 1st Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 20th August 1917 but to rank from the 26th June 1917.

Second Lieutenant Victor Ballard, 2-1st Scottish Horse, attached 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis). Dated 3rd November 1917 but to rank from the 26th June 1917.

Second Lieutenant Fenwick Temperley Gass, 4th Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, attached 2nd Battalion, 113th Infantry. Dated 27th July 1917 but to rank from the 25th July 1917.

Second Lieutenant George Arthur Falconer, 1st Reserve Regiment of Cavalry, attached 28th Light Cavalry. Dated 28th August 1917 but to rank from the 23th August 1917.

#### **ARMY RESERVES.**

**No. 2077.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

#### *Cavalry Branch.*

#### *To be Second Lieutenant.*

Frank Burton Leach.

Dated 1st December 1917.

*Infantry Branch.**To be Captain.*

George Vance Fielding Scovell.

Dated 27th November 1917.

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Reginald Willows Hildyard-Marris.	}	Dated 2nd November 1917.
Guy Lynn.		
Charles Stewart Campbell.		Dated 6th November 1917.
Bertram Edward Mitchell.		Dated 12th November 1917.
Charles Theodore Jefferies.		Dated 16th November 1917.
John Edward Walsh.		Dated 22nd November 1917.
Frederick Gerald Rappoport.		Dated 23rd November 1917.
George Eyre Wilson.	}	
Alexander Radcliffe Hepburn Murray.		Dated 1st December 1917.

**No. 2078.**—Ernest Walter Midelton (temporary Second Lieutenant), 1st Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry), to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, dated 27th November 1917, but to rank from the 22nd July 1916.

**No. 2079.**—Second Lieutenant Charles Stewart Campbell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Divisional Recruiting Officer. Dated the 6th November 1917.

**No. 2080.**—Second Lieutenant Reginald Willows Hildyard-Marris, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Major, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Commandant, Ford Motor Van Company. Dated 2nd November 1917.

**No. 2081.**—Second Lieutenant Guy Lynn, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Workshop Officer, Ford Motor Van Company. Dated 2nd November 1917.

**No. 2082.**—The undermentioned Second Lieutenants of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain (without pay and allowances of that rank), subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Assistant Recruiting Officers, with effect from the 25th November 1917 :—

Robert Paul Warburton.

Hugh Kennedy Trevaskis.

**No. 2083.**—In Army Department Notification No. 711, dated the 11th May 1917, for "Charles Houston" read "Charles Houston."

**No. 2084.**—Army Department Notification No. 1160, dated the 24th December 1914, so far as it relates to Chetwode Percy Evall, is cancelled.

**No. 2085.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1238, dated the 3rd August 1917, for "Chetwode Percy Evall" read "Chetwode Percy Evill."

## LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 2086.**—The following extracts are published for general information :—

*Fourth Supplement dated the 25th August 1917 to the London Gazette of the 24th August 1917, page 8852*

*India Office,  
25th August, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in and appointments to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire in recognition of the meritorious services of the undermentioned gentlemen in connection with the war :—

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*To be additional Companions of the said Most Eminent Order :—*

Temporary Captain Cecil Sutherland Waite.

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Temporary Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Seaburne Guthrie Arthur May Moens, British Red Cross Society.

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Major (temporary Brigadier-General) Henry Owen Knox, C.M.G.

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Charles Rowlatt Watkins, Esq., Imperial Customs Department.

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*Second Supplement dated the 1st October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 28th September 1917, pages 10133, 10134, 10138 and 10141.*

*War Office,  
1st October, 1917.*

#### REGULAR FORCES.

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#### ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing.*—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

*Flight Comdrs.*—From Flying Officers, and to be temp. Capts. whilst so empd. :

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2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) J. B. Walmsley, Ind. Inf. 15th Sept. 1917.

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#### MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Lt.-Cols. whilst empd. as Asst. Prov.-Marshals. 14th Sept. 1917.—

Maj. A. G. Maxwell, ret. pay, Ind. Army :—

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#### GENERAL LIST.

Temp. 2nd Lt. D. Sim, from actg. Lt., Trg. Res., to be temp. Lt. on appt. as probr. to Ind. Army Res. of Off. 25 July 1917. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 14 Sept. 1917 incorrectly describing rank.)

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*Fifth Supplement dated the 2nd October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 28th September 1917, pages 10166, 10167 and 10168*

*War Office,  
2nd October, 1917.*

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### INFANTRY.

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##### *Lan. Fus.*

Temp. Maj. (F. T. Hunter-Gray (Capt., ret. Ind. Army), from R. Highrs. (attd.), to be temp. Maj. (with seniority 10 Feb. 1916) and to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 8 Aug. 1917.

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*Garrison Battalions*

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*L'pool R.*

Temp. Maj. C. E. Ross (Capt., ret. Ind. Army), to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 3 May 1917 to 29 May 1917.

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*Supplement dated the 3rd October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 2nd October 1917, pages 10231, 10232, 10233, 10235 and 10237.*

*War Office,  
3rd October, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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## A. G.'s AND Q. M. G.'s STAFF.

*A. A. Gs.*—Maj. W. B. Roberts, D. S. O., Ind. Inf., from a G. S. O., 2nd Grade, and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld., *vice* Bt. Col. H. C. Tytler, Ind. Army. 27th Mar., 1917.

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## ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

*Comdrs.*—(Graded for purposes of pay as A. A. Gs.)—And to be temp. Cols. whilst so empld.—Bt. Lt.-Col. P. H. Dyke, Ind. Inf. 15th May 1917.

Bt. Lt.-Col. G. M. Orr, Ind. Cav., from an A. A. and Q. M. G., *vice* Bt. Lt.-Col. R. A. de B. Rose, D. S. O., Wore R. 27th May 1917.

*Brig. Majors.*

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Capt. A. F. Hamilton, M. C., Ind. Inf., from a Staff Capt., *vice* Maj. W. B. Roberts, D. S. O., Ind. Inf. 25th Feb. 1917.

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*Asst. Pro.-Marshal.*—(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Capt.)—Maj. P. L. Coleridge, Ind. Inf., from graded as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl. 1st June 1917.

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*Gen. List.*

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The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. 1st Sept. 1917 :—

M. G. Sykes, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

L. H. Forrest, Ind. Inf.

A. G. V. Taylor, Ind. Army.

H. F. Knight, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

E. H. P. Jolly, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

O. S. Waymouth, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

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## MEMORANDA.

Col. F. C. Muspratt, C. M. G., Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst empld. as a Brig. Comdr. 3rd Sept 1917.

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## MACHINE GUN CORPS.

C. J. Ainslie (late 2nd Lt., I.A.R.O.) to be temp. 2nd Lt. 13 Apr. 1917.

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*Second Supplement dated the 3rd October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 2nd October 1917, pages 10249 and 10250.*

War Office,  
3rd October, 1917.

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## CORRECTIONS.

London Gazette 9th March, 1917.

Page 2448.—Major Leonard Sueton Hirsch Smithers, Infantry, Indian Army. Decoration awarded should read "with Swords."

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*Third Supplement dated the 4th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 2nd October 1917, pages 10254 and 10255.*

War Office,  
4th October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

## INFANTRY.

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## Service Battalions.

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Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) A. M. Mills, D.S.O. (Ind. Army), relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to be empld. with a Bn. 5 July 1917.

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*Fourth Supplement dated the 5th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 2nd October 1917, page 10268.*

War Office,  
5th October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

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## ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing*—The undermentioned appts. are made:—

*Staff Officer, 2nd Cl.*—(Graded as a Brig. Maj.)—Maj. A. H. W. Elias Wynn, Ind. Inf. 10th Sept. 1917.

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*Supplement dated the 6th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 5th October 1917, pages 10347, 10350, 10351 and 10352.*

War Office,  
6th October, 1917.

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## MEMORANDA.

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Temp. Lt. M. H. D. Cockayne, E. Surr. R., is transfd. to Gen. List, for duty as a probationer, Ind. Army. 5th Aug. 1917.

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## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

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*Asst. Prov. Marshals* (Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.).—Lt. N. de C. Hardwick, Ind. Army Res., and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empd, *vice* Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. B. Goyder, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 10th Apr. 1917.

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*Second Supplement dated the 8th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 5th October 1917, pages 10365, 10371 and 10373.*

*War Office,  
8th October, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

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## UNATTACHED LIST FOR INDIAN ARMY.

Gentleman Cadet Henry James Franklin, from R. Mil. Coll., to be 2nd Lt., with a view to his appt. to Ind. Army. 5th July 1917, with seniority from 16th Aug. 1916. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 4th July 1917.)

## MEMORANDA.

Col. W. Thuillier, ret pay, Ind. Army, is granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Genl. 9th Oct. 1917.

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## INFANTRY.

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Temp. Capt. R. E. Oliver (Hon. Maj., Ind. Vols.), from a Garr. Bn., to be temp. Capt (attd). 9 May 1917, with seniority 22 Jan. 1916.

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## PROMOTIONS.

**No. 2087.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Major C. J. Torrie, D S.O., 30th Punjabis, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the appointment of Commandant of the Signal Service Depôt, Poona. Dated the 23rd October 1917.

Captain W. R. Warden, 75th Carnatic Infantry, to be acting Major while holding the appointment of 2nd-in-command, Signal Service Depôt, Poona. Dated the 7th November 1917.

**No. 2088.**—Second Lieutenant W. S. Morse, 1-7th Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment, granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain on appointment to command a troop in an existing vacancy. Dated 19th October 1917.



**No. 2089.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

Lieutenant A. H. Pettitt to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 26th August 1917, *vice* Captain C. H. E. Wilson, promoted, with effect from 26th August 1917.

*General List.*

*Infantry.*

**No. 2090.**—The undermentioned to be temporary Quartermaster with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, while serving with an Indian Defence Force unit :—

Edward Owden Bramston, from Royal Engineers. Dated 16th November 1917.

GARRISON BATTALIONS.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2091.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Royal Scots Fusiliers.*

Major W. B. Rankin to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel, while commanding a battalion, dated 16th November 1917, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel T. H. O'Brien, granted leave on medical certificate, *ex* India, with effect from 1st November 1917.

*The Royal Irish Rifles.*

Captain J. C. O. Aldworth to be acting Major to complete the establishment. Dated 20th June 1917, *vice* Major J. W. R. Bathe, struck off the strength, with effect from 5th June 1917.

Lieutenant J. L. Kinnaird to be acting Captain to complete the establishment. Dated 24th May 1917, *vice* Captain C. Thatcher, struck off the strength, with effect from 9th May 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2092.**—The following relinquishment and grant of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Durham Light Infantry.*

Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) B. T. Sketchley relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company. Dated 23rd October 1917.

Second Lieutenant J. Mahoney to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 7th November 1917, *vice* 2nd-Lieutenant (acting Captain) B. T. Sketchley, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from the 23rd October 1917.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2093.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The East Surrey Regiment.*

Major G. A. M. Roe to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 3rd December 1917, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. K. Harvey, T. D., vacated, with effect from 18th November 1917.

*The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment).*

Lieutenant J. J. Wiles to be acting Captain while acting as Adjutant but with pay and allowances as for a Lieutenant. Dated 14th September 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2094.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

7th November 1917.

Archibald Duncan Macpherson, Supernumerary List.

Charles Aitchison Smith, Supernumerary List.

*Captains to be Majors.*

22nd October 1917.

George Dodd Martin, M.C., 9th Bhopal Infantry.

Leonard Duncan Rolfe, 96th Berar Infantry.

Henry Martin Leapman, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.*

1st July 1917.

Harold Victor John Hill, attached 29th Punjabis.

25th September 1917.

Martin Wales Robinson Barraclough, attached 7th Haryana Lancers.

28th September 1917.

James Eliot Stephen, attached 19th Punjabis.

11th October 1917.

Wilfrid Arthur Blyde, attached 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

21st October 1917.

Leonard Mitchell, attached 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.

18th November 1917.

George Henry McCutcheon, attached 2nd Battalion, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

**No. 2095.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*28th Light Cavalry.*

Major W. G. B. I. Hawley to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a regiment. Dated 17th October 1917, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Wikeley, vacated, with effect from 2nd October 1917.

*1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners*

Lieutenant P. W. Craker, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 16th September 1917, *vice* acting Captain A. C. Austin, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated, with effect from 1st September 1917.

*5th Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) L. D. Modget, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 22nd July 1917.

Major J. W. H. D. Tyndall to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 26th September 1917, *vice* Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) L. P. Ball, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 11th September 1917.

Captain (acting Major) W. D. Hall relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 11th September 1917.

*15th Ludhiana Sikhs.*

Second Lieutenant G. T. H. Harding, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 2nd to 12th March 1917, inclusive, *vice* Captain R. D. Crew, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force), vacated, with effect from 15th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant G. T. H. Harding, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 20th April 1917 to 15th May 1917, inclusive, *vice* Captain A. H. Muir, vacated, with effect from 5th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant A. E. Farwell, attached, to be Captain while commanding a company. Dated 31st May 1917 to 31st August 1917, inclusive, *vice* Second Lieutenant G. T. H. Harding, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated, with effect from 16th May 1917.

Lieutenant R. E. Banks, 2-6th Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 30th July 1917, *vice* Captain G. B. Henderson, vacated, with effect from 15th July 1917.

Lieutenant H. V. Spankie, 4th Battalion, The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 16th to 22nd September 1917, inclusive, *vice* Lieutenant A. E. Farwell, vacated, with effect from 1st September 1917.

Lieutenant H. V. Spankie, 4th Battalion, The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 8th October 1917, *vice* Captain G. B. Henderson, vacated, with effect from 23rd September 1917.

#### *30th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant K. L. F. Armitage, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 22nd August 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. Powell, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 5th August 1917 (prisoner of war).

Captain (acting Major) W. K. P. Wilson relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 4th August 1917 (wounded).

Temporary Lieutenant J. Shaw, General List, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th September 1917.

#### *33rd Punjabis.*

Captain H. S. Bulkley (since deceased), to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 19th July 1917, *vice* Major R. B. Graham, placed on the sick list with effect from 4th July 1917.

Lieutenant J. N. Taylor, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, (since deceased), to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 19th July 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) G. T. Pender, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 7th July 1917.

Lieutenant D. Keegan to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 25th July 1917.

Lieutenant G. T. Pender, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 10th August 1917.

Lieutenant H. F. Dempster, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 11th August 1917.

Lieutenant B. G. Murray-Shirreff, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 21st August 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. Keegan, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 6th August 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Major) G. T. Pender, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 20th August 1917 (sick).

#### *57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Major J. T. Willans, D.S.O., to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 4th June 1917, *vice* Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) L. Forbes, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 20th May 1917.

Captain (acting Major) E. K. Fowler, M.C., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 20th May 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. W. Waite, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 20th May 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. B. C. Preston, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 19th August 1917.

Lieutenant J. A. Glegg to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 3rd September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. W. Waite, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquished the acting rank of Captain (granted to him in Army Department Notification No. 1745, dated 12th October 1917), with effect from 19th August 1917.

Captain E. K. Fowler, M.C., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 19th September 1917, *vice* Major L. Forbes, placed on sick list with effect from 4th September 1917.

Lieutenant E. B. C. Preston, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 19th September 1917.

Lieutenant E. W. Waite, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 26th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. L. Piper, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 11th September 1917.

*61st King George's Own Pioneers.*

Lieutenant J. P. Massy, 81st Pioneers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 7th August 1917, *vice* Captain J. M. R. Ford, appointed second-in-command, with effect from 23rd July 1917.

Lieutenant T. L. M. Fuge, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 15th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) B. M. Blackburn, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 31st August 1917.

Lieutenant B. M. Blackburn, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 16th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) G. S. Johnson, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 1st September 1917 (sick).

*63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.*

Captain (acting Major) W. T. Windeler relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 12th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. P. C. Brown relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 12th October 1917.

*89th Punjabis.*

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) N. M. Geoghegan relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to Command a battalion. Dated 7th September 1917.

*3rd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.*

Major O. A. Chaldecott, 1st Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 14th August 1917 to 3rd September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant J. R. Gregory, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 14th August 1917 to 1st September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant W. P. Hales, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 14th August 1917 to 3rd September 1917, inclusive.

Second Lieutenant C. M. Slaughter, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 23rd August 1917 to 8th September 1917, inclusive.

Major B. F. R. Holbrooke, 1st Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 24th September 1917, *vice* Major F. W. Morton-Marshall, vacated, with effect from 9th September 1917.

*130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) F. W. Leese, 29th Punjabis, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 10th September 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).*

Major A. E. Johnson to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 15th to 28th August 1917, inclusive, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel E. D. Money, C.I.E., appointed temporary Brigade Commander, 43rd Infantry Brigade, with effect from 31st July 1917.

*4th Battalion, 3rd Gurkha Rifles.*

Lieutenant G. L. Field, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th February 1917 to 5th July 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant G. J. Knowles, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th February 1917.

Lieutenant T. M. Morton, 5th Battalion, The Royal Irish Rifles, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 21st July 1917, *vice* Lieutenant G. L. Field, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated, with effect from 6th July 1917.

## ARMY RESERVES.

**No. 2096.**—Second Lieutenant John Francis Grant, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from 1st August 1917, but to rank from the 1st September 1915.

**No. 2097.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1111, dated the 1<sup>st</sup> July 1917, for "published in Army Department Notification No. 685, dated the 4th May 1917" read "published in Army Department Notification No. 19, dated the 6th January 1917."

**No. 2098.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1158, dated the 20th July 1917, against the name of Sydney Minta Bradley, after the words "dated the 9th March 1917" add "but to rank from the 26th March 1916."

#### INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

**No. 2099.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval : —

##### *Captains to be Majors.*

Dated 1st August 1917.

Harry William Pierpoint, F.R.C.S.  
 William David Henderson Stevenson, M.D.  
 Henry Patullo Cook, M.B., F.R.C.S.E.  
 William James Fraser, M.B., F.R.C.S.E.  
 Charles Aubrey Godson.  
 Reginald Henry Lee, M.B.  
 William Anderson Mearns, M.B.  
 William Barbour Alexander Kennedy Cullen, M.D.

#### SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS

**No. 2100.**—The undermentioned Commissaries and honorary Captains of the Supply and Transport Corps are granted the honorary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval ; with effect from the 21st September 1917 :—

William McWalters.	Richard Howell.
Michael Joseph Doyle.	George Newton.
William Henry Grindley.	Thomas Whittaker.
Edward John Ryan.	Henry Graveson.
James Hewitt.	William John Lyttle.
Thomas Duthie.	William Bernard Ruddock.
George Herbert Pulleyn, M.C.	

##### *Late Bengal-Punjab List.*

**No. 2101.**—Deputy Commissary and honorary Captain Frederick Rodney Ross Ricketts, supernumerary, to be Commissary, supernumerary, and to have the honorary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval,

Deputy Commissary and honorary Captain (supernumerary Commissary and honorary Major) Thomas Duthie, supernumerary, to be absorbed in the grade of Commissary, but to remain supernumerary,

Deputy Commissary and honorary Captain William Williams to be Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval,

vice Commissary and honorary Major George Herbert Pulleyn, M.C., supernumerary, on attaining the age of 55 years ; with effect from the 27th September 1917.

(Army Department Notification No 1881, dated the 2nd November 1917, so far as it relates to the absorption of Commissary and honorary Major Thomas Duthie, and the promotion of Deputy Commissaries and honorary Captains Frederick Rodney Ross Ricketts and William Williams, is hereby cancelled).

#### NATIVE ARMY

##### APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS

**No. 2102.**—The following direct appointment is made :—

##### *1st Battalion, 9th Russell's Infantry.*

Bani Singh to be Jemadar, on probation, with effect from the 19th August 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

##### *56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force)*

**No. 2103.**—Jemadar Shib Singh, appointed on probation in Army Department Notification No. 49, dated the 17th January 1913, is confirmed in his appointment, with effect from the 14th December 1912.

**No. 2104.**—The following promotions are made :—

*3rd Skinner's Horse.*

Kot-Dafadar Mukand Singh to be Jemadar, with the acting rank of Ressaidar while employed with the 10th Camel Corps, with effect from the 10th November 1916; and to be seconded

Kot-Dafadar Badshah Husain to be Jemadar, with the acting rank of Ressaidar while employed with the 10th Camel Corps, with effect from the 3rd April 1917; and to be seconded

Kot-Dafadar Wali Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd May 1917; and to be seconded.

*7th Haryana Lancers.*

Kot-Dafadar Ran Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th June 1917 and, Dafadar Kapur Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).*

Jemadar Mir Zaman Khan to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 23rd September 1917; and to remain seconded.

*15th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).*

Jemadar Sohan Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 6th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

*17th Cavalry.*

Kot-Dafadar Fateh Khan to be Jemadar, with the acting rank of Ressaidar while employed with the 2nd Camel Corps, with effect from the 12th April 1916; and to be seconded.

*25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).*

Ressaidars Mahmud Khan and Sripat to be Risaidars, Jemadar Hardit Singh to be Ressaidar and Kot-Dafadars Alishan and Jan Muhammad to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*38th King George's Own Central India Horse.*

Dafadar Chuhan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*Signal Service Units.*

Jemadars Appalsami and Khan Zaman to be Subadars, Dafadar Ahmad Nabi Khan, [1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse)], Havildars Indar Singh (88th Dogras), Kala Singh (No 31 Divisional Signal Company), Muhammad Afzal (106th Hazara Pioneers), Chinnasami Naiyada (81st Pioneers), Panchanadan (81st Pioneers), Dafadar Fateh Muhammad (5th Cavalry) and Havildar Ghulam Nabi (79th Carnatic Infantry) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 10th Jats.*

Havildar-Major Gulab to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*11th Rajputs.*

Havildar Beni Singh to be Jemadar, with the acting rank of Ressaidar while employed with the 6th Camel Corps, with effect from the 18th October 1916; and to be seconded.

Havildar Ram Biswas Singh to be Jemadar, with the acting rank of Ressaidar while employed with the 6th Camel Corps, with effect from the 21st October 1916; and to be seconded.

*13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).*

Havildar Santa Singh, Havildar-Major Banji Singh, Havildars Mohar Singh, Shimbu Singh and Chaitan Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 25th Punjabs.*

Havildar Ghulam Rasool to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th September 1917; and to remain seconded.

*2nd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.*

Jemadar Ratan Singh Butola to be Subadar, with effect from the 30th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Jemadar Lorinda [52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Subadar, Havildar-Major Rajmal and Havildar Imam Ali [all of 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Jemadars, with effect from the 5th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 67th Punjabis*

Havildar Shams Din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 72nd Punjabis.*

Jemadar Lal Singh to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Atma Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917; *vice* Sohan Singh, Bahadur, transferred to the pension establishment.

Colour-Havildars Firoz Khan, Mal Singh and Hira Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 16th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 72nd Punjabis.*

Jemadars Thamman Singh, Said Ghulam and Jhanda Singh to be Subadars, Colour-Havildar Wadhawa Singh and Havildar Husain Shah to be Jemadars, with effect from the 16th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*75th Carnatic Infantry.*

Havildar-Major Shaikh Mahbub to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st July 1917, Colour-Havildar Sayyid Azimuddin to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917, and Havildar S. Ayyulu Naidu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*81th Punjabis.*

Havildars Tara Singh and Firoz Khan to be Jemadars, with the acting rank of Ressaidar while employed with the 7th Camel Corps, with effect from the 15th October 1916; and to be seconded.

*1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.*

Havildar Ude Sing Gurung to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st December 1917; *vice* Ahiman Thapa, transferred to the pension establishment

*1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Havildars Rewantia Thapa and Lal Sing Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st March 1917 and Havildar Dattu Ale to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Labour Corps.*

Havildars Jiwan Singh and Basheswar Nath to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*28th Mountain Battery.*

**No. 2105.** - The promotion of Subadar Karm Singh, published in Army Department Notification No. 390, dated the 10th March 1917, is antedated without pay and allowances to the 8th September 1915.

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**RESIGNATIONS.****INDIAN ARMY.***Army Reserves.*

**No. 2106.** - Captain Edward Charles Edwards, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 6th December 1917.

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**DISMISSALS AND REMOVALS.****INDIAN ARMY.***Army Reserves.*

**No. 2107.**—Second Lieutenant Lionel Carpenter-Turner, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is cashiered by sentence of a General Court Martial; with effect from the 8th November 1917.

**INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.**

**No. 2108.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the services of temporary Lieutenant Mohan Lal Kedar Nath Dixit are dispensed with, being no longer required; with effect from the 7th November 1917.

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**RETENTIONS.***Supply and Transport Corps.*

**No. 2109.**—In line 1 of Army Department Notification No. 1891, dated the 2nd November 1917, for "Commissary and Honorary Captain George Herbert Pulleyn, M. C." read "Commissary and Honorary Major George Herbert Pulleyn, M. C."

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**REWARDS.***Meritorious Service Medal.*

**No. 2110.**—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Meritorious Service Medal, without annuity, to the undermentioned for good work and devotion to duty :—

No. 3191 Acting Pack Store Havildar Shaikh Abdul Ghani, Infantry.

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**SPECIAL.**

**No. 2111.**—With reference to paragraph 305, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the undermentioned officers, having been absent from military duty for 10 years, are transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the dates specified :—

Major Douglas Roden Giffard Oliver, Political Employ. 18th July 1916.

Captain Arthur Stanley Meek, Political Employ. 16th October 1917.

Major Cyril Charles Johnson Barrett, Political Employ. 29th October 1917.

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**JUDICIAL.****CANTONMENTS—REGULATIONS.**

**No. 2112.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Cantonment Code, 1912 namely :—

Sub-clause (ii) of clause (a) of section 77 shall be omitted and Sub-clauses (iii) and (iv) of that section shall be renumbered (ii) and (iii).

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**INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.****APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.**

**No. 2113**—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lawrence John Lumley Dundas, Earl of Ronaldshay, G.C.I.E., Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Commandant of the undermentioned Corps :—

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles. Dated 1st May 1917.



*United Provinces Horse.**2nd (Northern) Regiment.*

**No. 2114.**—Captain Charles Fred Maxmilan de Hoxar, V.D., resigns his commission, and is granted, on retirement, the honorary rank of Major. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Nagpur Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2115.**—Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) Sir Henry John Stanyon, Kt., C.I.E. V.D., resigns his commission, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2116.**—Major Francis Adolphus Pawley, V.D., resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Poona Rifles.*

**No. 2117.**—The following gentlemen are granted temporary commissions, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*To be Lieutenant-Colonel and to command the Battalion.*

George Kemp Walker, C.I.E.

Dated 1st April 1917.

*To be Majors.*

Cyril Graham Smith.  
Robert Scott Cree Brown.

} Dated 1st April 1917.

*To be Captains.*

Murray Stuart.  
John Arthur Bolton Grier.  
Graves William Eves.  
Edwin Merle Duggan.  
Harry Campbell Howie.

} Dated 1st April 1917.

*To be Lieutenants.*

Clement Ayerst Beyts.  
Thomas Sylvanus Pipe.

} Dated 1st April 1917.

*To be 2nd Lieutenants.*

Gilbert Wiles.  
Tom Dobson.  
Ernest Edwin Coombs.  
Edwin Verney Richards.

} Dated 17th November 1917.

*To be Captain (Supernumerary List.)*

Thomas Rowan.

Dated 1st April 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

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### NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 7th December 1917.*

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given:—

*First.*—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

*Secondly.*—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

*Thirdly*—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
2nd Lieutenant K. S. Waters.	Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached No. 1 Mountain Battery, R. G. A.	Bara Gali, Hazara.	30th May 1917.	Intestate .	745 14 9	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
Secretary to the Government of India.

### MARINE DEPARTMENT.

*Delhi, the 7th December 1917.*

#### LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 78.**—The following extracts are published for general information :—

*Supplement dated the 13th July 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th July 1917, pages 7049 and 7053.*

*War Office,  
13th July 1917.*

MEMORANDA.	*	*	*	*	*
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The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants for duty with Inland Water Transport :—					
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W. P. Peters. 6th June 1917.					
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*Second Supplement dated the 1st October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 23rd September 1917, pages 10133, 10135, 10153 and 10159.*

*War Office,  
1st October, 1917*

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.	*	*	*	*	*
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The undermentioned officers, R. Ind. Mar., to be temp. Majors. 30th Apr. 1917 :—					
Lt.-Comdrs.—					
H. M. K. Moillet.					
B. C. Marsh.					
Engr. Lt.-Comdrs.—					
T. B. Newton.					
A. H. Baker.					
T. G. H. Harvey.					
G. S. Hindman.					
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The undermentioned officers, R. Ind. Mar., to be temp. Capts. 30th Apr. 1917 :—

Lts —

H. T. Boulthée.

H. W. Thomas.

**Engrs.—**

T. A. Lemon.  
A. H. E. de Woolfson.  
R. C. Morley.  
R. H. Baker.  
G. L. Annett.  
Fred Burton.  
F. Greenlees.  
W. E. Williams.  
W. G. Horley.

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**MEMORANDA.**

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The undermentioned officers, R. Ind. Mar., to be temp. Cpts. for duty with Inland Water Trans. :—

**Temp. Lts.—**

- C. S. Hewlett. 9th Feb. 1917.
- P. Granger. 10th Feb. 1917.
- E. R. Frankland. 8th Mar. 1917.
- Temp. Engr. Archibald Clark. 10th Feb. 1917.

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The appt. of temp. Lt. E. T. Williams, R. Ind. Mar., to a temp. comm. as Lt, Gen. List, is cancelled.

John Edward Williams to be temp. Lt for duty with Inland Water Trans. 1st Oct. 1916

The undermentioned temp. Engrs., R. Ind. Mar., to be temp Lts. for duty with Inland Water Trans. 10th Feb. 1917 :—

J. Watt.  
A. R. Stephenson.  
W. T. Chalmers.  
A. Macintyre.  
S. S. Nickels.  
Robert Hutton.  
Herbert Nelson.  
W. C. Munro.  
B. E. Tibbs. 11th Feb. 1917.  
T. W. Pennington. 25th Feb 1917.

The undermentioned temp. Lts., R. Ind. Mar., to be temp. Lts for duty with Inland Water Trans. 10th Feb. 1917 :—

J. Collings.  
T. J. Roberts.  
T. Reid.  
W. C. Perett.  
E. Smithson. 24th Feb. 1917.  
W. White. 5th Mar. 1917.  
T. A. O. Thompson. 5th Apl. 1917.  
J. R. Graham. 11th Apl. 1917.  
J. H. Flint. 12th Apl. 1917.

The undermentioned temp. Asst. Engrs, R. Ind. Mar., to be temp Lts for duty with Inland Water Trans. :—

D. E. Chalk. 10th Feb. 1917.  
W. Hodge. 9th Mar. 1917.  
A. C. Watson. 8th Apl. 1917.  
O. R. Whitby. 20th Apl. 1917.

The undermentioned, from R. Ind. Mar., to be temp. Lts. for duty with Inland Water Trans. :—

Temporary Sub-Lt. H. L. Jones. 3rd Aug. 1917.  
Temp. Asst. Engr. A. E. Woods. 5th Aug. 1917

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*Supplement dated 4th 6th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 5th October 1917, pages 10347 and 15350.*

War Office,  
6th October, 1917.

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**MEMORANDA.**

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Temp Lt. Eustace Oliver Knowles, R Ind. Mar., to be temp. Capt. for duty with Inland Water Trans. 13th Aug. 1917.

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BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

### NOTIFICATIONS.

*Simla, the 3rd December 1917.*

**No. 1455-E.—17.**—Mr. H. G. N. White, officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, with temporary rank in class I of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 28th April 1917.

**No. 1606.**—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 1303-E.—17, dated the 4th October 1917, Mr G. I. Harvey-Kelly, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, on special duty, is promoted to the rank of officiating District Traffic Superintendent in class II (Supernumerary) of that Establishment with effect from the 21st September 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 1606-2—E.**—The following permanent promotions in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Traffic Department, are ordered:—

Name	From	To	With effect from
Harvey-Kelly, G I.	Class III, grade 2, and class II, officiating (Supernumerary).	Class III, grade 1 and class II, officiating (Supernumerary).	4th November 1917.
Parker, H N.	Class III, grade 2, and class II, officiating (Supernumerary).	Class III, grade 1, and class II, officiating (Supernumerary).	22nd November 1917.
D'Arcy Smith, D.	Class III, grade 3	Class III, grade 2	10th November 1917.

*The 4th December 1917.*

**No. 1695-E.—17.**—Khan Sahib Mirza Sher Muhammed, Head Draftsman, Railway Board's office, is granted the honorary rank of Assistant Engineer.

**No. 1731-E.—17.**—Mr. F. W. Roberts, Superintending Engineer, 1st class, State Railways, is permitted to retire from the service of Government under the provisions of article 650, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st November 1917.

F. A. HADOW,  
*Secretary, Railway Board.*

## INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi, the 7th December 1917.*

**No. G.-335-36.**—Mr A. Appleyard is appointed Bacteriologist, Government Acetone Factory, Nasik, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th October 1917.

**No. G.-335-38.**—Mr. L. S. J. Thompson is appointed Engineer, Government Acetone Factory, Nasik, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th October 1917.

T RYAN,  
*Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 6th December 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

1. A winter depression gave widespread rainfall in Baluchistan, the North-West Frontier Province and the north Punjab, and a few falls of rain and snow in Kashmir. With the exception of some rain in the south of the Peninsula and south Burma, weather was dry over the rest of the country.

2. *Burma.*—Local falls of rain occurred in the coast districts of Lower Burma.

*Northeast India, including Orissa.  
The United Provinces, Central India  
and the Central Provinces.*

} No rain fell.

*Northwest India.*—Rainfall was nearly general in Baluchistan on the 30th November, in the North-West Frontier Province on the 30th November and 1st December, and in the north Punjab on the 1st December.

*The Peninsula.*—Nearly general rain fell in south Madras on the 29th November.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November 29th. Chaman 0·81", Negapatam 3·00", Pamban 1·70", Kodaikanal 1·51" and Calicut 1·71".

„ 30th. Chaman 1·52", Dalbandin 0·64", Quetta 0·53" and Peshawar 0·47".

December 1st. Cherat 0·92", Murree 0·9½ and Rawalpindi 0·61".

„ 4th. Moulmein 1·70".

„ 5th. Madras 3·65".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Orissa, Mysore, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North; and was 20 per cent. or more in excess in Lower Burma, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province and Baluchistan. It was within 20 per cent. of the normal in Kashmir, Malabar and Madras Southeast. No rain usually falls at this time of year in the remaining divisions.

A new rainfall period begins with this week and the departures from normal for the period are thus the same as those for the week.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 6TH DECEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 30TH NOVEMBER TO 6TH DECEMBER 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	1.9	2.7	-0.8	1.9	2.7	-0.8	-30	
Lower Burma . . . . .	0.4	0.2	+0.2	0.4	0.2	+0.2	+100	
Upper Burma . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	
Assam . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	
Bengal . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	
Orissa . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	
Chota Nagpūr . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Bihar . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0.1	0	+0.1	0.1	0	+0.1	-	
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kashmir . . . . .	0.1	0.1	0	0.1	0.1	0	0	
N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0.4	0.1	+0.3	0.4	0.1	+0.3	+200	
Baluchistan . . . . .	0.7	0.2	+0.5	0.7	0.2	+0.5	+250	
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central India, East . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Berar . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Konkan . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mysore . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	
Malabar . . . . .	0.5	0.5	0	0.5	0.5	0	0	
Madras, South-East . . . . .	1.3	1.4	-0.1	1.3	1.4	-0.1	-7	
Madras Deccan . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	0	0.5	-0.5	0	0.5	-0.5	-100	

GILBERT T. WALKER,

Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 6th December 1917.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday,  
1st December 1917.

**Burma.**—During the week Thayetmyo received 2·49 inches of rain and Ruby Mines and Northern Shan States received light showers. In Lower Burma reaping of winter rice has commenced. In several districts of Upper Burma cultivation of miscellaneous winter crops and peas and gathering of groundnuts are proceeding. Plucking of cotton is nearly completed. Standing crops are in good condition. Prospects are favourable. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon has risen considerably to Rs. 97 per hundred baskets and is approximating nearly to normal. The market for white rice is steady at Rs. 250 for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather was seasonable and favourable for standing crops. Plucking and manufacture of tea, harvesting of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Sowing of mustard is nearing completion. Prospects of tea, winter rice, sugarcane and cotton are good. Cattle disease and damage to crops by insects are reported from two districts. The price of common rice has fallen.

**Bengal.**—The week was rainless. Harvesting of winter paddy is in full swing and the outturn is reported to be good. The sowings of wheat, gram and summer rice have commenced. Tobacco seedlings are being transplanted. Cattle disease is reported from seven districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 4 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—There was no rain during the week. Harvesting of paddy is in progress. Pressing of sugarcane has commenced. Sowing of spring crops continues in some districts. The price of common rice has fallen in eight, risen in five and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. Cattle disease is reported from twelve districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

**United Provinces.**—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting of autumn crops is complete and irrigation of spring crops and poppy has commenced. Sowing of spring crops and poppy, pressing of sugarcane, threshing of late rice and picking of cotton continue. Standing crops are doing well. Prospects are favourable. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Little cattle disease is reported. Fodder is dear in some districts. Prices are rising.

**Punjab.**—Except for light showers in a few submontane and western districts the weather remained dry. The condition of cotton is below average and that of sugarcane is good; other crops are below average to average. Picking of cotton and in some districts harvesting of millets and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. The outturn of cotton is below normal and that of other crops is below normal to normal. Wheat, barley and other spring crops are being sown. Sowings are normal or good. Germination is good. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Prices are rising slightly and range between warning and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat:—Ferozepore 8, Ambala and Lyallpur 8½ and Lahore and Rawalpindi 8½ seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—Good rain fell during the week. It was beneficial to standing crops and for spring sowings. Harvesting of autumn crops is proceeding. The outturn is average. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 8½ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—During the week rain fell in Jammu proper. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8½ to 14 seers and maize from 14½ to 23 seers per rupee. Condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease is reported from Kathua tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—The rainfall was good in Muzaffarabad and insignificant elsewhere. Spring sowings are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Rates are high.

**Rajputana.**—The weather was cool. Spring sowings continue. Autumn prospects are fair. Agricultural stock is in fair condition. Prices are rising.

**Central India.**—No rain fell during the week. The weather was clear and cool. Autumn crops are being harvested in Gwalior. Spring crops are being sown everywhere. Standing crops and probable outturn are unsatisfactory in Gwalior and fair elsewhere. Condition of agricultural stock is generally good. Prices are slightly fluctuating in Indore and are steady elsewhere. Reports from Bhopal and Bundelkhand have not been received.

**Central Provinces.**—The weather has been clear and cool. No rain fell anywhere. Reaping and threshing of autumn crops and picking of cotton continue. Spring sowings have been completed in north-western districts. Standing crops are generally in good condition and prospects are favourable. Supply of fodder and water is adequate. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Prices are rising slightly.

*Pendatory States*.—Both autumn and spring crops are in a flourishing condition.

**Bombay.**—Slight rain fell during the week in Savantvadi and Kolhapur. Autumn harvesting continues. Spring sowings are progressing generally. Cotton picking continues in Hyderabad, Thar and Parker, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Kathiawar. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Prices of food grains have slightly risen in parts of Sind and Deccan but are generally steady elsewhere.

**Hyderabad.**—No rain fell during the week. Autumn crops are being harvested. They were damaged by excessive rain in October. Early rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested but has been damaged by blight in parts of Medak, Nalgonda and Karimnagar districts. Spring crops are good and are being weeded. Lands are being prepared for late rice. Prices of grains are high and steady.

**Mysore.**—Price of *ragi* has risen in Hassan and fallen in Chitaldroog. Markets are well supplied. *Ragi* and paddy are being harvested. The outturn is fair. Standing crops are good. Prospects are good.

**Coorg.**—The rainfall was thirteen cents. Condition of rice is good, ears are forming. Picking of coffee and cardamoms continues. Prices of food grains are high. Public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

**Madras.**—The rainfall during the week was general except in Circars and the Deccan. Standing crops are fair to good generally. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. Condition of cattle is generally good. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,  
Secretary to the Government of India.



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.  
PLAGUE.

*Delhi, the 6th December 1917.*

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 1st December 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	.....	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City . . . . .	10	6
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	450	364
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	652	473
		Kaira District . . . . .	371	241
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	47	35
		Surat District . . . . .	83	57
		Broach Port . . . . .	4	6
		Broach District . . . . .	70	55
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	5	6
	Central	Thana District . . . . .	2	1
		Ahmednagar District . . . . .	203	147
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	501	310
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	372	258
		Poona Town . . . . .	149	112
		Poona District . . . . .	282	212
		Nasik District . . . . .	926	693
		Satara District . . . . .	1,028	751
		Southern	Sholapur Town . . . . .	33
	Sholapur District . . . . .		133	113
	Ko'aba District . . . . .		4	3
	Ratnagiri Port . . . . .		3	2
	Belgaum District . . . . .		69	43
	Sind	Dharwar District . . . . .	361	237
		Bijapur District . . . . .	421	296
	Political Charges.	Karachi Town and Port . . . . .	5	4
		Daroda State . . . . .	630	426
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	10	8
		Junu Port . . . . .	4	4
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	71	53
		Cutch State . . . . .	27	18
		Mahuva Port . . . . .	7	5
		Kathliwar Agency . . . . .	311	204
		Kothapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	509	374
		Akalhot State . . . . .	41	35
		Bhor State . . . . .	11	7
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	55	49
		Satara Agency . . . . .	164	123
		Surat Agency . . . . .	4	3
TOTAL . . . . .			8,081	5,835

In the return for the week ending 24th November 1917, the following additions and corrections should be made :—  
 Panoh Mahals District, add 33 cases, 23 deaths.  
 Kanara District, add 5 cases, 3 deaths.  
 Hyderabad District, add 21 cases, 12 deaths.  
 Sukkur District, add 40 cases, 16 deaths.  
 Shikarpur City, add 11 cases, 4 deaths.  
 Upper Sind Frontier District, add 1 case, no death.  
 Cutch State, add 10 cases, 9 deaths.  
 East Khandesh District, read 423 cases for 420 cases.  
 Dharwar District, read 454 cases for 354 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.		Anantapur District . . . . .	678	249
		North Arcot District . . . . .	21	13
		Bellary District . . . . .	883 (a)	695 (a)
		Chittoor District . . . . .	4	5
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	168 (a)	113 (b)
		South Canara District . . . . .	1	1
		Mangalore Port . . . . .	3	3
		Kurnool District . . . . .	6 (a)	4 (c)
		Mandura District . . . . .	1	...
		Malabar District . . . . .	10	6
		Nilgiris District . . . . .	2 (c)	...
		Salem Town . . . . .	46	27
		Salem District . . . . .	75 (d)	49 (c)
		Visagapatam Port . . . . .	18	6
		Tatloorin Port . . . . .	1 (c)	...
		Saudur State . . . . .	2	1
		TOTAL	1,913	1,272
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.		.....	...	0
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	Patna District . . . . .	70	63
		Gaya Town . . . . .	17	17
		Gaya District . . . . .	141	111
		Shahabad District . . . . .	50	40
	Tirhut	Saran District . . . . .	113	98
		Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	28	15
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	17	15
		Darbhanga District . . . . .	57	34
	Bhagalpur.	Bhagalpur District . . . . .	5	2
		Monghyr District . . . . .	113	98
	Ranchi	Hazaribagh District . . . . .	31	17
		Palamau District . . . . .	4	2
		TOTAL	644	543
UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Saharanpur District . . . . .	3	2
	Agra	Agra District . . . . .	1	1
		Mainpuri District . . . . .	28	28
		Etah District . . . . .	3	2
	Rohilkhand	Bijnor District . . . . .	18	18
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City . . . . .	22	22
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	18	14
		Etawah District . . . . .	20	14
		Cawnpore City . . . . .	4	4
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	37	37
		Fatehpur District . . . . .	12	12
		Allahabad City . . . . .	18	18
		Allahabad District . . . . .	139	139
	Jhansi	Jhansi District . . . . .	16	45
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	123	98
	Benares	Benares City . . . . .	8	6
		Benares District . . . . .	60	43
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	183	150
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	256	273
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	183	115
		Ballia District . . . . .	144	144
	Gorakhpur.	Gorakhpur City . . . . .	4	5
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	179	146
		Basti District . . . . .	76	63
		Azamgarh District . . . . .	316	253
	Lucknow	Lucknow City . . . . .	6	3
		Lucknow District . . . . .	30	30
		Unao District . . . . .	168	143
		Liae Bareilly District . . . . .	43	39
		Sitapur District . . . . .	9	8
	Fyzabad	Hardoi District . . . . .	15	20
		Fyzabad District . . . . .	31	19
		Gonda District . . . . .	103	73
		Sultanpur District . . . . .	9	5
		Partabgarh District . . . . .	49	52
		Bareilly District . . . . .	64	53
		TOTAL	2,453	2,091

(a) Two imported. (b) Three imported. (c) One imported. (d) Four imported.  
In the return for the week ending 24th November 1917, add Jaunpur District 108 cases, 63 deaths

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District . . . . .	8	6
	Jullundur	Jullundur District . . . . .	01	45
		Ludhiana District . . . . .	59	35
	Lahore	Lahore City . . . . .	26	18
		Lahore Cantonment . . . . .	28	21
		Lahore District . . . . .	175	131
		Amritsar City . . . . .	1	1
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	4	2
	Rawalpindi.	Shahpur District . . . . .	1	...
		Jhelum District . . . . .	8	7
		Rawalpindi District . . . . .	161	116
	Native States.	Attock District . . . . .	1	1
		Patiala State . . . . .	15	15
	TOTAL		548	398
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town . . . . .	7	5
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	17	16
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town . . . . .	1	1
		Bassein District . . . . .	1	1
	Magwe	Minbu District . . . . .	18	18
		Magwe District . . . . .	1	1
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	70	69
	Mektila	Mektila District . . . . .	20	13
		Myingyan District . . . . .	3	2
	Shan States	Southern Shan States . . . . .	1	1
	TOTAL		115	127
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	31	15
		Nagpur District . . . . .	71	46
		Bhandara District . . . . .	38	25
		Wardha District . . . . .	67	55
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	5	3
		Jubbulpore District . . . . .	169	115
		Saugor Cantonment . . . . .	4	5
		Saugor District . . . . .	108	99
		Damoh District . . . . .	11	16
		Seoni District . . . . .	68	54
		Mandla District . . . . .	1	...
		Hoshangabad District . . . . .	23	23
	Nerbudda	Nimar District . . . . .	17	10
		Narsinghpur District . . . . .	176	132
		Chhindwara District . . . . .	40	31
	Chhatiss-garh.	Raipur District . . . . .	8	7
		Bilaspur District . . . . .	13	9
		Amraoti District . . . . .	125	104
	Berar	Yectmal District . . . . .	49	32
		Akola District . . . . .	205	138
		Buldana District . . . . .	69	51
	TOTAL		1,298	961

In the return for the week ending 24th November 1917, the following corrections and additions should be made :—  
Jullundur District, read 23 deaths for 28 deaths.  
Ludhiana District, add 93 cases, 45 deaths.  
Nabha State add 9 cases, 10 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
ASSAM	...	...	...	...
COORG	...	...	...	...
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station . . . . .	28	22
		Bangalore City . . . . .	8	2
		Bangalore District . . . . .	80	74
		Mysore District . . . . .	21	15
		Hassan District . . . . .	32	21
		Kadur District . . . . .	17	8
		Shimoga District . . . . .	29	18
		Chitaldroog District . . . . .	29	20
		Tumkur District . . . . .	17	13
		Kolar District . . . . .	36	32
TOTAL:			302	223
HYDRABAD STATE.	...	Aurangabad District . . . . .	131	136
		Bir District . . . . .	108	88
		Parbhani District . . . . .	64	40
		Nander District . . . . .	162	114
		Gulbarga District . . . . .	40	81
		Raichur District . . . . .	256	253
		Usmanabad District . . . . .	571	495
		Indar District . . . . .	90	83
		Medak District . . . . .	134	125
		Nizamabad District . . . . .	77	51
		Mahbubnagar District . . . . .	51	44
		Warangal District . . . . .	29	20
		Atraf-i-baldah Sarf-i-Khas . . . . .	2	2
		Karimnagar District . . . . .	5	5
TOTAL			1,720 (a)	1,439 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City . . . . .	07	51
		Indore State . . . . .	160	114
		Indore Residency Bazars . . . . .	1	2
		Mhow Cantonment . . . . .	21	11
		Piploda Town . . . . .	5	2
		Sehore Cantonment . . . . .	1	1
		Bhopal State . . . . .	50	100
		Dhar City . . . . .	2	2
		Dhar State . . . . .	34	31
		Rutlam City . . . . .	5	5
		Bewa State . . . . .	12	9
		Jaora State . . . . .	20	24
		Panna State . . . . .	6	8
TOTAL			434 (b)	355 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer City . . . . .	169	128
		Ajmer District . . . . .	94	78
		Alwar State . . . . .	89	75
		Jaipur City . . . . .	117	117
		Jaipur State . . . . .	303	355
		Bharatpur State . . . . .	26	25
		Jhalawar State . . . . .	15	12
		Kishangarh State . . . . .	1	1
		Mewar State . . . . .	472	396
		Tonk State . . . . .	58	49
		Marwar State . . . . .	905	840
		Sirohi State . . . . .	...	1
		Shahpura State . . . . .	25	9
		Booh State . . . . .	10	4
TOTAL			2,374	2,085
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	.....	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province . . . . .	25	28
TOTAL			25	28
DALU-CHISTAN.	..	..	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			19,987	15,406

(a) From the 19th to the 25th November 1917.

(b) For the week ending 24th November 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

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**Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian  
Railways.**

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Mr. D. K. Pathak . . . . . 442, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

**SHOLAPUR.**

Mr. Vinhu Anant Salgarkar . . . . . C/o Mr. Harichand Amichand Shah, Sholapur.



**Qualified Tamil Teacher.****MADRAS.**

- M. R. Ry. K. Raghavachari . . . . . Senior Tamil Pandit, Wesleyan Mission Girls' High School, Royapettah.  
 M. R. Ry. A. M. Satakoparamanuja Acharya . . . . . Senior Tamil Pandit, National High School, Teppakulam, Trichinopoly.

**Qualified Telugu Teacher.****GODAVARI.**

- M. R. Ry. V. Subba Rao . . . . . Stewartpetta, Pithapuram, Godavari District

*N.B.*—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

*N.B.*—Teachers whose names are preceded by an asterisk (\*) are considered especially competent to give advanced instruction in the language.

CALCUTTA,  
 The 5th November 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,  
 Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

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**SULPHATE OF QUININE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, AND  
 RESIDUAL ALKALOID.**

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Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bona fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge in powder can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of pure amorphous Alkaloid, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPER-INTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.*

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

**SULPHATE OF QUININE.**

	<i>B</i>
For quantities 60 lbs and above in one delivery . . . . .	28 per lb
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs but below 60 lbs in one delivery . . . . .	29 ..
For any quantity less than 6 lbs. . . . .	30 ..

**CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.**

	<i>B</i>
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. . . . .	6 ..
Small quantity in stock.	

**RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID.**

Very small quantity in stock.

**Quinine** is available in 1-oz.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.,  $\frac{3}{4}$ -lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.

**Cinchona Febrifuge** is available in  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{3}{4}$ -lb. and 1-lb. tins.

**Residual Alkaloid** is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M. and 2 to 4 P.M.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{3}{4}$  lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

*N.B.*—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue

## DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 3rd December 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 30th November 1917.

RESERVE.													
TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.				COIN AND BULLION				SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE)					
In Reserve Treasuries.				In India.		In England.		In His Majesty's Dominions.		In transit between India, England and His Majesty's Dominions.		REMARKS.	
	Elsewhere	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Calcutta	1,18,95,700	34,25,56,414	85,47,21,914	7,55,73,684	9,22,15,111	36,55,151	42,50,114	35,83,353	52,77,000		9,99,99,946	51,47,97,137	50,32,91,402
Chennai	"	8,10,48,855	2,09,21,010	59,53,193	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2,63,04,203
Lahore	"	6,98,15,495	1,83,76,835	21,92,040	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1,55,68,345
Bombay	1,09,07,855	43,93,97,065	45,63,04,940	6,37,34,169	18,40,18,382	11,93,314	"	"	"	"	"	"	19,89,35,870
Karachi	"	8,87,21,160	8,87,21,160	68,75,405	26,38,527	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	95,13,732
Madras	32,34,740	11,73,86,131	12,05,21,671	3,65,82,787	51,75,045	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4,17,57,632
Rangoon	"	5,81,24,885	5,81,24,885	2,40,21,726	48,65,820	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2,88,97,546

There was no transfer between the Paper Currency Reserve and the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 30th November 1917.  
There was no gold in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve on the 30th November 1917.

**M. M. S. GUBBAY,**  
Controller of Currency.

**BANK OF BENGAL.**

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 4th December 1917.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS		
	Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government Securities	6,27,90,639	0 0
Reserve Fund	2,17,50,000	0 0	Other authorized Investments	1,35,42,640	0 0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, <i>see below</i>	67,50,000	0 0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	5,05,22,087	8 6
	1,50,00,000	0 0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	4,80,48,665	15 11
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	67,50,000	0 0	Bills discounted and purchased	3,25,89,098	13 6
Public Deposits at Head Office	1,68,81,031	14 2	Balances with other Banks	59,70,932	10 4
Public Deposits at Branches	1,32,97,504	12 10	Bullion	.....	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	30,73,68,626	0 6	Dead Stock	28,97,132	15 11
Bank Post Bills, etc.	13,59,432	13 7	Stamps	12,691	8 2
Sundries	16,69,412	1 10	Sundries	3,72,254	15 9
	38,23,24,007	10 11	Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	11,42,80,975	10 2
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	5,12,96,938	8 8
				21,67,46,093	8 1
				16,55,77,914	2 10
				38,23,24,07	10 1

\* Includes Sova &amp; 4 Sova, value Rs 3,78,217 8 0

† Do do do, ,, 6,02,662 8 0

Rs. 9,80,910 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL;  
Calcutta, 6th December 1917.

H. MITCHELL,  
Chief Accountant.  
Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent  
Percentage 48 61.

By order of the Directors,  
N. H. Y. WARREN,  
Secretary & Treasurer

**TREASURE TROVE.****NOTIFICATION.**

It is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878 that on or about the 6th September 1917 certain treasure as stated in the margin hereto was found hidden in a wall of the house of Baburao Tukaram Sutar of Malwadgaon, Taluka Newasa District, Ahmednagar

Rs. 24 Mogal coins.

Rs. 23 British coins of William

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof, are required to appear in person or by agent, on the 10th of April 1918 and to state their claims, if any, to the said treasure before the Mamlatdar of Newasa when the matter will be enquired into and determined by the said Mamlatdar in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

AJMERDNAGAR,

November 1917.

C. A. BEYTES,

Collector.

**NOTICE.****DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.**

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS.

Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.**CURRENCY NOTES.**

The following Currency Notes of the Lahore Circle are stated to have been destroyed and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number; any other person claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

*Notes wholly lost or destroyed.*

Register No	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
D 5 of 1917-18	E C 10 08408 . . .	1,500	Rai Sahib L. Kundan Lal Dube, Record-Keeper, Home Department, Government of India Simla.
	E C 11 14377 . . .		
	21542 . . .		
	80503 . . .		
	E C 12 11153 . . .		
	E C 14 84725 . . .		
	F B 51038 to 51040 69 and 51045 to 51049.		
	51511 . . .		
	for Rs. 100 each		

RANG BEHARI LAL,  
Currency Officer.

PAPER CURRENCY OFFICE,  
Lahore, the 20th November 1917.

**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND  
CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.**

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Quetta, the 26th November 1917.

**No. 3344-R.**—On the termination of his special duty in connection with the Viceroy's visit to Quetta sanctioned in Notification No. 2993-R., dated the 29th October 1917, by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General, K. S. M. Juma Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th grade, is posted as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Luki, with effect from the afternoon of the 16th November 1917.

**No. 3345-R.**—On relief by K. S. Juma Khan, K. S. M. Gulzar Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd grade, is permitted to retire from the public service with effect from the afternoon of the 16th November 1917.

**No. 3346-R.**—Consequent on the retirement of K. S. M. Gulzar Khan, L. Lachhman Dass, Sarishtedar to the Political Agent, Quetta, and Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner, Quetta, is appointed Substantive Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade with effect from the 17th November 1917, but will continue as Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner, Quetta.

The 28th November 1917.

**No. 3531-M** — Ganga Singh, Inspector of Police, 3rd grade, is appointed as *s.p.t.* Deputy Superintendent of Police, 4th grade, with effect from 26th November 1917 and is posted to Zhob *vice* Mr. A. J. O. Conner on transfer to the list of Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH.

First Assistant.

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**CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.**

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Delhi, the 30th November 1917.

**No. 10002-C & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 31 of the Punjab Excise Act, I of 1914, as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to impose a duty of Rs. 18 a seer on all charas imported into the Delhi Province on or after the 1st day of April 1918.

2. The Chief Commissioner is further pleased to direct that the import duty on all charas imported before, on or after the 1st of April 1918 and stored in the bonded warehouse in Delhi shall be levied at the time of the removal of the charas from such bonded warehouse and at the rate in force at the time such charas was imported into a bonded warehouse in the Punjab.

3. Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 1514-C. & I., dated the 27th February 1917, is hereby cancelled.

**No. 10026-Education** —The Reverend H. T. Wheeler assumed charge of his duties as Chaplain of Delhi with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd November 1917, relieving Reverend A. Coore.

**No. 10029-Education** —The Reverend F. C. Buckwell assumed charge of his duties as Chaplain of Delhi with effect from the afternoon of the 22nd November 1917, relieving Reverend H. T. Wheeler.

**No. 10032-Education** —The services of the Reverend H. T. Wheeler, Chaplain of Delhi, are placed at the disposal of the Punjab Government with effect from the afternoon of the 22nd November 1917.

**No. 10037-Home.**—The services of Mr. L. W. Bowring, Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department, for re-employment in the Punjab with effect from the 16th November 1917.

**No. 10047-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 24th November 1917 is published for information:—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17	
No.	Name of Municipal Towns	Population of 1911	Births.			Deaths			Cause of Death.										Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum
			Males	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total	Cholera	Small-pox	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
	Delhi .	225,471	130	133	263	77	68	145				55	1	61	3	19	...	28	19	47	60.06	37.44	
	Notified Area	3,673	6	9	15	5	6	11	..	..	...	5	...	1	...	5		1	1	2	212.30	156.73	
	Total	229,144	136	142	278	82	74	156	...	..		60	4	65	3	24		29	20	49	63.08	63.08	

Delhi, the 3rd December 1917.

**No. 10122-Education.**—Whereas the Municipal Committee of Delhi has applied to the Local Government under the provisions of section 58 of Act III of 1911 (Punjab Municipal Act) and whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, that the land is required for a public purpose, namely, for the construction of a public bathing place at Chhipiwara Kalan, it is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 and under section 7 of the said Act, the Collector of Delhi is hereby directed to take steps for the acquisition of the ownership of the said land.

#### SPECIFICATION.

District	Tahsil.	Mauza	Area.	Boundaries.	Place where the plan may be inspected
Delhi	Delhi	Delhi	41.62 acres.	<p><i>North</i>—Houses of L. Harji Mal and Dhoomi Mal</p> <p><i>South</i>—Public Street called Chhipiwara Kalan</p> <p><i>East</i>—House of L. Prate Lal.</p> <p><i>West</i>—House of Raghu.</p>	Deputy Commissioner's office, Delhi.

Delhi, the 4th December 1917.

**No. 10154-C & I.**—In accordance with the provisions of clause (d) of sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Indian Factories Act XII of 1911, it is hereby notified that the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to declare that sub-section (1) of section 22 of the said Act, shall not be applicable to the "Delhi Printing Works Press", Chourse Bazaar, Delhi, during the period from 30th November 1917 to the 31st January 1918.

**No. 10159-C & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (1) of the Indian Factories Act 1911, XII of 1911, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint the City Magistrate, Delhi, to be an Assistant Inspector of Factories, for all the purposes of the Act within the limits of the Province of Delhi.

Delhi, the 5th November 1917.

**No. 10186-Education.**—The Reverend J. B. King assumed charge of his duties as Additional Chaplain of Delhi, Kingsway Camp, on the forenoon of the 24th October 1917.

W. M. HAILEY,

Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL  
IN CENTRAL INDIA.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Central India Agency, Indore, the 3rd December 1917.

**No. 3554-D.**—Rai Sahib Munshi Her Prasad, Superintendent and Magistrate, Sehore, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 21st November 1917.

**No. 3558-D.**—Mr. T. N. Gokal, Head Clerk, 2nd grade, Central India Agency Office, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent and Magistrate, Sehore, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st November 1917.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the  
Governor-General in Central India.

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**DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 30th November 1917.

**No. 20.**—The services of 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon A. L. Gomes, I.S.M.D., are placed at the disposal of the Director, Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 19th October 1917.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,

for Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

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**ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

**FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.**

Bombay, the 3rd December 1917

**No. 37.**—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name:—

Lieutenant R. C. G. McClement, R. I. M. . . . . 2 months, with effect from  
25th November 1917.

B. H. JONES,

for Offg. Director, Royal Indian Marine.

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# STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23RD NOVEMBER TO 30TH NOVEMBER 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas

COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.												
NAME OF MINTS	RECEIPTS		COINAGE		BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.			COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.		SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS GOVERNMENT.		
	Pur- chased silver coins from Treasures, etc.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from State Treasures, etc.	TOTAL.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasures or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States	TOTAL.	New coin ready for delivery	Currency Bullion.	Other Govern- ment Bullion	With- drawn and un- current coins.	TOTAL.	
Calcutta	34	4	38	3	..	3	12	(a) 58	..	6	76	..
Bombay	...	1	1	28	..	28	..	(b) 54	3	8	45	..

(a) Exclusive of 17 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

(b) Exclusive of 10 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT:

Calcutta, the 6th December 1917.

A. MCCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,

Master of the Mint.



## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
594—1917	Umed Dhanji Patel	Hindu	Curry Road	Boiler maker in the B. B. & C. I. Railway. Lower Parell, Running Shed.	26th	November	1917	26th	November	1917
595—1917	Valimahomed Nurmahomed Peerbhai Khoja.	Mahomedan	Elphinstone Road	Lately dealer in sweet oil and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
596—1917	Maganlal Monsey Sha	Hindu	Sandhurst Road	Lately speculator in silver, shares cotton, etc., in partnership with Nanchand Mulchand under the name and firm of Premchand Maganlal & Co., and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
597—1917	Haridas Naranji Thaker	"	Holi Chubla	Clerk in the service of Messrs Malji Nensav & Co.	"	"	"	"	"	"
598—1917	Dewji Kurpal Sha	"	Lalwadi, Parol	Formerly doing business in partnership with Nanji Virpal as dealers in grain in the name of Dewji Kurpal and Nanji Virpal and lately on his own account and now servant in the employ of Lalji Dewji.	27th	"	"	27th	"	"
599—1917	Runabhad Naran Durawala	"	24, Old Talao, Vantawad 3rd Lane	Tailor in the employ of Messrs Evans Fraser & Co.	28th	"	"	28th	"	"
600—1917	Veerei and Krishna Sha	"	Kawar Street, Fort	Servant in the employ of Thiru Das Narsi.	30th	"	"	30th	"	"
601—1917	Shah Mahomed Sidiki	Mahomedan	Mahmud Daga	Factor in the C. I. P. Railway, Matunga	1st	December	"	1st	December	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 3rd day of December 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

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**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.**  
**Insolvency Jurisdiction.**

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**CASE No. 108 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of Neelagiri Sree Pathay, No. 47, 40th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Neelagiri Sree Pathay, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 20th day of November 1917.

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**CASE No. 125 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 19th November 1917.

In the matter of M. Abdool Rahiman, Painter, of No. 47, 38th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said M. Abdool Rahiman, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 17th day of November 1917.

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**CASE No. 210 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 16th November 1917.

In the matter of John Disney, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by John Disney, Reporter, of No. 22, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said John Disney.

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**CASE No. 212 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 17th November 1917.

In the matter of Robert Alfred Brown, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Robert Alfred Brown, Travelling Ticket Examiner, Burma Railways, Rangoon, on the 16th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Robert Alfred Brown.

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**CASE No. 213 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of Maung Nyein, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Nyein, Paddy Broker and Trader, of No. 51, 29th Street, Rangoon on the 19th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Nyein.

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**CASE No. 214 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of Kooposwamy Lutchmia, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act 1909 presented by Kooposwamy Lutchmia, clerk, of No. 284, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kooposwamy Lutchmia.

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**CASE No. 215 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 21st November 1917.

In the matter of Chatter Singh, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chatter Singh, Aerated Water Seller, No. 11, 60th Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chatter Singh.

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CASE No. 216 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Nawab Khan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Nawab Khan, clerk, General Post Office, Rangoon, on the 21st day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Nawab Khan.

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CASE No. 217 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd November 1917.

In the matter of S. Sangiah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by S. Sangiah, Dhoby, residing at Dhoby Lane, Rangoon, on the 21st day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said S. Sangiah.

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CASE No. 218 OF 1917

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Walter Burton Reynolds, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Walter Burton Reynolds, Telegraph Master, No. 19, 37th Street, Rangoon, on the 21th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Walter Burton Reynolds.

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CASE No. 219 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Shaik Ebrahim, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shaik Ebrahim, trader of No. 205, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Ebrahim

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CASE No. 220 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Ebrahim Mulla, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ebrahim Mulla, Leather Shop Assistant of No. 5, 55th Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ebrahim Mulla.

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CASE No. 221 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th November 1917.

In the matter of Mohammed Abdul Razack, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mohammed Abdul Razack, trader of No. 81, Fraser Street, Rangoon, on the 27th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mohammed Abdul Razack

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CASE No. 222 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of Mazheruddin Ahmed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mazheruddin Ahmed, of No. 86, 30th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mazheruddin Ahmed.

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CASE No. 223 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of Maung Thet, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thet, Fish Broker, of No. 73, 12th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thet.

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CASE No. 224 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of K. M. Katoo Bawa, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. M. Katoo Bawa, cooly Maistry, of No. 43, Maung Tanlay Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. M. Katoo Bawa.

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CASE No. 225 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of K. M. Aliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. M. Aliar, cooly Maistry, of No. 43, Tseckai Maung Tanlay Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. M. Aliar.

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CASE No. 107 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of A. J. Hyam, of Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. J. Hyam an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 148 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of Burjoo Pande, of No. 32, 62nd Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Burjoo Pande an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1917.

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Offg. Registrar.

**IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.**

FORM No. 8.

Notice to Creditors of the date of consideration of a composition or scheme of arrangement.

**SECTION 27.**In the matter of Insolvency of Jai Narain, proprietor of Rama Nand Jai Narain of Delhi,  
Debtor.

SUIT No. 35 OF 1912.

Dated the 8th November 1917.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the Court has fixed the 8th day of December 1917, for the consideration of a composition (or scheme of arrangement) submitted by Jai Narain the debtor in the above Insolvency petition. No creditor who has not proved his debt before the aforesaid date will be permitted to vote on the consideration of the abovematter.

If you desire to be represented at the abovementioned hearing you should be present in person or by duly instructed pleader with your proofs.

TOPAN RAM,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM  
IN BENGAL.  
In Insolvency.****Notice of Adjudication Order.**

No. 165 of 1917.

Dated the 4th December 1917.

*Re* Madan Lal and Gopal Dass, residing at No. 181, Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as dealers in piece goods at Nos. 17 and 18, Monohar Dass Street, in Burialbazar, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Madan Lal Gopal Dass.

*Ex parte* Jivanram—The Creditor.

On the 29th day of November 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as Insolvents.

NOTE —All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 169 of 1917.

Dated the 4th December 1917.

*Re* William King, residing at No. 6-1, Kyd Street, Calcutta, Station Master Kharagpore.

*Ex parte* the Debtor.

On the 3rd day of December 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,

Official Assignee of Calcutta.

### REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Supply Depot (Supply and Transport Corps), Rawalpindi, dated at Rawalpindi, this 5th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—20081, Acting Sergt.  
John Cosgrove.  
Age—37 years 142 days.  
Height—5 feet 7½ inches.  
Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, light brown;  
eyes, grey.  
Trade—Clerk.

Date of Enlistment—4th December 1914.  
Place of enlistment—Leicester.  
Parish and County in which born—Leicester.  
Date of Desertion or absence—5th November 1917.  
Place of Desertion or absence—Rawalpindi.  
Marks—One lapping toe Right foot.  
Under three years' service.

(Illegible)

Officer in charge Supply Depot, D. H. Q.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.

No. 11816—Indian Driver Nar Singh, 60th Heavy  
Battery, R G A. Roorkee.  
Father's name—Mehondai Singh.  
Caste—Padiar Hindu.  
Village—Nadi Gaum, Thana Almora, Post Office  
Bagishwar, Tehsil Almora, District Almora.  
Enrolled at—Roorkee on 12th February 1917.

Age on enlistment—23 years.  
Height—5 feet 5½ inches.  
Chest measurement—34 inches.  
Date of Joining—30th June 1917.  
Place of enlistment—Bangalore.  
Date of Desertion or absence—7th July 1917.  
Identification marks on body—Small scar below right  
costal margin, Linear scar right shin.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.

No. 11674—Indian Driver, Muthra, 1093rd Battery,  
R. F. A. Lahore.  
Father's name—Sankor.  
Caste—Thakar.  
Village Dadri, Thana Hapur, District Meerut, Post  
Office Meerut.  
Enrolled at—Meerut on 28th September 1916.

Age on enlistment—20 years.  
Chest measurement—30–32 inches.  
Height—5 feet 2 inches.  
Date of Joining—10th July 1917.  
Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
Date of Desertion or absence—15th October 1917.  
Identification marks on body—Scar inner side of left  
thigh lower third.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.

No. 10501—Indian Driver, Kehar Singh.  
Father's name—Shadi Ram.  
Caste—Gujar.  
Village Gawari, Thana Moana, Tehsil Moana, District  
Meerut.  
Enrolled at—Meerut on 4th February 1917.  
Age on enlistment—22 years.

Height—5 feet 8½ inches.  
Chest measurement—33–35 inches.  
Date of Joining—10th July 1917.  
Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
Date of Desertion or absence—15th October 1917.  
Identification marks on body—Oval pitted scar outer  
side of left elbow.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.

No. 24165—Indian Driver Shib Sharan, 79th Battery,  
R. F. A., Jullunder.  
Father's Name—Jashir.  
Caste—Hindu Kathri Chohan.  
Village Badela, Thana Almora, Tehsil Almora, Dis-  
trict Almora.  
Enrolled at—Delhi on 14th June 1916.  
Age on enlistment—18 years.

Height—5 feet 2½ inches.  
Chest measurement—32–35½ inches.  
Date of Joining—10th July 1917.  
Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
Date of Desertion or absence—18th November 1917.  
Identification marks on body—A circular scar about  
two-anna piece in size on the outside of left leg  
lower third.

**Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.**

No. 24310—Indian Driver Narain Dass, Royal Artillery Depot, Jubbulpore.  
 Father's name—Nanwa.  
 Caste—Hindu Brahmin Adegaar.  
 Village Shaharpur, Thana Ballabgarh, Tehsil Ballabgarh, District Gurgaon. Nearest Post Office, Bilosh Fatehpur.  
 Enrolled at—Delhi on 8th June 1915.

Age on enrolment—24 years.  
 Height—5 feet 3½ inches.  
 Chest measurement—32—35½ inches.  
 Date of Joining—4th June 1917.  
 Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—18th November 1917.  
 Identification marks on body—An oval scar about 1 inch long and ½ inch broad on the inside of right forearm middle third.

**Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.**

No. 14784—Indian Driver Bhour Singh, 102nd Battery, R. F. A., Hyderabad (Sind).  
 Father's name—Sevnath Singh.  
 Caste—Rajput Hindu.  
 Village Ramgarh, Thana Ramgarh, Tehsil Ramgarh, District Alwar.  
 Enrolled at—Hyderabad (Sind) on 13th November 1916.

Age on enlistment—21 years.  
 Height—5 feet 6 inches.  
 Chest measurement—32—34 inches.  
 Date of Joining—2nd July 1917.  
 Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—18th November 1917.  
 Identification marks on body—A scar on the left forehead ½ inch above the left eye brow.

**Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.**

No. 14835—Indian Driver Ramnath Singh, 103rd Battery, R. F. A., Hyderabad (Sind).  
 Father's name—Parbat Singh.  
 Caste—Rajput Hindu.  
 Village Gadi, Thana Rajgarh, Tehsil Rajgarh, District Alwar.  
 Enrolled at—Hyderabad (Sind) on 13th November 1916.

Age on enlistment—24 years.  
 Height—5 feet 2 inches.  
 Chest measurement—31—33 inches.  
 Date of Joining—2nd July 1917.  
 Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—18th November 1917.  
 Identification marks on body—Scar on the left forehead 1 inch above the outer end of the eye brow.  
 A depressed scar 1½ inches below the left lower lid.

**Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.**

No. 25528—Indian Driver Umrao Singh, 1107th Battery, R. F. A., Hyderabad (Sind).  
 Father's name—Matadeen Singh.  
 Caste—Hindu Rajput Chatri.  
 Village Bardut, Thana Salon, District Rae Bareilly.  
 Enrolled at—Lucknow on 17th January 1917.  
 Age on enlistment—23 years.

Height—5 feet 2½ inches.  
 Chest measurement—31—33 inches.  
 Date of Joining—2nd July 1917.  
 Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—18th November 1917.  
 Identification marks on body—A linear scar right half forehead.

**Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depot, dated at Bangalore, this 30th day of November 1917.**

No. 19878—Indian Driver Kirwadi, 1097th Battery, R. F. A., Mhow.  
 Father's name—Tota.  
 Caste—Gujar Nangri Hindu.  
 Village Channa, Tehsil Ghaziabad, District Meerut.  
 Enrolled at—Delhi on 30th December 1916.

Age on enlistment—18 years.  
 Chest measurement—31—33½ inches.  
 Height—5 feet 4 inches.  
 Date of Joining—2nd July 1917.  
 Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.  
 Date of Desertion or absence—26th November 1917.  
 Identification marks on body—Scar on left temple.

J. LYNCH, Lieutenant, R.H.A.,

Commandant, Remount Training Depot, Bangalore.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

**NOTIFICATION.**

Calcutta, the 6th December 1917.

**No. 6384-T.**—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 29th November 1917 to 5th December 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Bauria . . . .	Bengal . . . .	1st December 1917 . .	Opened.
Fort Gloster . . . .	Do. . . . .	Do. . . . .	Closed.
Jehan Khelan Camp . . . .	Punjab . . . . .	19th November 1917 . .	Opened.
Mt. Everest Hotel . . . .	Bengal . . . . .	13th Do. . . . .	Closed.
<i>Railway Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Golanthra . . . .	Bengal-Nagpur Railway . .	20th November 1917 . .	Opened.
Jagannadhapuram . . . .	Do. . . . .	Do. . . . .	"

The following alteration in the name of Railway Telegraph Office is notified :—

*On the North Western Railway.*

“ Jangal Mariala ” instead of “ Maryala.”

W. SUTHERLAND,

Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(POST OFFICE.)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 29th November 1917.

**No. 3000s-*Ap.***—Mr. C. L. C. Fox, Postmaster, Quetta, pay Rs. 400—500, is granted an extension of privilege leave for 20 days with effect from the 3rd October 1917.

The 30th November 1917.

**No. 3014s-*Ap.***—Mr. M. Sabihuddin, Superintendent of Post Offices, sub. *pro tem.* in the 3rd grade, is granted an extension of privilege leave for two days with effect from the 3rd November 1917.

The 1st December 1917.

**No. 3022s-*Ap.***—Mr. Jiwan Nath Dar, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade, who has been granted leave on medical certificate for 5 months and 19 days from the 17th May 1917, having applied for an extension of leave on medical certificate for one month from the 5th November 1917, the whole period of leave is converted into privilege leave for 2 months and 7 days combined with leave on medical certificate for 3 months and 24 days from the 17th May 1917. He is granted an extension of leave on medical certificate from the 17th November 1917 to the 4th December 1917 inclusive.

The 1th December 1917.

**No. 3046s-*Ap.***—Mr. L. P. Kulkarni, Superintendent of Post Offices, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 12th December 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it

Mr. G. V. Tulpute, Probationary Superintendent of Post Offices, Bombay, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. L. P. Kulkarni or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL, .

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.



## NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

## NOTIFICATION.

The 26th November 1917.

**No. 221.**—The following acting promotions and reversions of officers in the Northern India Salt Revenue Department are ordered during the month of October 1917 :—

Name.	From	To	Promotion or Reversion.	With effect from
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1. In the vacancy caused by the absence on military duty of Mr. A. V. Nash, Superintendent, 3rd grade, from 29th July 1915.

Mr. C. C. Chill	Superintendent, 3rd grade.	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Reversion .	10th.
Mr. P. A. Kirwan	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Superintendent, 3rd grade, sub. <i>pro tem</i> .	Promotion .	10th.
Mr. Sujan Singh Gyani B.A.	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Reversion .	10th.
Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, B.A.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Superintendent, 4th grade, sub. <i>pro tem</i> .	Promotion .	10th.
Mr. E. R. Goodwin	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Reversion .	5th.
Mr. A. David, B.A.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, sub. <i>pro tem</i> .	Promotion .	15th.
Mr. A. David, B.A.	Assistant, Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Inspector, 4th grade	Reversion .	10th.
Mr. Hargobind Singh	Inspector, 2nd grade	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, sub. <i>pro tem</i> .	Promotion .	10th.

2. In the vacancy caused by the appointment as General Manager of Salt Mines. of Mr. F. D. Reid, Assistant Commissioner, from 27th February 1917.

Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, B.A.	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Reversion .	1st.
Mr. G. L. Fanthome	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Superintendent, 4th grade	Promotion .	1st.

3. In the vacancy caused by the absence on one year's combined leave of Mr. P. C. Scott O'Connor, Deputy Commissioner, from 13th May 1917.

Mr. G. L. Fanthome	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Reversion .	1st.
Mr. Bijay Krishna De, B.Sc.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion .	1st.

Name.	From	To	Promotion or Reversion.	With effect from
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4. In the vacancy caused by the absence on 6 months' combined leave of Mr. P. T. Watling, Superintendent, from 24th June 1917.

Mr. Bijay Krishna De, B.Sc.	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Assistant Super- intendent, 1st grade.	Reversion . . . 1st.
Mr. Ahmad Husain .	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . . . 1st to 9th.
Mr. Ahmad Husain .	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Do. . . . 10th.

5. In the vacancy caused by the absence on 6 months' combined leave of Mr. W. O. Davey, Superintendent, from 10th July 1917.

Mr. Ahmad Husain	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Assistant Super- intendent 2nd grade.	Reversion . . . 1st.
Mr. Shiv Charan Das, B.A.	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . . . 1st.

6. In the vacancy caused by the absence on one month's privilege leave of Mr. E. R. Goodwin, Assistant Superintendent, from 4th September 1917 to 3rd October 1917.

Mr. Hargobind Singh .	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Inspector, 2nd grade.	Reversion . . . 4th.
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7. In the vacancy caused by the absence on one month's privilege leave of Mr. Harnam Singh, Superintendent, from 15th September 1917 to 14th October 1917.

Mr. Shiv Charan Das, B.A.	Superintendent, grade.	4th	Assistant Super- intendent, 2nd grade.	Reversion . . . 1st.
Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, B.A.	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 1st	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . . . 1st to 9th.
Mr. A. David, B.A. .	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Do. . . . 10th.
Mr. A. Gardner .	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Inspector, 2nd grade.	Reversion . . . 15th.

8. In the vacancy caused by the absence on one month and one day's privilege leave of Mr. Abdul Aziz Beg, B.A., Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, Acting Superintendent, 4th grade, from 5th October 1917.

Mr. E. R. Goodwin .	Assistant intendant, grade.	Super- 2nd	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Promotion . . . 5th.
Mr. Ghulam Akber Khan Seyal.	Inspector, 3rd grade .		Assistant Super- intendent, 2nd grade.	Do. . . . 5th.

## MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

Statement of Unclaimed Sums deposited with the Bengal Military Orphan Society in trust for Soldiers' Children, who have attained the age of 21.

Date of Deposit.	Name and rank of father.	Corps.	Names of children.	Amount.		
				Rs.	A.	P.
Prior to 1842	Collins, —, Sergeant . . .	.....	Two children . . .	167	14	1
"	Lee, E., Corporal . . .	.....	Two children . . .	111	9	6
"	Smith, Henry, Sergeant . . .	.....	Elizabeth . . .	828	0	0
"	Smith, D., Sergeant-Major . . .	.....	Margaret . . .	78	6	5
"	Story, —, Sergeant . . .	.....	Thomas . . .	117	5	4
"	MacConnell, Sergeant . . .	.....	John . . .	77	15	3
"	Ratherford, Sergeant . . .	.....	Margaret . . .	138	10	8
"	Hewetson, William, Gunner . . .	.....	John . . .	47	5	7
"	Taylor, John, Private . . .	.....	John . . .	214	11	11
"	Conroy, Peter, Corporal . . .	.....	Thomas . . .	274	14	6
"	McCullum, —, Conductor . . .	.....	John . . .	354	6	10
"	Gordon, James . . .	59th Foot . . .	James . . .	589	2	2
"	Casey, Jeremiah . . .	87th Foot . . .	Daniel . . .	109	12	4
"	Corbolly, Thomas, Private . . .	59th Foot . . .	Samuel . . .	62	12	3
"	Cassidy, —, Corporal . . .	.....	John . . .	61	3	9
"	Hyde, Henry, Conductor . . .	.....	Thomas . . .	187	1	10
"	Hedgkinson, E., Troop Sergeant Major . . .	11th Dragoons . . .	William . . .	64	8	0
"	Anderson, William, Corporal . . .	H. C. 1st Bn. Regt. . .	Mary Anne Margaret . . .	124	11	6
"	White, W., Private . . .	3rd Buffs . . .	George and Mary Anne . . .	13	13	9
"	Minogue, T., Private . . .	3rd Buffs . . .	Thomas . . .	23	11	0
"	Taylor, John, Bombardier . . .	.....	Elizabeth . . .	43	9	0
"	Neal, James, Private . . .	58th Foot . . .	James . . .	43	0	0
"	Sherrock, J., Corporal . . .	.....	Joseph . . .	160	0	0
"	Moore, Bombardier . . .	.....	Dorothy . . .	5	9	5
"	Lawson, Henry, Laboratory Sergeant . . .	.....	George . . .	11	8	2
"	Creighton, James, Corporal . . .	13th L. Infy. . .	Mary Ann . . .	16	12	0
"	McCoy, —, Sub-Conductor . . .	.....	John and George . . .	958	3	2
"	Long, R., Sergeant . . .	Allahabad Magazine Establishment . . .	Ann and Robert D . . .	137	3	9
"	Baker, H., Gunner . . .	1st Co., 3rd Bn. Artv. . .	James . . .	32	1	4
"	Hills, —, Gunner . . .	1st Co., 3rd Bn. Artv. . .	Sophia . . .	30	1	1
"	Burns, James, Gunner . . .	Artillery . . .	Hannah . . .	10	5	9
"	McKonee, R., Bombardier . . .	1st Co., 4th Bn. Artv. . .	Ann Eliza . . .	131	6	5
"	Smith, J., Gunner . . .	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Artv. . .	Margaret . . .	6	6	5
"	Byrne, F., Hospital Sergeant . . .	2nd Bn., Artv. . .	Charles . . .	123	13	4
"	Flynn, J., Gunner . . .	3rd troop, 1st Bde., H. Artv. . .	Elizabeth . . .	6	1	4
"	Fagan, J., Gunner . . .	1st Co., 3rd Bn. Artv. . .	Mary and James . . .	11	12	9
"	Johnson, C., Gunner . . .	1st Co., 5th Bn. Artv. . .	William . . .	3	0	6
"	Twoomey, M., Gunner . . .	4th Co., 3rd Bn. Artv. . .	Michael, William and Margaret . . .	21	2	11
"	Ahern, William, Gunner . . .	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Artv. . .	John . . .	65	11	9
"	McCormick, J., Gunner . . .	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Artv. . .	Bernard . . .	116	10	9
"	Gavin, J., Gunner . . .	2nd Co., 3rd Bn. Artv. . .	Thomas and James . . .	189	3	6
"	Bryan, D., Sergeant . . .	.....	Mortimer . . .	12	10	11
"	Reid, —, Sergeant . . .	Sappers and Miners . . .	Eleanor and Eunice . . .	68	6	5
"	South, —, Sergeant . . .	.....	Elizabeth Martha . . .	310	0	0
"	Cunningham, Mathew, Private . . .	14th Foot . . .	Michael . . .	37	14	6
"	Blyth, John, Conductor . . .	.....	Children (names not recorded). . .	12	12	3
"	Smith, T., Sergeant . . .	.....	Esther and Amelia . . .	23	15	0
"	Pierce, Qr-Mr. Sergeant . . .	20th N. I. . .	Thomas . . .	711	15	2
"	Driver, J., Sergeant-Major . . .	.....	Robert Charles and John . . .	141	7	1
"	Davis, D., Farrier Sergeant . . .	4th Troop, 1st Bde., H. Artv. . .	Thomas . . .	23	15	2
"	Canty, John, Bombardier . . .	3rd Co., 4th Bn. Artv. . .	John (died, 11th May 1842) . . .	272	2	8
June 29, 1853	(Not recorded) . . .	.....	Bryan, Margaret and William . . .	53	8	3
" 29, 1849	(Not recorded) . . .	.....	Daly Robert . . .	23	9	1
Mar. 24, 1843	Nowlon, L., Farrier Sergeant . . .	4th Troop, 2nd B. H. A. . .	Ellen . . .	112	9	0
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" 3, 1843	Rouch, Edward, Private . . .	1st Bn. Lt. Infy. . .	David and Ansel . . .	7	13	3
Mar. 9, 1843	Sheehan, B., Gunner . . .	3rd Co., 3rd Bn. Artv. . .	John and Patrick . . .	2	1	8
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" 15, 1845	Godfrey, —, Sergeant-Major	.....	Harriett M. and James.	31 14 1
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" 3, 1842	Wilson	.....	Sophia, Thomas and Elizabeth.	204 7 8
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" 14, 1845	Hannoo, J., Drummer	98th Regt., N. Infy.	Mary	28 8 3
July 7, 1845	Hay, A., Sergeant-Major	.....	Thomas	101 5 4
" 9, 1845	Meanev, John, Sergeant-Major	2nd Bde., H. Arty.	Henry and James	292 15 8
" 9, 1845	Murphy, Thomas, Bombardier	2nd Troop, 3rd Bde. H. Arty.	Ellen	77 4 11
" 9, 1845	Fate, William, Staff Sergeant	4th Co., 15th Bn. of Arty.	Catherine Ann	167 15 5
" 9, 1845	Daley, Owen, Gunner	3rd Co., 5th Bn. of Arty.	Owen	7 1 7
Sept. 1, 1845	Ryan, —, Sergeant	.....	Julia B. and George J	120 13 0
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Oct. 16, 1846	Lewis, Thomas, Gunner	Arty	Thomas	20 5 3
July 6, 1847	Dobbins, Francis, Gunner	.....	Martha	83 3 6
" 19, 1847	Lunn, Adam, Farrier	.....	Adam T. and John	79 14 0
" 19, 1847	Clarke, William, Bombardier	1st Troop, 3rd Bde., H. Arty.	Not recorded	104 10 8
" 19, 1847	Prince, W., Sergeant	1st Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Ditto	125 15 10
Jan. 11, 1848	Byrnes, —, Corporal	.....	Maria	59 0 0
July 6, 1848	Braithwaite, W., Staff Sergeant.	.....	C. William and William H.	142 3 5
Oct. 16, 1848	Butcher, H., Sergeant-Major	Sirmoor Bn.	Johannah, Frederick and David Edwin.	99 6 1
May 9, 1849	Sheehan, D., Private	2nd En. Regt.	James	36 5 6
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" 2, 1849	Crowley, Charles, Private	1st En. B. F.	John	7 6 1
Oct. 12, 1849	Deare, W. Conductor	... ..	Emeline	50 0 0
Nov. 21, 1849	Moget, —, Sergeant-Major	.....	George	69 14 4
Feb. 18, 1850	Boote, Daniel, Gunner	1st Co., 4th Bn. of Arty.	James and another	26 3 5
June 29, 1850	Uniaek, Patrick, Sergeant	1st Co., 3rd Bn. of Arty.	John and another	29 15 0
Aug. 19, 1850	Sheehan, P., Gunner	Arty.	Patrick	23 5 6
Oct. 29, 1850	Lees, James, Corporal	2nd En. Regt.	Elizabeth	25 14 6
Nov. 4, 1852	Hodgins, Adam, Gunner	2nd Co., 5th Bn. of Arty.	William	9 11 11
Feb. 1, 1853	Edwards, Michael, Sergeant	2nd Co., 5th Bn. of Arty.	Jane and Bridget	36 5 9
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**Treasury Officer, Azamgarh.**

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

December 4, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRAS,

Director of Statistics

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DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum</i> <i>Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum</i> <i>vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU ( <i>Andropogon</i> <i>sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR GUMBU ( <i>Pennisetum</i> <i>typhoides</i> )	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort	Common	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>Burma—</b>												
<i>Tenasserim—</i>												
Mergal . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	12 2	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	12 2	12 2	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>												
Pegu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Rangoon . . . . .	...	...	...	...	14 9	14 9	16 3	16 3	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . . .	4 —	4 10	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>												
Tharawadi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 18	11 12	15 8	15 8	...	...	...	...
Henzada . . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	14 9	13 4	15 6	14 9	...	...	...	...
Prome . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	11 3	11 10	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>												
Mandalay . . . . .	8 4	8 4	...	...	10 1	9 6	13 4	12 2	19 10	17 14	...	...
Bhamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 3	10 7	13 4	13 2	...	...	...	...
Pak'kka . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Meiktila . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 3	13 13	13 3	...	...	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>												
Sandoway . . . . .	2 10	2 10	...	...	12 12	12 12	15 14	15 14	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpada . . . . .	3 8	3 3	...	...	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Assam—</b>												
<i>Burma—</i>												
Sylhet . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 4	6 4	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar . . . . .	3 12	4 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 12	10 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Hill Tracts—</i>												
Khási and Jaintia Hills . . . . .	6 8	6 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 4	6 —	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur . . . . .	16 —	16 —	...	...	21 —	20 —	24 —	23 —	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>												
Goalpara . . . . .	12 —	13 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kamrup (Gauhati) . . . . .	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur . . . . .	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	...	...	...	...	...
Noakhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Barisal . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
Patuakhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Western—</i>												
Khulna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24 Parganas . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 4	...	...	...	...
Calcutta . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hooghly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 14	8 10	...	...	...	...
Jessore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.



[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine coracana)		KANKUNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNDAGA (Cicer arietinum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ARHAR DAL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14	Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Mergul
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 7	9 7	Moulmein and
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 11	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Amherst
...	...	...	...	6 4	5 10	...	...	6 4	5 10	8 —	9 6	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Pegu
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 8	9 8	Maubin
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Bassein
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 9	5 9	8 2	8 2	Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	8 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Prema
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	17 14	19 10	6 6	6 6	8 —	8 —	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Thayetmyo
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	14 2	64 2	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakokkn
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Meiktila
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 14	3 4	3 4	9 8	7 1	Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	12 —	12 —	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	7 —	Kyaukpnyu
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Assam—
...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 1	6 8	Surma—
...	...	...	...	8 4	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	6 —	6 8	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cachar
...	...	...	...	8 11	8 12	10 —	9 12	6 14	7 —	6 11	7 5	Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 —	6 —	Khasi and Jaintia
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 —	20 —	20 —	5 —	4 —	6 8	6 —	Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 4	6 4	Garo Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Naga Hills
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	...	6 —	Lushai Hills
...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 —	6 —	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	Kamrup (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	Darrang

TABLE NO. 5.- RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER, 1917—*Continued*

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUN ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR GUMBU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month
					Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month				
Bengal—continued												
Western—												
Bankura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	...	...	...	...
Burdwan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 4	10 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pahna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Rajahmali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Malda . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bogra . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jaipalguri . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 —	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 9	8 6	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea . . . . .	10 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur . . . . .	10 —	10 —	...	20 —	...	...	...	11 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga . . . . .	9 14	9 14	18 11	18 11	...	...	10 7	10 7	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . . . .	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Saran . . . . .	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Champaran . . . . .	9 8	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	...	11 —	11 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas . . . . .	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	11 8	12 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr . . . . .	9 8	9 —	21 —	21 —	...	...	10 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya . . . . .	...	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	...	11 8	...	12 —	...	...
Patna . . . . .	10 —	9 12	18 —	18 —	...	...	13 —	12 —	18 —	17 —	...	...
Shahabad . . . . .	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum . . . . .	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	11 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Manbhum . . . . .	9 —	9 —	12 —	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	...	...	16 —	...
Ranchi . . . . .	7 12	7 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 12	8 —	...	...	9 8	9 8
Palamanu . . . . .	10 11	10 2	15 3	13 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Hazaribagh . . . . .	8 4	7 12	12 —	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri . . . . .	7 15	8 8	...	...	...	...	10 8	9 13	...	...	...	...
Cuttack . . . . .	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	...	10 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore . . . . .	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur . . . . .	9 4	9 4	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 8	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur . . . . .	8 8	8 8	14 —	11 8	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	12 —	12 —
Benares . . . . .	8 5	9 2½	14 1½	14 1½	6 10	6 10	8 7½	8 2½	14 1½	14 1½	14 1½	14 1½
Ghazipur . . . . .	8 13	8 12	14 7	14 7	5 4	5 —	9 14	8 15	16 10	14 5	16 12	14 5
Jaunpur . . . . .	9 2	9 —	14 4	11 6	4 —	4 —	10 10	8 12	...	...	...	...
Allahabad . . . . .	9 —	8 12	14 12	14 12	5 —	4 8	8 8	9 —	14 12	14 —	13 12	15 8
Central—												
Banda . . . . .	9 10	9 10	12 4	13 12	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	14 4	14 8	...	...
Etahpur . . . . .	10 4	9 8	16 —	16 —	3 8	3 8	10 8	10 —	...	...	15 —	...
Hamirpur . . . . .	9 4	9 4	13 2	13 2	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	13 14	13 14	13 —	...
Jalaun . . . . .	10 —	9 8	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	6 12	6 12	16 —	16 —	...	...
Cawnpore . . . . .	8 12	9 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 6	7 6	...	...	13 8	13 8
Jhansi . . . . .	8 4	8 4	15 14	15 4	4 12	4 12	8 —	7 14	13 3	12 8	13 14	13 8
Etawah . . . . .	9 6	9 4	13 6	13 4	3 —	3 —	8 12	8 4	...	...	...	...
Farrukhabad . . . . .	9 9	9 9	14 10	15 —	4 1	4 1	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri . . . . .	10 —	10 4	15 —	15 8	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	14 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
Etah . . . . .	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	13 —	13 —
Western—												
Meerut . . . . .	9 12	10 —	14 8	13 4	3 —	3 —	8 4	6 13	...	14 8	...	...
Agra . . . . .	8 1	...	13 —	...	5 8	...	6 —	...	13 9	...	12 —	...
Muttra . . . . .	9 8	...	13 12	...	5 —	...	7 —	...	16 —	...	16 —	...
Aligarh . . . . .	9 8	10 8	14 12	15 —	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	16 4	17 —	14 —	15 4
Bulandshahr . . . . .	10 5	10 8	14 8	15 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
Submontane, east—												
Balla . . . . .	9 2	9 2	17 8	17 8	5 3	5 3	10 —	9 12	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh . . . . .	9 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur . . . . .	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	8 —	7 12	11 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Rosi . . . . .	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	6 4	6 4	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...

\* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

RAGI OR MAHUA (Eleusine coracana)		KANKHI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Oicer aristinum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ABHAR DÁL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	Bengal—continued
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	10 —	10 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	Bardwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	to	to	7 —	7 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Murshidabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	7 —	6 8	7 —	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 9	8 4	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	7 —	8 —	Maida
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	8 6	8 —	8 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 —	...	...	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	5 8	6 —	Rangpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darjeeling
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bihar and Orissa —
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 —	20 —	18 —	7 —	6 —	7 —	8 —	Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	14 —	15 —	22 —	26 —	...	10 —	8 —	8 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhagalpur
20 14	20 14	...	...	15 15	15 15	20 14	20 14	8 13	9 5	7 11	7 11	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	19 —	19 —	9 —	9 —	8 —	9 —	Muzaffarpur
13 —	13 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	16 —	18 —	18 —	16 —	16 —	7 8	7 8	Saran
20 —	21 —	...	...	16 —	17 —	21 —	22 12	10 —	10 —	7 —	7 8	Champanan
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	28 —	21 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	10 —	Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	13 8	18 —	18 8	18 —	13 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	Santhal Parganas
...	10 —	...	12 —	14 —	14 —	...	19 8	...	11 —	...	9 4	Monghyr
...	...	13 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	21 —	21 —	10 —	10 —	7 12	7 8	Gaya
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	15 —	17 —	9 —	9 —	8 —	9 —	Patna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	Shahabad
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 —	...	16 —	8 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	Chota Nagpur —
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	18 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	8 —	6 8	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	Manbhum
27 —	28 —	...	...	18 8	14 10	...	...	11 4	10 2	6 12	7 11	Kanohi
18 —	16 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	18 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	Palamanu
...	...	...	...	9 3	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 15	15 —	16 —	Hazaribagh
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Orissa —
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 2	5 8	8 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	United Provinces —
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	16 —	16 —	10 8	10 8	9 —	9 —	(a) AGRA—
...	...	14 14	13 9	15 3	15 3	16 4	14 4	9 12	10 8	11 10	11 13	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	19 11	21 13	11 8	11 8	10 —	12 13	Mirzapur
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 4	17 8	17 8	11 2	11 12	12 4	12 —	Benares
...	...	...	...	14 12	14 —	...	...	12 8	12 4	11 4	9 12	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Allahabad
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	10 —	11 4	Central—
...	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	...	...	13 —	12 —	9 4	15 —	Banda
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	10 4	10 4	9 —	10 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 8	...	Hamirpur
...	...	13 12	14 4	13 4	13 8	17 12	18 8	10 3	10 —	9 —	8 12	Jaloun
...	...	...	...	11 14	12 —	...	...	8 —	10 9	...	8 4	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 4	15 10	16 8	11 12	11 8	8 12	9 8	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	17 6	19 1	10 4	10 4	10 15	10 4	Etawah
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	17 —	18 —	11 —	11 —	10 —	10 —	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	16 —	16 8	11 —	12 —	10 —	9 8	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Etah
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 12	15 8	15 8	10 —	9 8	8 —	10 —	Western—
...	...	...	...	11 8	...	14 —	...	8 —	...	10 —	...	Morad
...	...	...	...	12 4	...	18 —	...	9 12	...	10 —	...	Agra
...	...	10 —	10 —	12 4	12 8	15 12	18 —	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 12	Muttra
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	14 8	16 —	11 8	10 8	9 8	8 8	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	16 4	17 10	20 12	20 12	11 —	10 6	10 —	9 12	Bulandshahr
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	19 —	...	12 —	12 —	10 —	11 —	Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	14 2	14 —	18 —	18 —	11 2	11 4	10 —	12 —	Ballia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	19 —	19 —	12 8	12 8	16 8	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT (Triticum Sativum)		BARLEY (Hordeum vulgare)		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CHUBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>United Provinces— continued</b>												
<b>(a) AGRA—continued</b>												
<i>Sulmontane, west—</i>												
Shahjahanpur . . .	9 14	10 4	15 8	15 —	4 —	4 —	—	11 —	—	—	14 —	—
Budaun . . .	10 —	10 1	14 7	15 10	3 8	3 8	7 12	7 —	14 —	14 —	11 —	11 —
Pilibit . . .	10 —	11 —	14 —	14 9	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	—	—	—	—
Bareilly . . .	10 —	10 2	14 8	15 6	4 —	4 —	8 15	8 7	15 —	15 —	13 11	13 8
Moradabad . . .	9 12	10 —	14 5	14 12	3 12	3 12	9 4	8 14	—	—	—	—
Bijnor . . .	10 6	10 6	15 8	15 8	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	—	—	12 8	—
Muzaffarnagar . . .	9 14	10 2	14 4	14 4	6 9	6 9	8 4	8 4	13 2	13 2	12 2	13 2
Saharanpur . . .	9 9	9 9	13 5	13 13	4 4	4 4	8 —	8 —	12 12	12 12	12 —	12 —
Dehra-Dun . . .	9 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	2 12	2 12	8 —	7 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
<b>Hills—</b>												
Naini Tal . . .	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	9 —	9 —
Almora* . . .	—	7 —	—	10 —	—	2 12	—	6 4	—	—	—	—
Garhwal . . .	6 4	6 4	8 —	8 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	—	—	—	—
<b>(b) OUDH—</b>												
<b>Southern—</b>												
Partabgarh . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	13 8	5 —	5 —	11 —	10 —	—	—	14 —	—
Sultanpur . . .	10 8	10 4	15 —	17 —	7 8	—	11 8	10 —	—	—	—	—
Rae Bareilly . . .	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 8	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	—	—	16 —	—
Unao . . .	9 2	9 2	13 12	13 12	4 8	4 8	10 4	10 4	—	13 —	—	12 —
Lucknow . . .	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	8 12	—	—	16 —	—
Hardoi . . .	9 8	10 —	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	—	—	13 —	—
<b>Northern—</b>												
Fyzabad . . .	9 8	9 12	14 8	14 —	—	—	8 8	8 8	—	—	10 8	10 8
Barabanki . . .	10 4	10 3	13 10	13 12	4 5	4 4	10 7	10 5	12 12	12 12	13 14	13 10
Gonda . . .	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 8	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Bahraich . . .	10 8	11 —	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 12	9 12	—	—	—	—
Sitapur . . .	9 12	9 12	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Kheri . . .	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	3 —	3 —	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	13 —	13 —
<b>Rajputana—</b>												
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Mewar (Udaipur) . . .	10 2	10 6	17 14	18 4	4 15	5 —	5 9	5 10	23 6	23 13	13 13	14 2
Ajmer* . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kishangarh . . .	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Tonk . . .	6 9	7 2	12 1	12 4	4 6	4 6	5 7½	5 8	15 5	15 5	13 2	13 2
Jaipur . . .	9 4	9 8	12 14	12 14	4 14	4 14	5 2	5 2	13 11	13 15	12 5	12 9
Karauli . . .	10 5	10 5	15 8	15 10	7 8	7 8	8 2	8 2	17 8	17 8	14 11	15 15
Dholpur . . .	9 8½	10 —	13 2½	13 12	4 13	4 14½	5 1	5 2½	14 2½	14 11½	13 —	14 —
Bharatpur . . .	9 4	9 4	13 6	13 6	4 5	4 5	4 14	4 14	15 8	15 8	14 10	14 10
Alwar . . .	9 8	10 3	13 9	14 4	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	16 7	16 12	15 6	15 13
Nasirabad . . .	8 —	8 8	—	—	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	15 —	14 —	15 —
<b>Western—</b>												
Bikaner . . .	7 8	8 —	11 8	11 8	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	11 8	12 8	10 —	12 —
Jaisalmer . . .	7 —	7 6	—	—	3 12	4 5	4 5	5 13	12 —	12 —	9 8	11 4
Jodhpur . . .	{ 9 — to 9 11 }	{ 8 12 to 10 — }	{ 13 5 to 14 8 }	{ 13 9 to 14 8 }	{ 5 3 to 5 4 }	{ 5 4 to 5 4 }	{ 6 8 to 6 8 }	{ 6 8 to 6 8 }	{ 16 8 to 16 — }	{ 16 — to 16 — }	{ 13 1 and 15.11 }	{ 14 — and 16 — }
<b>Central India—</b>												
Indore . . .	9 —	8 12	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	7 8	12 12	13 —	12 —	12 —
Neemuch . . .	9 8	9 8	—	—	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	13 8	13 8	11 8	11 8
Gwalior . . .	8 12	8 6	—	—	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	—	—	—	—
<b>Delhi—</b>												
Delhi . . .	9 4	9 4	12 5	12 11	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	12 8	13 —
<b>Punjab—</b>												
<b>Southern—</b>												
Hissar . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	13 8	—	—	7 —	7 —	—	—	14 8	17 —
Ferozepur . . .	9 12	10 —	14 8	14 8	—	—	7 —	7 8	15 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
<b>Central—</b>												
Jahore . . .	8 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 —
Gujranwala . . .	9 14	9 14	14 8	14 8	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	—	—
Gujrat . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	16 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	14 —	14 —
Jhelam . . .	9 8	10 —	14 8	14 8	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	13 —	14 8

\* Figures have not so far been reported.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARWA OR RAGI (Eleusine coracana)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Oicer aristinum)		MATR (Zea Mays)		ABHAR DÁL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
United Provinces— continued												
(a) AGRA—continued												
...	...	16 —	18 —	15 —	15 —	17 —	16 —	11 —	11 —	10 —	9 —	Shahjahanpur
...	...	15 —	15 —	14 4	14 12	18 —	18 —	9 4	10 —	10 —	13 8	Buduan
...	...	...	...	18 —	18 4	...	...	10 —	11 —	8 4	8 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	14 1	14 3	17 15	18 —	10 —	10 3	10 —	10 2	Bareilly
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 14	16 7	16 12	11 4	11 4	9 13	11 —	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	8 8	8 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	14 12	14 12	7 10	7 10	9 14	9 14	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	14 14	14 14	9 9	9 9	9 1	11 11	Saharanpur
12 —	12 —	...	...	11 12	12 —	15 —	14 8	8 8	8 12	9 —	10 10	Dehra-Dun
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	11 —	11 —	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Hills—
...	9 8	...	...	...	8 8	...	...	...	6 —	...	6 —	Naini Tal
...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	Almora
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
18 —	18 —	8 —	...	16 —	15 8	18 —	18 —	11 —	11 —	9 —	11 —	Partabgarh
...	...	...	...	17 —	17 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	Saltanpur
24 —	24 8	15 —	15 —	16 —	15 8	14 —	...	12 —	12 —	10 —	8 —	Rae-Bareilly
...	...	16 —	16 —	14 4	13 12	18 8	18 8	10 8	11 8	9 8	9 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	18 —	18 —	12 —	12 —	11 —	9 —	Lucknow
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	19 —	21 —	10 —	10 —	8 8	9 —	Hardoi
Northern—												
19 —	20 —	14 —	14 —	14 —	14 8	19 —	19 —	9 11	10 —	11 4	14 8	Fyzabad
...	...	15 8	16 —	16 6	16 10	20 8	19 8	11 —	11 1	9 2	9 2	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	21 —	22 —	9 4	9 8	8 8	10 8	Gonda
...	...	10 —	8 8	17 —	17 —	21 8	26 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 8	Bahraich
...	...	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —	17 —	17 —	10 8	10 8	10 —	10 —	Sitapur
24 —	24 —	11 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	23 —	24 —	11 —	12 —	9 8	9 8	Kheri
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
...	...	8 13	9 1	12 5	12 8	23 5	28 14	7 6	7 8	11 11	12 14	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	8 12	9 5	13 2	13 2	...	...	13 2	14 3	Kishangarh
...	...	15 7	15 7	11 5 and 14 11	11 9 and 14 7	13 11	13 15	10 12	10 12	12 2	11 10	Tonk
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Jaipur
...	...	9 6	10 —	12 9	13 7	...	...	10 5	11 —	9 15	11 5	Karnali
...	...	...	...	12 14	13 5	14 8	15 4	10 12	10 12	10 —	15 —	Dholpur
...	...	9 12	9 12	13 2	13 14	14 —	13 11	19 8	20 —	10 14	11 2	Bharatpur
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 8	Alwar
Western—												
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	15 —	17 —	Namirabad
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 4	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	12 1 to 12 6	12 4 to 13 —	...	...	6 4 to 7 8	7 6	14 —	14 —	Jaisalmer
Central India —												
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 4	16 —	...	6 —	8 —	13 —	16 —	Jodhpur
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	15 —	Indore
...	...	15 —	15 —	14 4	14 —	...	...	13 —	12 —	11 —	10 9	Neemuch
Delhi—												
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 8	14 5	11 —	11 —	16 12	11 5	Gwalior
Delhi— Delhi												
Punjab—												
Southern—												
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 8	...	...	...	...	10 8	14 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	...	...	5 8	5 8	13 —	13 —	Ferozepur
Central—												
...	...	12 8	12 8	11 12	12 12	13 —	18 —	8 4	8 4	18 8	14 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	...	...	...	...	12 8	13 8	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	10 4	12 —	13 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	15 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 12	11 —	18 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	16 —	Jhelum

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum</i> <i>Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum</i> <i>vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU ( <i>Andropogon</i> <i>sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR GUMBU ( <i>Pennisetum</i> <i>typhoides</i> )	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>Punjab—continued</b>												
<i>South-eastern—</i>												
Gurgaon	9 12	10 4	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	14 —	13 8	14 —
Rohtak	9 12	9 14	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	16 12	18 —
Karnal	9 12	10 —	14 8	15 —	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Submontane—</i>												
Ambala	9 4	9 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 12	7 12	14 —	14 —	13 —	13 —
Ludhiana	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 8	13 8	13 —	13 —
Jullundur	9 12	9 12	14 8	14 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	12 —	15 8
Hoshiarpur	9 10	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Gurdaspur	10 8	11 —	12 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	12 12
Amritsar	9 —	10 —	12 12	15 12	...	...	7 12	8 —	15 —	15 —	12 —	12 12
Shikot	9 8	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Simla	8 —	8 4	10 —	10 8	...	...	6 4	6 12	9 —	10 —	10 12	10 12
Kangra	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Rawalpindi	8 12	9 —	14 —	14 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 12	14 8	14 12	15 —
Attock	9 6	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 —	18 —
<i>Western—</i>												
Shahpur	9 6	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	14 8	14 8
Jhang	9 11	9 12	13 8	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	10 —	11 —	11 —
Lyallpur	9 4	9 1	14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	9 12	9 12	13 8	13 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 8	13 —	12 8	13 1
Montgomery	9 8	10 —	12 —	12 8	...	...	6 12	7 4	...	13 —	...	12 —
Muzaffargarh	9 14	10 2	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	8 14	9 —	12 8	14 —	...	...	8 8	8 12	12 4	12 8	12 4	13 —
<b>N.-W. F. Province—</b>												
Hazara	8 10	12 8	16 —	15 4	3 9	3 9	8 12	8 9	...	...	10 —	10 —
Peshawar	9 10	9 10	15 5	15 6	5 3	5 3	7 3	7 3	12 6	12 6	13 5	14 —
Kohat	8 14	8 14	15 1	14 15	3 13	3 13	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	15 5	15 1
Bannu	11 11	11 9	15 15	13 12	4 6	4 8	8 7	8 7	15 10	16 4	13 12	13 7
Dera Ismail Khan	9 11	10 —	13 —	13 —	3 8	3 7	6 6	6 8	15 —	14 12	15 —	16 4
Tochi	10 6	11 —	15 8	16 —	...	...	5 12	6 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 —	10 4	15 8	15 12	6 10	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	10 8	10 8	18 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 10	7 14	11 —	11 8	2 15	2 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>												
Karachi	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	12 —	12 —	10 —	11 8
Hyderabad	7 8	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	12 8	13 —
Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	16 —	12 8	13 —
Shikarpur	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	13 —	14 —
Upper Sind Frontier	7 8	7 12	...	...	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	14 —
Quetta	...	...	10 —	10 —	3 1	3 1	6 8	6 8	11 14	11 14	10 13	10 13
<b>Bombay—</b>												
<i>Konkan—</i>												
Karwar	6 5	6 5	...	...	5 9	5 9	7 4	7 4	9 2	9 10	...	...
Ratnagiri	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 3	7 3	8 11	8 11	8 13	8 13
Alibag	6 7	6 7	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 15	6 15	...	...	9 4	9 4
Bombay	6 6	6 6	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —
Thana	7 2	7 2	...	...	5 9	5 9	6 7	6 7	10 8	10 8	8 14	8 14
<i>Deccan and Karnatak—</i>												
Dharwar	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 4	5 4	5 13	5 13	11 11	10 13	8 15	8 15
Belgaum	5 5	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 9	11 7	11 7
Satara	6 15	7 5	...	...	4 13	4 13	5 14	5 14	8 13	8 6	9 4	8 9
Sholapur	7 11	7 11	...	...	6 7	6 7	7 7	7 7	11 7	11 7	11 9	11 9
Bijapur	8 5	8 5	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 5	7 5	12 —	12 —	...	...
Poona	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	6 11	6 11	10 3	10 3	9 —	9 —
<i>Chandesh and N. E.</i>												
<i>Deccan—</i>												
Ahmednagar	7 10	7 10	...	...	6 2	6 2	6 14	6 14	12 15	12 15	9 13	9 13
Nasik	8 2	8 2	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	9 7	9 7
Dhule	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 7	7 7	12 4	12 4	...	11 —
Jalgaon	7 2	7 2	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	11 13	11 6	10 1	10 1
<i>Gujarat—</i>												
Surat	6 8	...	...	...	4 0	4 6	6 15	6 15	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 8
Broach	7 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 8	9 —	9 —
Kaira	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	13 8	13 5	11 —	12 8
Baroda	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 —
Ahmedabad	7 —	7 8	...	...	4 4	4 8	5 —	5 8	10 —	11 —	9 —	11 —
Godhra	6 8	7 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	8 8	9 —
Dias	9 —	9 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 —	5 —	13 —	14 —	12 —	13 —
<i>Kathawar—</i>												
Rajkot	9 —	9 8	...	...	3 8	3 8	4 8	4 8	13 8	13 8	9 8	9 8
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
Nimar	7 15	8 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 12	7 1	12 2	12 6	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 2	9 11	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	11 11	11 11	...	...
Betul	10 2	10 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 2	6 9	12 6	12 6	...	...
Chhindwara	8 12	9 11	...	...	5 10	5 —	8 2	7 8	10 11	11 14	...	...
Nagpur	8 5	8 15	...	...	5 3	5 8	8 7	8 7	10 11	11 14	...	...
Wardha	8 2	8 12	...	...	5 2	4 13	8 15	8 15	12 2	12 2	...	...

\*Relates to Khadwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

RAGI OR MARUA (Eleusine coracana)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Oicer aristinum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ABHAR DAL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	13 —	12 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 8	Punjab—continued
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	14 —	South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 —	15 —	15 —	9 —	9 —	8 —	10 —	Gurgaon
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 —	8 4	8 4	12 4	12 4	Rohtak
...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	9 —	9 —	11 8	13 —	Karnal
...	...	8 8	8 8	11 —	11 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	11 —	12 —	Submontane—
...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 4	14 4	15 —	...	...	12 —	12 12	Ambala
...	...	12 8	14 8	11 —	13 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	12 —	Ludhiana
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 8	12 8	14 —	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 8	Jalandhar
...	...	...	...	10 —	11 —	12 —	...	...	...	13 —	14 —	Hoshiarpur
...	...	...	...	9 12	10 8	10 12	9 8	5 12	5 12	8 —	9 —	Gurdaspur
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 12	12 12	13 —	5 8	5 8	13 —	15 8	Sialkot
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	12 8	12 8	5 4	5 4	13 —	13 —	Hills—
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	14 —	14 8	Simla
...	15 —	11 8	11 8	12 —	12 —	12 —	11 8	...	...	11 —	11 —	Kangra
...	...	14 —	13 4	12 4	12 —	12 12	12 12	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Northern—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	12 12	12 12	7 12	8 4	12 —	12 12	Rawalpindi
...	...	...	...	11 10	12 2	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Attock
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Western—
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 8	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	Shahpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jhang
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lyallpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Multan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ghazi Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	N. W. F. Province—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hazara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Peshawar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kohat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bannu
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tochi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kurram
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wano
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karachi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Thar and Parkar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Konkan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Alibag
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Thana
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Deccan and Karnatak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Satara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N-R
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nasik
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dhule
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jalgaon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Broach
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kaira
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Baroda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dise
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kathawar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajkot
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provinces—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nimar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Betal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR CHUKSU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
					Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month				
Central Provinces— <i>continued</i>												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	9 6	9 6	...	..	4 4	4 4	7 1	7 1	15 1	15 1	...	...
Saugor	9 —	9 8	...	..	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	...	...
Damoh	9 2	10 6	...	..	6 11	7 —	8 11	9 —	...	...	...	...
Jubbulpore	8 12	8 12	...	..	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla	11 —	11 —	...	..	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	9 12	10 4	...	..	6 —	5 12	10 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Balaghat	9 9	10 4	...	..	5 11	5 11	11 8	11 3	...	...	...	...
Bhandara	9 13	9 13	...	..	...	...	9 11	9 11	14 1	14 1	...	...
Chanda	8 5	7 11	...	..	5 —	5 —	9 —	7 12	11 14	11 4	...	...
Eastern—												
Bilaspur	9 14	9 14	...	..	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	11 —	11 —	...	..	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	10 4	11 2	...	..	8 —	8 —	10 5	10 5	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	8 2	8 2	...	..	4 15	4 15	7 —	7 —	11 14	13 6	...	...
Akola	...	7 13	...	..	4 11	4 11	8 3	8 3	12 3	12 3	...	...
Amratoti	8 1	8 1	...	..	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	11 8	12 —	...	...
Ycotmal	8 4	9 7	...	..	4 7	4 9	8 8	8 12	11 8	13 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	6 2	6 4	...	..	4 1	4 1	7 15	8 3	9 9	10 4	9 6	11 0
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 8	7 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	..	...	...	6 14	6 14	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 3	9 7	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	..	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 —	7 7	12 9	11 6	10 4	9 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	..	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	..	...	...	8 13	8 13	13 8	13 8	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	..	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	..	...	...	8 4	8 4	11 —	11 —	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	..	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godavari	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 11	7 13	...	...	19 —	19 8
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	..	...	...	9 1	9 1	9 12	9 12	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	..	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 12	12 —	11 8	12 —
Nellore	...	...	...	..	...	...	9 2	9 2	11 7	11 7	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 2	...	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 5	7 5	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	..	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	12 5	13 11
S. Arcot	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	12 5	12 5
Tanjore	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	8 4	...	...	11 10	11 10
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 12	11 12	11 10	11 10
Southern—												
Tinnevely	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 12	11 12	10 4	10 4
Madura	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 13	9 13	8 9	8 9
Mysore—												
Mysore	6 8	6 8	4 12	4 12	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	12 8	12 8	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 4	5 —	4 9	5 —	5 8	5 8	6 12	7 —	...	...	...	...
Aden	4 6	4 6	...	..	3 6	3 6	4 3	4 3	6 11	7 —	4 13	4 13







WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

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RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA  
FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY, 1914, TO THE SECOND HALF OF  
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## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Peas)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0		
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9		
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0		
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0		
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0		
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 3 0		
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 0 6		
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 18 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6		
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0		
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5		
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8		
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0		
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0		
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0		
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1		
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3		
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1		
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11		
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1		
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5		
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7		
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6		
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0		
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...		
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7		
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0		
	Rhagapur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0		
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0		
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0		
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4		
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
Burma	Amherst (Moul- mein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0		
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9		
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5		
Index Numbers (a).		100	100	102	103	104	105		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 80% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above, which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs.

## FORTNIGHT ENDING

31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 8	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 6 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 6 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 8	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province	Market.	Fortnight ending									
		15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	4 5 9		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Penny).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...	...		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 6		
Punjab	Lahore	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 3 3		
	Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 1 6		
	Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 1 6		
	Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 1 0	4 0 0		
	Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 1 0	3 13 0		
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 7 0		
	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0	4 7 0		
Delhi	Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	4 9 0		
United Provinces	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 5 5		
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	4 7 5		
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 6 0		
	Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	4 3 6		
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 3 0		
	Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 13 6		
	Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	4 10 0		
Central Provinces and Berar.	Lucknow	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1		
	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	4 7 2		
	Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 8 2		
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	4 7 2		
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 14 5		
	Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	4 1 7		
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	3 15 6		
Bombay	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	5 4 1		
	Ahmednagar	4 1 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	4 14 8		
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	3 8 1		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0		
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0		
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	5 0 0		
	Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0		
	Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 3		
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0		
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5		
	Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7		
(Median Average)		4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	4 7 4		
Index Numbers (a)		114	104	103	104	104	106	107	108		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs—contd.

## FORTNIGHT ENDING

15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 5 9	4 8 8	4 12 8	4 12 8	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 8	4 10 9	4 8 9
..	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8
4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0
4 11 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0
4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 8	4 3 8	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 8	4 8 0	4 6 8	4 5 6	4 5 3	1 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0
4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0
4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 13 6	1 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 4 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10
4 1 9	4 7 10	4 11 8	4 9 8	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6
4 1 6	1 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0
4 8 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1
4 8 0	1 9 0	1 13 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 8	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6
4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3
4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7
4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0
4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	..
3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8
4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6
5 5 1	..	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 1 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	..
4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	1 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11
5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0
3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5
4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0
4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7
4 11 9	4 9 8	1 11 3	4 13 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6
114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117	117

## A.—Wholesale prices of wheat in

Port or province.	District	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 18 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6		
Punjab	Lahore	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3		
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 8	3 5 3		
	Lyallpur	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0		
	Amritsar	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3		
	Multan	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0		
	Rawalpindi	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 16 0	3 14 0		
Delhi	Ambala	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0		
	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0		
United Provinces	Benares	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 11		
	Aligarh (Hathras)	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 11		
	Cawnpore	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0		
	Meerut	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 11		
	Shahjahanpur	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 11		
	Agra	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4		
	Fyzabad	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3		
Central Provinces and Berar.	Lucknow	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6		
	Nagpur	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10		
	Jubbulpore	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2		
	Raipur	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2		
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0		
	Peshawar	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4		
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1		
Bombay	Poona	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11		
	Ahmednagar	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2		
	Ahmedabad	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0		
	Bhagalpur	5 5 0	5 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0		
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0		
	Ranchi	5 4 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0		
	Cuttack	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4		
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
Burma	Amherst (Moul- mein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1		
	Mandalay	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 13 7		
	(Median Average)	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1		
Index Numbers(a)		114	113	101	95	92	92	92	92		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 80% red.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.



India per maund of 82 lbs - contd.

FORTNIGHT ENDING													
15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th Septem- ber 1916.	30th Septem- ber 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	
4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	
4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	
3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	
3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	
3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	
3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	
3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	
3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	
3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	
3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	
14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	
0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	
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10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	
3 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	
4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	
3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	
3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	
3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	
3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	
3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 10	
3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 13	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	
3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	
4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	
3 9 10	3 11 2	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	
4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	
2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	...	
3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	
3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	
4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	
4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	
3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	
92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94	94	97	110	108	

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

		FORTNIGHT ENDING									
Port or province.	District.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	4 13 3	4 13 3	
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Peasey)	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	4 10 11	4 9 10	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 4 0	
Punjab	Lahore	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	
	Ferozepur	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	3 14 6	3 14 6	
	Lyallpur	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	1 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	
	Amritsar	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	
	Multan	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	3 12 0	
	Rawalpindi	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 5 0	
Delhi	Ambala	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	
	Delhi	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 13 0	
United Provinces	Benares	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 5 10	4 5 0	4 3 1	4 3 1	
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	3 14 6	3 13 1	
	Cawnpore	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	1 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 14 0	3 11 1	
	Meerut	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	4 1 6	3 11 1	
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 9	3 12 0	3 11 1	
	Agra	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 9 1	4 1 7	
	Fyzabad	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	4 0 0	3 14 0	
Central Provinces and Berar	Lucknow	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	
	Nagpur	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 6	4 1 11	3 13 2	4 0 4	3 11 7	
	Jubbulpore	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 2	4 1 8	3 14 5	
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 8 0	
North-West Frontier Province	Akola	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	3 7 6	3 10 11	
	Peshawar	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 7	4 10 2	4 2 1	
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	
Bombay	Poona	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	...	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	...	4 10 5	
	Ahmednagar	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	3 15 5	3 13 7	
	Ahmedabad	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	3 9 4	3 2 6	
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	
	Muzaffarpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
	Ranchi	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	
	Cuttack	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	
Burma	Amherst (Moul- mein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
	Mandalay	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 14 1	
	(Median Average)	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 0 8	4 0 0	
Index Numbers (b)		107	110	107	106	106	106	104	98	97	

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Prices at ports after 31st October, 1917, are as follows—

Ports	Rate per	On 9th November 1917.	On 16th November 1917.	On 23rd November 1917.	On 30th November 1917.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Mauud	5 3 3	5 2 3	5 4 4	5 6 4
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Peasey)	..	5 0 5	4 13 6	5 0 5	5 1 7
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	..	4 10 6	4 11 0	4 15 0	5 6 0

(b) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100

India per maund of 82½ lbs—consolid.

FORTNIGHT ENDING												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 31st October 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	31st October 1917.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 5 3	4 7 3	4 7 3	4 7 3	4 7 9	4 10 9	4 8 3	4 9 3	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 12 3	4 14 3	+3
4 10 7	4 11 8	4 13 11	4 15 4	4 14 7	4 13 2	...	4 6 6	4 10 7	4 11 8	4 12 5	5 2 3	+8
4 5 6	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 12 0	+1
3 13 0	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 9	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 3	4 9 3	+6
3 10 3	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	+2
3 11 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 0	+1
3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 4 3	+10
3 10 6	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
4 7 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	Nil
3 11 6	3 11 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 0	4 0 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	+5
3 14 6	3 15 3	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 3	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	Nil
4 1 2	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 1 7	4 3 5	4 3 10	+7
3 11 5	3 14 4	3 14 5	3 14 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 9	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 5 3	+5
3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	+3
3 11 0	3 14 6	4 1 6	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 12 11	3 14 5	4 0 0	+3
3 9 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 11 3	3 11 6	3 12 6	3 11 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	+3
4 5 2	4 7 1	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	...	4 11 3	...
3 14 0	3 13 0	4 1 6	...	...	4 3 4	4 2 0	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	...	4 1 0	...
3 14 0	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	Nil
3 11 7	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 1 10	4 3 2	4 3 2	4 3 2	5 11 4	+12
3 10 2	3 11 6	3 15 2	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 10 10	4 0 0	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	Nil
3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Nil
3 3 7	3 11 11	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 7 11	...	...
4 2 10	4 2 11	4 2 1	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 1	4 2 1	Nil
5 2 6	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	4 13 6	4 12 10	4 14 3	5 0 6	5 2 0	5 2 0	Nil
4 9 4	4 14 11	4 13 9	5 3 4	5 4 5	5 4 5	5 2 2	5 4 5	5 3 4	5 2 2	5 13 4	5 15 7	+2
3 12 8	4 0 5	4 2 4	4 4 1	4 7 9	4 5 11	4 8 10	4 11 5	4 6 10	4 15 1	5 2 9	4 9 7	-11
4 8 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 5 0	+12
3 7 11	3 6 1	3 11 8	3 11 8	3 11 8	4 1 7	4 1 8	4 1 8	3 11 8	4 8 11	4 6 0	4 5 1	-1
3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	-2
3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
4 6 0	4 6 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	+2
4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 4	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	Nil
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Nil
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	Nil
3 7 8	3 3 5	3 8 7	3 14 1	3 14 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 10 2	4 8 1	4 8 1	Nil
3 13 0	3 14 6	4 1 6	4 0 2	4 0 11	4 2 10	4 1 10	4 1 10	4 2 10	4 3 3	4 5 2	4 5 2	Nil
92	94	99	97	98	101	99	99	101	102	104	104	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 31st October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th October	31st October	Increase or Decrease.	15th October	31st October	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . . . .	100	100	Nil	100	101	+1
Punjab . . . . .	100	105	+5	100	102	+2
United Provinces .	100	103	+3	100	100	Nil
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	+6	100	100	Nil

## B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING					
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi . . .	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay . . .	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta . . .	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore . . .	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur . . .	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar . . .	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi . . .	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur . . .	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan . . .	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala . . .	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares . . .	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore . . .	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut . . .	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra . . .	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow . . .	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh . . .	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur . . .	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar	Fyzabad . . .	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
	Nagpur . . .	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore . . .	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur . . .	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
North-West Frontier Province	Akola . . .	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
	Peshawar . . .	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona . . .	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad . . .	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar . . .	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna . . .	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur . . .	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur . . .	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi . . .	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack . . .	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal . . .	Dacca . . .	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad . . .	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda . . .	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay . . .	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
(Median Average) .		9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
Index Numbers (a) .		100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	29th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0 5 14 7 8	7 8 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 5	7 0 5 8 ...	7 0 5 8 ...	6 8 4 14 ...	6 6 5 3 ...	7 8 5 3 ...	7 8 5 8 ...
9 4 9 4 10 0 10 4 9 8 9 8 9 12	8 4 8 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 12	8 0 9 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 6	8 4 8 8 9 0 9 6 9 0 9 0 8 0	8 0 8 8 8 8 9 0 8 4 8 4 8 0	8 0 8 2 8 10 8 14 8 4 8 0 7 12	7 8 7 12 8 2 8 0 7 4 7 12 7 6	6 8 6 12 7 2 7 4 6 10 7 0 6 8	7 4 8 0 7 4 8 8 8 0 7 0 6 8	7 8 7 12 8 0 8 8 8 4 8 8 7 0	7 12 7 12 7 12 9 0 8 4 8 12 6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8 8 4 8 8 8 0 8 8 8 12 9 8 9 8	8 6 7 8 8 0 7 0 7 12 7 4 8 8 8 12	8 14 7 4 7 8 6 8 7 8 7 4 8 0 7 14	7 9 7 4 8 0 7 0 7 0 7 0 8 2 7 12	7 7 7 4 7 12 7 0 7 0 7 0 7 14 7 12	7 3 7 0 7 0 6 12 6 12 7 0 7 0 7 2	7 1 6 12 6 8 6 8 7 0 7 0 7 4 7 0	5 9 6 0 5 12 5 12 6 4 6 12 6 12 6 4	6 6 6 8 6 8 5 12 6 4 6 0 6 12 6 6	6 12 6 12 7 4 7 0 7 14 6 0 6 4 8 5	7 5 7 12 6 4 6 0 8 0 5 14 7 4 8 2
8 4 8 8 9 8 7 6	8 5 8 0 8 0 7 6	8 5 8 0 7 4 7 6	8 3 7 8 7 8 7 6	8 4 7 8 7 8 6 5	7 0 7 0 7 0 5 4	6 6 6 8 6 0 5 6	6 6 6 0 6 0 6 5	7 11 6 8 6 0 5 5	8 4 6 8 7 8 7 6	8 15 8 4 10 0 7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13 6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	9 4 6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	8 14 6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	8 12 6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	8 12 6 8 5 14 6 8 8 2	8 12 5 9 5 14 6 8 8 2	8 104 5 9 5 14 6 0 8 2	8 24 5 9 6 10 6 0 8 2	7 44 6 13 7 6 6 8 9 9	7 1 6 13 8 2 7 0 9 9	7 84 7 2 8 2 7 8 10 0
10 0 9 0 8 8 8 0 7 14	9 0 8 4 8 0 7 8 7 8	9 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	8 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	7 8 7 8 7 0 6 12 7 3	7 2 7 0 6 8 6 4 7 3	7 0 6 4 6 0 6 4 7 3	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 12 6 14 5 8 6 4 6 9	7 8 8 4 5 8 8 0 6 9
7 8 9 8 9 8	7 4 9 8 9 8	7 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 8 8 7 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 7 5	5 10 7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	128	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi . . .	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay * . .	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore . . .	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4
	Ferozepur . .	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8
	Amritsar . .	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12
	Rawalpindi . .	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8
	Lyallpur . . .	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8
	Multan . . .	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4
Delhi	Ambala . . .	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12
	Delhi . . .	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8
United Provinces.	Benares . . .	7 12	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore . .	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Meerut . . .	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12
	Agra . . .	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Lucknow . . .	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh . . .	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4
	Shahjahanpur	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10
Central Provinces and Berar.	Fyzabad . . .	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6
	Nagpur . . .	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12
	Jubbulpore . .	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Raipur . . .	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Akola . . .	6 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . .	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7
Baluchistan	Quetta . . .	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2
Bombay	Poona . . .	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar . .	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar . . .	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna . . .	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8
	Bhagalpur . .	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	9 14	8 12
	Muzaffarpur . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12
	Ranchi . . .	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack . . .	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein) . .	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay . . .	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
(Median Average) .		8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8
Index Numbers(a) .		116	112	106	106	108	109	112	112

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—contd. [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FOURTEENTH ENDING											
15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 2	5 2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10
8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 18	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8
7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0
9 0	9 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4
8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7
9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½
7 7	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13
8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14
7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8
10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8
8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 16	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12
8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120	120	120

B—Retail prices of  
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Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Bombay* . . .	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8	10 12	10 12
	Ferozepore . . .	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar . . .	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12	12 12	11 12
	Rawalpindi . . .	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12	10 0
	Lyallpur . . .	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	12 12	12 8
	Multan . . .	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4	12 4	11 8
	Ambala . . .	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8	11 12	11 8
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0
United Provinces	Benares . . .	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15	9 12	9 12
	Cawnpore . . .	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 0
	Meerut . . .	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4	11 0
	Agra . . .	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0
	Lucknow . . .	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4	10 8
	Aligarh . . .	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0
	Shahjahanpur . . .	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12	12 8	12 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Fyzabad . . .	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4	11 0	10 10
	Nagpur . . .	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11	10 0	10 0
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4	11 14	11 14
	Raipur . . .	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola . . .	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8	10 8	9 11
	Peshawar . . .	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1	9 1	9 0½
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar . . .	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	10 14	11 5
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	11 0
	Bhagalpur . . .	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 8
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8
	Ranchi . . .	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0
	Cuttack . . .	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 8	9 8	9 13	9 13	9 13
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay . . .	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12
(Median Average) . . .		8 2	8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0
Index Numbers (a) . . .		118	116	106	96	96	96	93	96

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat



**Wheat in India—contd. [ The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]****Fortnight ending**

15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 13
12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 4
12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0
10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14	8 6	8 14
13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8
12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4
11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10
10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4
9 12	9 12	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	9 3	7 15
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8
10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	7 8	8 4
9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8
10 12	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4
11 12	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8
11 12	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14
10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4
10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	8 15	9 9
12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12
11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0
9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5
9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6½	8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15½	7 11
8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5
8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8
11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	10 11	10 4
10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0
10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8
9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7
9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	7 14
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4
10 0	10 4	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 9
96	93	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	98	112	112

## B—Retail prices of

FORTNIGHT ENDING										
Port or province.	District.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 8
	Bombay* . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
	Ferozapore . . .	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar . . .	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	9 14	9 12
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 12
	Lyallpur . . .	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	9 12	9 8
	Multan . . .	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 8
	Ambala . . .	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	9 12	9 10
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 13	9 1	9 1	9 10
	Cawnpore . . .	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	10 4
	Meerut . . .	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	9 1	10 4
	Agra . . .	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	8 4	9 8
	Lucknow . . .	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	10 4	10 4
	Aligarh . . .	7 8	7 4	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	10 12	11 4
	Shahjahanpur . . .	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	11 4
	Fyzabad . . .	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	9 12	10 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur . . .	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	9 9	10 3
	Jubbulpore . . .	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 2	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 8	10 0
	Raipur . . .	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	10 2	11 0
	Akola . . .	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	10 12	9 11
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . . .	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	8 9	9 10
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar . . .	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar . . .	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	10 11	10 11
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur . . .	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	10 8	10 12
	Muzaffarpur . . .	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Ranchi . . .	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	8 4
	Cuttack . . .	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	9 3	9 3
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay . . .	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	9 9
(Median Average) . . .		8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 3	9 8	9 10
Index Numbers (a) . . .		111	112	111	109	108	108	104	101	99

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat

**Wheat in India—consolid.** [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 31st October 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	31st October 1917.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	Nil
7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 6	6 6	Nil
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	8 8	+6
10 12	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	+3
11 2	10 6	10 4	10 3	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 7	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 0	+11
8 12	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	9 0	8 12	+3
10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	Nil
10 12	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	Nil
10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 4	+5
9 12	9 12	9 10	9 12	9 12	9 7	9 8	9 8	9 6	9 4	9 4	9 4	Nil
9 8	9 3	9 3	9 1	9 1	9 1	9 3	9 14	9 4	9 6	9 2	8 15	+2
9 2	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	+3
10 8	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	+3
8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	8 8	...	8 1	...
1 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 4	9 0	9 0	Nil
4	10 12	10 8	10 7	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 12	10 8	9 8	+11
10 0	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 10	10 8	10 8	10 4	10 4	9 14	+4
10 0	9 14	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 10	9 10	10 2	9 12	9 8	+3
10 8	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 15	8 5	+8
10 12	10 8	9 14	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 10	9 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	Nil
11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Nil
10 9	9 7	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	7 13	...	...
9 7	9 7	9 10	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 9	9 9	9 10	9 10	9 10	Nil
7 12	8 0	8 3	8 3	8 3	8 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7 13	7 13	7 13	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	6 0	6 0	Nil
9 7	9 7	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 10	7 10	Nil
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	+7
10 11	10 11	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	Nil
12 0	13 0	12 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	9 12	10 0	-3
11 3	11 3	10 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	Nil
12 0	12 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	Nil
8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 12	Nil
9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	Nil
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	Nil
10 13	11 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 4	8 4	Nil
10 4	9 14	9 9	9 8	9 8	9 5	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 0	+2
93	97	100	100	100	103	103	100	103	103	105	106	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 31st October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th October	31st October	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	15th October	31st October	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India	100	102	+2	100	100	Nil
Punjab	100	105	+5	100	101	+1
United Provinces.	100	103	+3	100	99	-1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	102	+2	100	99	-1

## C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

## IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending the 30th July, 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PRINCE).		CALCUTTA CLUB No. 2.	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 30% RED).		RED (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 92% RED).					
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914.	31 6	100	31 8	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 0	123	38 0	122	34 ½	106	41 6	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 1	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	...	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	31 9	110	31 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	31 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	36 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	123
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96

**C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—contd.**  
**IN LONDON.**

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

Date.	CHOICE WHITE KARACHI.		RED KARACHI.		DELHI.		CHOICE WHITE BOMBAY.		CLUB No. 1.		CLUB No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August "	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October "	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November "	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December "	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th "	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th "	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Janv.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
8th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February "	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th "	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar-April.	128
4th March "	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April "	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May "	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th "	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June "	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July "	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd "	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August "	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	113	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th "	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September "	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
24th Sept. '15 to 18th Apl. '16.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd "	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th "	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29th June to 7th July 1916.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd "	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th "	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are Market, and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current published weekly by the Chambers of Commerce. The statistics for London are compiled from Reuter's telegrams.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

**INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

*Delhi, the 12th December 1917.*

**ORDER REGARDING CERTAIN STOCKS OF BLANKETS**

**No. 209-X.**—WHEREAS the Governor General in Council is of the opinion that the articles specified below can be utilised in connexion with the prosecution of the present war, namely, blankets made of wool and measuring not less than six feet in length and four feet in width ;

Now, THEREFORE, the Governor General in Council in the exercise of the power conferred upon him by Rule 11-A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915 ; as amended, hereby requires all persons who, in the course of business, whether on their own behalf or on behalf of others, hold or have control over any such blankets to send to the Controller (Textile Supplies), Indian Munitions Board, Simla, the following particulars of such blankets, namely :—

- (a) the quantity of blankets held ;
- (b) the place or places at which held ;
- (c) the description of the blankets as regards composition, quality, colour and width ;
- (d) the price (if known) at which the owner or person entitled to sell the blankets is willing to sell the same by agreement ;

and the Governor General in Council further requires that every such person shall refrain from disposing of the said blankets from the date of this notification until the said particulars have been furnished as prescribed above, and for a further period thereafter of fourteen days, after the expiry of which

period the whole or any part of the said blankets may be disposed of as if this notification had not been issued, unless, before the expiry of the said period, they shall have been purchased by Government or a notice of requisition under Rule 11-AA of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, shall have been issued in respect of them by the Governor General in Council or by an officer authorised by him to act in this behalf;

PROVIDED that this order shall not be held to apply to a portion of their stocks of such blankets not exceeding five hundred in number in all held by dealers on the date of this notification for *bond fide* retail trade only, or to stocks held in the ordinary course of their business by persons whose aggregate holding of blankets does not exceed a total of five hundred in number.

. T. RYAN,  
*Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.*

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Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

### HOME DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATIONS

#### ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 11th December 1917.

**No. 821-C.**—Mr. G. F. Winn, I.S.O., Registrar, Home Department, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

**No. 824-C.** Rai Abinash Chandra Koor Bahadur, Superintendent of the 1st grade in the Home Department, is appointed to officiate as Registrar with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

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**POLICE.****CORRIGENDUM.**

*Delhi, the 13th December 1917.*

**No. 858-C.**—In the Home Department notifications nos. 349-C., 350-C. and 351-C., dated the 19th November 1917, relating to the grant of privilege leave to Sir C. R. Cleveland, K.C.I.E., I.C.S., Director, Criminal Intelligence, and consequent officiating arrangements

*for the words "with effect from the 1st November 1917" read "with effect from the afternoon of the 1st November 1917."*

**S. R. HIGNELL,**

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.****NOTIFICATIONS.****ECCLESIASTICAL.**

*Delhi, the 10th December 1917.*

**No. 391.**—The services of the Reverend R. G. Jamieson, M.A., a senior chaplain, Church of Scotland, Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

*The 14th December 1917.*

**No. 54-C.**—The services of the Reverend John A. Fairlie, M.A., a temporary chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Church of Scotland, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties at Calcutta.

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**EDUCATION.**

*Simla, the 10th December 1917.*

**No. 1047.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5, Sub-Section (2) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in the list of *ex-officio* Fellows of the University of Calcutta contained in the first schedule of the said Act as altered by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Education, no 72-C. D., dated the 27th December 1912, the words "Bihar and Orissa" shall be omitted.

**E. D. MACLAGAN,**

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATION.**

*Delhi, the 15th December 1917.*

**No. 29.**—Babu Bhuban Mohan Das, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Bihar and Orissa, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, and is posted to Bihar and Orissa.

**F. C. ROSE,**

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi, the 11th December 1917.*

**No. 2188-Est. A.**—Mr F. P. Rennie, I.C.S., of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for 41 days, with effect from the 26th November 1917.

**No. 2189-Est. A.**—Major R. A. Yule, of the Political Department, is appointed to officiate temporarily as Divisional and Sessions Judge, Peshawar, with effect from the 26th November 1917.

*The 13th December 1917.*

**No. 2201-Est. A.**—Major D. L. R. Lorimer, C.I.E., of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for 1 year and 9 months, with effect from the 24th November 1917, under Articles 233 and 308 (b), Civil Service Regulations.

**No. 2204-Est. A.**—The services of the Hon'ble Lieutenant-Colonel Sir John Ramsay, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., a Resident of the 1st Class and Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, with effect from the 5th December 1917.

**No. 2206-Est. A.**—Mr. H. R. C. Dobbs, C.S.I., C.I.E., a Resident of the 2nd Class, is appointed to be a Resident of the 1st Class, and Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, with effect from the 5th December 1917.

**No. 2920-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Super-tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to delegate to the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces the power to make rules under the said Act.

**No. 2921-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Super-tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rule:—

## RULE.

All public servants are forbidden to make public or disclose, except for the purpose of the working of the Super-tax Act, 1917, as applied to Berar, any information contained in documents delivered or produced with respect to assessment under the said Act, and any public servant committing a breach of this rule shall be deemed to have committed an offence under section 166 of the Indian Penal Code, XLV of 1860, as applied to Berar.

*The 11th December 1917.*

**No. 2217-Est. A.**—Lieutenant-Colonel P. T. A. Spence, of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for three months, combined with furlough for nine months with effect from the 1st December 1917, under articles 233 and 308 (b) of the Civil Service Regulations.

**No. 2218-Est. A.**—Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Minchin, C.I.E., of the Political Department, on return from leave, is posted as Political Agent in Bundelkhand, with effect from the 1st December 1917.

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.**The 11th December 1917.*

**No. 403-E. B.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 60 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. V, C. 61), the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the Somra tract in the Chin Hills bounded as below shall be included in the Province of Burma:—

On the North by the Nantaleik or Tuzu river;

On the East by the Upper Chindwin district;

On the South by the State of Thaungthut; and

On the West by the State of Mamour, and the high range of hills forming the watershed between the Nantaleik or Tuzu river on the west and the Nawe river on the east.

A. H. GRANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India*

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

*Delhi, the 11th December 1917.*

**No. 1363-F.-E.**—Mr. W. Alder, I.C.S., has been posted as Accountant General, United Provinces, with effect from the 26th November 1917.

**No. 1364-F.-E.**—Mr. J. C. Connell, Accountant, 1st grade, and officiating Chief Accountant, Class II, attached to the office of the Examiner of Accounts, Military Works, has been confirmed as a Chief Accountant, Class II, with effect from the 5th November 1917.

**No. 1365-F.-E.**—Mr. J. R. Gunjkar has been posted as Deputy Comptroller, India Treasuries, with effect from the 29th November 1917.

H. F. HOWARD,  
*Secretary to the Government of India*

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi, the 15th December 1917.*

**No. 1489-D.**—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 18th day of October, 1917.

BY THE LORDS OF HIS MAJESTY'S MOST HONOURABLE PRIVY COUNCIL.

Whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

- (2) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium ;
- (c) Arsenical ore ;

Chemicals, etc., the following :—

- (e) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic ;
- (a, Cresol, compounds and preparations of cresol (except saponified cresol) and nitro-cresol ;
- (b) Cresol (saponified) ;



- (b) Fencing staples ;
- (c) Fishing gear, including tackle for fishing by rod and line ;
- (b) Goat skins ;
- (b) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof ;
- (b) Lead ore ;
- Leather goods of the following descriptions :—
  - (b) Belting, hydraulic leather, pump leather and leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery ;
- (a) Machinery, agricultural, and component parts thereof, including hand tools which can be used for agricultural purposes ;
- (c) Nails, wire ;
- (b) Needles, hosiery, machine (latch and bearded) ;
- (b) Oil, fish and seal, not otherwise prohibited, and mixtures containing such oils ;
- (c) Oils, essential (except turpentine oil) ;
- (c) Paper, Japanese tissue ;
- (b) Sheepskins, haired or woolled and pelts ;
- (b) Waxes, animal, mineral, vegetable, and composite waxes, not otherwise prohibited ;
- (c) Wood-screws made of iron or steel ;
- Wool and wool manufactures, the following :—
  - (b) Wool, raw, and mixtures thereof ;
  - (b) Wool tops and mixtures thereof ;
  - (b) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof ;
- (b) Woollen and worsted yarn and mixtures thereof ;
- (b) Woollen rags, shoddy, and mungo, applicable to other uses than manure
- (2) That the following headings should be added :—
  - (a) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium, or of its alloys ;
  - (b) Arsenical ore ;
  - Chemicals, etc., the following :—
    - (a) Acrillavine, proflavine and other acridine derivatives having antiseptic or therapeutic properties, and mixtures or preparations containing any of those substances ;
    - (b) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic ;
    - (a) Cresol, compounds and preparations of cresol and nitro-cresol ,
  - (a) Fibre, coir ;
  - (a) Fish hooks ;
  - (c) Fishing gear, including tackle (other than fish hooks) for fishing by rod and line ;
  - (a) Goat skins ;
  - (a) Hair, animal, and tops, noils mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof ;
  - (a) Lead ore ;
  - Leather goods of the following descriptions :—
    - (b) Belting, leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery and leathers cut or shaped for hydraulic or pump purposes ;
  - (a) Machinery, agricultural, or farming, and component parts thereof, including hand tools for agricultural or farm purposes ;
  - (a) Needles, hosiery, machine (latch and bearded) ;
  - (b) Oil, fish, not otherwise prohibited, and mixtures containing such oil ;
  - (b) Oil, sandalwood ;
  - (a) Oil, seal, and mixtures containing such oil ;
  - (c) Oils, essential (except sandalwood and turpentine oils) ;
  - (c) Paper, Japanese tissue and similar cellulose paper, whether in the piece or roll or cut into shapes for domestic or other uses ;

(b) Sandalwood for medicinal purposes ;

(a) Sheepskins, haired or woolled and pelts ;

Seeds, the following :—

(c) Vegetable, not otherwise prohibited ;

(b) Watches ;

(b) Waxes, animal, mineral, and vegetable, not otherwise prohibited ;

(a) Waxes, composite ;

(a) Wood-screws made of iron or steel ;

Wool and wool manufactures, the following :—

(a) Wool raw, and mixtures thereof ;

(a) Wool tops and mixtures thereof ;

(a) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof ;

(a) Woollen and worsted yarns and mixtures thereof ;

(a) Woollen rags, shoddy, and mungo, applicable to other uses than manure.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

*The 15th December 1917.*

**No. 1454-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 10 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rule :—

(1) Where an order has been made under section 7 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916, vesting any property in a Custodian appointed under the Enemy Trading Act, 1915, such Custodian may by a written notice require any person having in his custody or control such property or any part thereof, or any document of title, security or voucher relating thereto, to deliver the same to him within such time and at such place as may be specified in the notice.

(2) If any person refuses or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him) neglects to comply with any notice issued in accordance with sub-rule (1), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to a term not exceeding six months or with fine which may extend to Rs. 1,000 or with both.

**No. 1523-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. S413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

*Additions.*

Gatton, S.,	Shanghai.
Gilson, E. H.,	"
Hillel, E. A.,	"
Jin Ann Wholesale Drug Depot,	Swatow.

**CUSTOMS DUTIES.**

*The 15th December 1917.*

**No. 1547-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended, and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 280-C. D., dated the 16th December 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to fix, with effect from the 1st January 1918, for the articles specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto annexed, the tariff values stated in column 4 of the said schedule.

## SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco.</b>				
<b>FISH</b>				
1	FISH, SALTED wet or dry .	Indian maund of 82½ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	R. A.	Such rate or rates of duty not exceeding twelve annas as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the <i>Gazette of India</i> , from time to time prescribe
2	FISHMAW, including singally and sozillo, and sharkfins.		Ad valorem	7½ per cent
3	FISH, excluding salted fish (see No. 1)		"	7½ " "
<b>FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.</b>				
4	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, all sorts, fresh, dried, salted or preserved—			
	Almonds without shell . . . . .	cwt.	17 0	7½ per cent
	" in the shell . . . . .	"	21 0	7½ " "
	" (kugazi) { Persian . . . . .	"	15 0	7½ " "
	" { European . . . . .	"	10 0	7½ " "
	Cashew or cajoo kernels . . . . .	"	10 0	7½ " "
	Coconuts, Straits . . . . .	thousand	75 0	7½ " "
	" other . . . . .	"	51 0	7½ " "
	" kernel (khopra) . . . . .	cwt.	15 0	7½ " "
	Currents . . . . .	"	50 0	7½ " "
	Dates, dry, in bags . . . . .	"	9 0	7½ " "
	" wet " baskets and bundles . . . . .	"	6 0	7½ " "
	" " in pots, boxes, tins and crates . . . . .	"	10 0	7½ " "
	Figs, Persian, dried . . . . .	"	22 0	7½ " "
	Garlic . . . . .	"	7 0	7½ " "
	Pistachio nuts . . . . .	"	60 0	7½ " "
	Prunes, Bussora (din-Bol-hara) . . . . .	"	Ad valorem	7½ " "
	Raisins, black . . . . .	"	"	7½ " "
	" kishmish, Persian Gulf . . . . .	"	"	7½ " "
	" Munakka " " . . . . .	cwt.	20 0	7½ " "
	" other sorts . . . . .	"	Ad valorem	7½ " "
	Walnuts, all descriptions . . . . .	"	"	7½ " "
	All other sorts of fruits and vegetables, fresh, dried, salted or preserved.	"	"	7½ " "
<b>GRAIN, PULSE AND FLOUR.</b>				
5	GRAIN AND PULSE, all sorts, including broken grain and pulse, but excluding flour see No. 6.		Ad valorem	2½ per cent
6	FLOUR . . . . .		"	" " "
<b>LIQUORS.</b>				
<b>R. A. P.</b>				
7	ALE, Beer, and Porter . . . . .	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	"	1 0
8	CIDER and other fermented liquors . . . . .	"	"	0 1 2
9	LIQUORS, Cordials, Mixtures and other preparations containing spirit			
	(a) Entered in such a manner as to indicate that the strength is not to be tested.	"	"	11 10 0
	(b) If tested . . . . .	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottle of the strength of London proof.	"	11 4 0
				and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof.
10	LIQUORS, Cordials, Mixtures and other preparations containing spirit . . . . .	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles	"	15 12 0
11	SPRIT, which has been rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption.	"	Ad valorem	7½ per cent.



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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—<i>concl'd.</i></b>			R A	
<b>SUGAR—<i>cont'd.</i></b>				
	All other sorts of Sugar—			
	Sugar, crystallised, and soft, from Java or Japan, 23 Dutch standard and above.	cwt.	17 3	10 per cent.
	" " " " from Java or Japan, 16 to 22 Dutch standard.	"	15 12	10 " "
	" " " " from Java or Japan, 15 Dutch standard and under.	"	13 12	10 " "
	" " " " from Mauritius, equal to 16 Dutch standard and over.	"	17 4	10 " "
	Molasses from Java . . . . .	"	2 8	10 " "
	" " other countries . . . . .	"	2 8	10 " "
	Sugar, all other sorts, including saccharine produce of all kinds.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	10 " "
<b>TEA.</b>				
19	TEA—			
	Tea, black . . . . .	lb.	0 12	7½ per cent.
	" green . . . . .	"	0 11	7½ " "
<b>OTHER FOOD AND DRINK.</b>				
20	COFFEE . . . . .	cwt.	55 0	7½ per cent.
21	HOPS . . . . .	...	...	Free.
22	SALT . . . . .	Indian maund of 82½ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	...	The rate at which excise duty is for the time being leviable on salt manufactured in the place where the import takes place.
23	SALT imported into British India and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in any process of manufacture; also salt imported into the port of Calcutta and issued with the sanction of the Government of Bengal to manufacturers of glazed stone-ware; also salt imported into any port in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar and Orissa and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in curing fish in those provinces.	...	...	Free.
24	ALL OTHER SORTS OF FOOD AND DRINK not otherwise specified	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>TOBACCO.</b>				R A.
25	TOBACCO, unmanufactured . . . . .	lb.	...	1 0
26	CIGARS AND CIGARETTES . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	50 per cent.
27	All other sorts of TOBACCO, manufactured . . . . .	lb.	...	R A. 1 8
<b>II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured.</b>				
<b>COAL, ETC.</b>				
28	COAL, COKE AND PATENT FUEL . . . . .	ton	...	0 8

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>				
<b>GUMS, RESINS AND LAC.</b>				
R. A.				
29	GUMS, RESINS AND LAC, all sorts—			
	Copal . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	Cutch and gambier . . . . .	cwt.	42 0	7½ " "
	Gamboge . . . . .	lb.	1 12	7½ " "
	Gum Ammoniac . . . . .	cwt.	25 0	7½ " "
	" Arabic . . . . .	"	23 0	7½ " "
	" Bdellium . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	" Benjamin, raw . . . . .	cwt.	12 0	7½ " "
	" " cowrie . . . . .	"	80 0	7½ " "
	" Bysabol (coarse myrrh) . . . . .	"	30 0	7½ " "
	" Olibanum or frankincense . . . . .	"	12 0	7½ " "
	" Persian (false) . . . . .	"	11 0	7½ " "
	Myrrh . . . . .	"	10 0	7½ " "
	Rosin . . . . .	"	20 0	7½ " "
	All other sorts of gums, gum-resins, and articles made of gum or gum-resin.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
<b>HIDES AND SKINS, RAW.</b>				
30	HIDES AND SKINS, raw or salted . . . . .	...	...	Free
<b>METALLIC ORES, AND SCRAP IRON OR STEEL FOR RE-MANUFACTURE.</b>				
31	IRON OR STEEL, old . . . . .	cwt.	3 0	2½ per cent.
32	METALLIC ORES, all sorts . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
<b>OILS.</b>				
R. A. R.				
33	PETROLEUM, including also naphtha and the liquids commonly known by the names of rock-oil, Rangoon oil, Burma oil, kerosene, paraffin oil, mineral oil, petrolene, gasoline, benzol, benzoline, benzine, and any inflammable liquid which is made from petroleum, coal, schist, shale, peat or any other bituminous substance, or from any products of petroleum, but excluding the following classes of petroleum.	Imperial gallon	...	0 1 6
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above two hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively for the batching of jute or other fibre, or for lubricating purposes.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above one hundred and fifty degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively as fuel or for some sanitary or hygienic purpose	..	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
34	All other sorts of animal, essential, mineral, and vegetable non-essential oils—			
	Coconut oil . . . . .	cwt.	26 0	7½ per cent.
	All other sorts of oil . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
<b>SEEDS.</b>				
35	OIL-SEEDS, imported into British India by sea from the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India.	...	...	Free.
36	SEEDS, all sorts, excluding oil-seeds specified in No. 35.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			R A.	
	<b>II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>			
	<b>TALLOW, STEARINE AND WAX.</b>			
37	TALLOW AND STEARINE, including grease and animal fat, and WAX of all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	<b>TEXTILE MATERIALS.</b>			
38	COTTON, raw . . . . .	...	...	Five.
39	WOOL, raw . . . . .	...	...	Free.
40	TEXTILE MATERIALS, the following :—			
	Silk waste and raw silk including cocoons :—			
	Bokhara . . . . .	lb.	7 0	7½ per cent.
	Floss . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	Raw silk—Yellow Shanghai, including re-reeled . . . . .	lb.	6 0	7½ " "
	" from Indo-China, and places in China other than Shanghai including re-reeled.	"	6 0	7½ " "
	Mathow . . . . .	"	4 0	7½ " "
	Panjam . . . . .	"	3 4	7½ " "
	Persian . . . . .	"	4 8	7½ " "
	Siam . . . . .	"	4 0	7½ " "
	White Shanghai, Thonkoon or Duppon . . . . .	"	4 0	7½ " "
	" " other kinds including re-reeled.	"	6 8	7½ " "
	" other kinds of China, including re-reeled.	"	8 0	7½ " "
	Waste and Kachra . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	All other sorts, including cocoons . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	Raw Flax, Hemp, Jute and all other unmanufactured textile materials not otherwise specified	...	"	7½ " "
	<b>WOOD AND TIMBER.</b>			
41	FIREWOOD . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
42	WOOD AND TIMBER, all sorts, not otherwise specified, including all sorts of ornamental wood.	...	"	7½ " "
	<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>			
43	CANES AND BATTANS . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
44	COWRIES AND SHELLS, including Tortoise-shell—			
	Chanks—large shells, for cameos . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	" white, live . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	" " dead . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	Cowras . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	Cowries, bazar, common . . . . .	cwt.	4 0	7½ " "
	" yellow, superior quality . . . . .	"	5 0	7½ " "
	" Maldiva . . . . .	"	7 0	7½ " "
	" Sankhli . . . . .	"	110 0	7½ " "
	Mother-of-pearl, nacre . . . . .	"	24 0	7½ " "
	Nakhla . . . . .	"	115 0	7½ " "
	Tortoise-shell . . . . .	lb.	9 0	7½ " "
	" nakh . . . . .	"	5 0	7½ " "
	All other sorts, including articles made of shell, not otherwise described.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
45	IVORY, unmanufactured—			
	Elephants' grinders . . . . .	cwt.	300 0	7½ per cent.
	" tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), each exceeding 20 lb. in weight, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing 10 lb. and over.	"	850 0	7½ " "
	Elephants' tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), not less than 10 lb. and not exceeding 20 lb. each, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing less than 10 lb.	"	750 0	7½ " "
	Elephants' tusks, each less than 10 lb. (other than hollows, centres, and points).	"	150 0	7½ " "

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd*

No	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			R A.	
	<b>II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—<i>concl'd</i>.</b>			
	<b>MISCELLANEOUS—<i>cont'd</i>.</b>			
	Sea-cow or moya teeth, each not less than 4 lb. . . . .	owt.	200 0	7½ per cent.
	Sea-cow or moya teeth, each not less than 3 lb. and under 4 lb. . . . .	"	170 0	7½ " "
	Sea-cow or moya teeth, each less than 3 lb. . . . .	"	120 0	7½ " "
	All other sorts unmanufactured not otherwise specified	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
46	MANURES, all sorts, including animal bones and the following chemical manures:—Basic slag, nitrate of soda, muriate of potash, sulphate of potash, kainit salts, nitrate of lime, calcium cyanamide and mineral superphosphates *	...	...	Free.
47	PRECIOUS STONES AND PEARLS, unset† . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
48	PULP OF WOOD, RAGS and other paper-making materials.	...	...	Free.
49	ALL OTHER RAW MATERIALS, and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured, not otherwise specified.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	<b>III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—</b>			
	<b>APPAREL.</b>			
50	APPAREL, including drapery, boots and shoes, and military and other uniforms and accoutrements, but excluding uniforms and accoutrements exempted from duty (No 51) and silver thread (No. 90).	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
51	UNIFORMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS appertaining thereto, imported by a public servant for his personal use.	...	...	Free.
	<b>ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES.</b>			
52	Subject to the exemptions specified in No. 55, ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES, that is to say,—			
	(1) Firearms other than pistols, including gas and air guns and rifles.	each	...	R A. 50 0
	(2) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	"	...	30 0
	(3) Pistols . . . . .	"	...	15 0
	(4) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	"	...	10 0
	(5) Main springs and magazine springs for firearms, including gas guns and rifles.	"	...	8 0
	(6) Gun stocks and breech blocks . . . . .	"	...	5 0
	(7) Revolver cylinders, for each cartridge they will carry.	"	...	2 8
	(8) Actions (including skeleton and waster), breech bolts and their heads, cocking pieces, and locks (for muzzle-loading arms).	"	...	1 8
	(9) Machines for making, loading or clearing cartridges for rifled arms.	"	...	10 0
	(10) Machines for capping cartridges for rifled arms.	"	...	2 8
	<i>Proviso 1.</i> —No duty in excess of 20 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> shall be levied upon any of the articles specified in items Nos 1 to 10 of this entry when they are imported in reasonable quantity, for his own private use, by any person lawfully entitled to possess the same			or 20 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> whichever is higher.

\* Under the Government of India Notification No. 330 C. D., dated the 23rd December 1916, sulphate of ammonia and mineral phosphates have been exempted from payment of duty.

† Pearls unset and unset precious stones imported uncut have been exempted from payment of duty by Government of India Notifications No. 2102-W., dated the 16th March 1916, and No. 7955-218, dated the 2nd September 1916, respectively.



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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>				
<b>ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—<i>contd.</i></b>				
<p><i>Proviso 2.</i>—When any articles which have been otherwise imported, and upon which duty has been levied or is leviable under items Nos. 1 to 10, are purchased retail from the importer by a person lawfully entitled as aforesaid, in reasonable quantity for his own private use, the importer may apply to the Collector of Customs for refund or remission (as the case may be) of so much of the duty thereon as is in excess of 20 per cent <i>ad valorem</i>; and if such Collector is satisfied as to the identity of the articles and that such importer is in other respects entitled to such refund or remission, he shall grant the same accordingly.</p>				
53	GUNPOWDER for cannons, rifles, guns, pistols and sporting purposes.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	20 per cent.
54	Subject to the exemptions specified in No 55 all ARTICLES, other than those specified in entry No. 52, which are ARMS OR PARTS OF ARMS within the meaning of the Indian Arms Act, (excluding springs used for air-guns which are dutiable as hardware, under No. 68), all tools used for cleaning or putting together the same, all machines for making, loading, closing or capping cartridges for arms other than rifled arms and all other sorts of ammunition and military stores, and any articles which the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the <i>Gazette of India</i> , declare to be "ammunition" or "military stores" for the purposes of this Act	...	"	20 " "
55	The following classes of ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES :— (a) Articles falling under the 5th, 6th, 8th, 9th or 10th item of No. 52 when they appertain to a firearm falling under the 1st or 3rd item and are fitted into the same case with such firearm; (b) Arms forming part of the regular equipment of an officer entitled to wear diplomatic, military, naval or police uniform; (c) A sword, a revolver, or a pair of pistols, when accompanying an officer of His Majesty's regular forces, or a commissioned officer of a volunteer corps, or certified by the commandant of the corps to which such officer belongs, or, in the case of an officer not attached to any corps, by the officer commanding the station or district in which such officer is serving, to be imported by the officer for the purpose of his equipment; (d) Swords and revolvers which are certified by an Inspector General of Police to be part of the ordinary equipment of members of the Police force under his charge; (e) Swords forming part of the equipment of Indian commissioned officers of His Majesty's army; (f) Swords for presentation as army or volunteer prizes; (g) Arms, ammunition, and military stores imported with the sanction of the Government of India for the use of any portion of the military forces of a Native State in India which may be maintained and organized for Imperial Service; (h) Morris tubes and patent ammunition imported by officers commanding British and Indian regiments or volunteer corps for the instruction of their men.	...	...	Free.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>III. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>			R A.	
<b>ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—<i>concl'd.</i></b>				
56	EXPLOSIVES, namely, blasting gunpowder, blasting gelatine, blasting dynamite, blasting roburite, blasting tonite, and all other sorts, including detonators and blasting fuse	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>CARRIAGES AND CARTS.</b>				
57	CARRIAGES AND CARTS including motor-cars, motor-cycles and motor-wagons, bicycles, tricycles, jinrikshas, bath chairs, perambulators, trucks, wheelbarrows, and all other sorts of conveyances and component parts thereof.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES.</b>				
58	ANTI-PLAQUE SERUM . . . . .	...	...	Free.
59	COPPERAS, green . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
60	OPIMUM and its alkaloids . . . . .	Seer of 80 tolas.	...	R A. 24 0
61	QUININE and other alkaloids of cinchona . . . . .	...	...	Free.
62	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES, all sorts not otherwise specified—			
	Acid, sulphuric . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	Alkali, Indian (sajji-khar) . . . . .	cwt.	6 8	7½ "
	Alum . . . . .	"	13 0	7½ "
	Arsenic (China mansil) . . . . .	"	22 0	7½ "
	" other sorts . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Sal ammoniac . . . . .	"	"	7½ "
	Soda ash . . . . .	cwt.	6 0	7½ "
	Soda Bicarbonate . . . . .	"	7 8	7½ "
	Sulphate of copper . . . . .	"	42 0	7½ "
	Sulphur (brimstone), flowers . . . . .	"	11 0	7½ "
	" " roll . . . . .	"	11 0	7½ "
	" " rough . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	All other sorts of chemical products and preparations not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ "
	Aloes, black . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	" Socotra . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Aloe-wood . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Asafoetida (hing) . . . . .	cwt.	125 0	7½ "
	" coarse (hingra) . . . . .	"	87 0	7½ "
	Atary, Persian . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Bánslochan (bamboo camphor) . . . . .	lb.	0 9	7½ "
	Brimstone (amalsára) . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Calumba root . . . . .	cwt.	13 0	7½ "
	Camphor, refined, other than powder . . . . .	lb.	2 0	7½ "
	" in powder . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Cassia lignea . . . . .	cwt.	26 0	7½ "
	China root (chobchini), rough . . . . .	"	12 0	7½ "
	" " scraped . . . . .	"	25 0	7½ "
	Cocaine . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Cubel s . . . . .	cwt.	100 0	7½ "
	Galangal, China . . . . .	"	16 0	7½ "
	Pellitory (akalkara) . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Peppermint, crystals . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Salep . . . . .	cwt.	250 0	7½ "
	Senna leaves . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Storax, liquid (rose mellos or salaras) . . . . .	cwt.	124 0	7½ "
	All other sorts of drugs, medicines, and narcotics . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
<b>CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS.</b>				
63	The following AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely, winnowers, threshers, mowing and reaping machines, elevators, seed-crowers, chaff-cutters, root-cutters, horse and bullock gears, ploughs, cultivators, scarifiers, harrows, clod-crushers, seed-drills, hay-tedders, and rakes.	...	...	Free.

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<b>III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>				
<b>CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS—<i>contd.</i></b>				
64	CLOCKS AND WATCHES, and parts thereof . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
65	CUTLERY . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
66	The following DAIRY APPLIANCES, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely, cream separators, milk sterilizing or pasteurizing plant, milk aerating and cooling apparatus, churns, butter dryers, and butter workers.	...	...	Free.
67	ELECTROPLATED WARE . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
68	HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY AND TOOLS, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ " "
69	INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS, AND APPLIANCES, imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling.	...	...	Free.
70	TELEGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, and parts thereof, imported by or under the orders of a railway company.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
71	WATER-LIFTS, SUGAR-MILLS, OIL-PRESSSES, and parts thereof, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power.	...	...	Free.
72	All other sorts of IMPLEMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES, and parts thereof, not otherwise specified.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>DYES AND COLOURS.</b>				
			R A.	
73	DYING AND TANNING SUBSTANCES, all sorts, and PAINTS AND COLOURS and painters' materials, all sorts—			
	Alizarine dye, dry, 40 per cent. . . . .	lb.	28 0	7½ per cent.
	" " " 50 " . . . . .	"	30 0	7½ " "
	" " " 60 " . . . . .	"	35 0	7½ " "
	" " " 70 " . . . . .	"	39 0	7½ " "
	" " " 80 " . . . . .	"	42 0	7½ " "
	" " " 100 " . . . . .	"	45 0	7½ " "
	" " moist, 10 " . . . . .	"	4 0	7½ " "
	" " " 18 " . . . . .	"	8 0	7½ " "
	" " " 20 " . . . . .	"	10 0	7½ " "
	Aniline " moist . . . . .	"	3 8	7½ " "
	" " dry . . . . .	"	5 8	7½ " "
	" salts . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	Avar bark . . . . .	cwt.	5 0	7½ " "
	Buzgand (gulpista) . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	Cochineal . . . . .	lb.	1 12	7½ " "
	Gallnuts (myrabolams) . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	" Persian . . . . .	cwt.	100 0	7½ " "
	Madder or manjit . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	Orchilla weed . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	Sappan wood and root . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	Turmeric . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	All other sorts of dyeing and tanning materials . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	Lead, red, dry . . . . .	cwt.	45 0	7½ " "
	" white, dry . . . . .	"	45 0	7½ " "
	Ochre, other than European, all colours . . . . .	"	1 8	7½ " "
	Paints, composition . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	" patent driers . . . . .	...	"	7½ " "
	Turpentine . . . . .	Imperial gallon.	4 8	7½ " "
	Verdigris . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
	Vermilion, Canton . . . . .	box of 90 bundles.	845 0	7½ " "

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>III. — Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>				
<b>DYES AND COLOURS—<i>contd.</i></b>				
	Zinc, white, dry	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	All other sorts of paints, colours and painters' materials not otherwise specified, including glue and putty.	...	"	7½ " "
<b>FURNITURE, CABINETWARE AND MANUFACTURES OF WOOD.</b>				
74	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE, and all manufactures of wood not otherwise specified.	.	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>GLASSWARE AND EARTHENWARE.</b>				
75	GLASS AND GLASSWARE, all sorts, Chinese and Japanese ware, lacquered ware, earthenware, China and porcelain.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>HIDES, SKINS AND LEATHER.</b>				
76	HIDES AND SKINS not otherwise specified, LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>MACHINERY.</b>				
77	MACHINERY, namely, prime-movers and component parts thereof, including boilers and component parts thereof, also including locomotive and portable engines, steam-rollers, fire-engines, and other machines in which the prime-mover is not separable from the operative parts.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
	MACHINERY (and component parts thereof), meaning machines or sets of machines to be worked by electric, steam, water, fire or other power not being manual or animal labour or which, before being brought into use, require to be fixed with reference to other moving parts; and including belting of all materials for driving machinery.	...	"	2½ "
	Provided that the term does not include tools and implements to be worked by manual or animal labour, and provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of machinery as are indispensable for the working of the machinery and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose.			
	<i>Note.</i> —This entry includes machinery and component parts thereof made of substances other than metal, but excludes the articles exempted under Nos. 78, 79 and 80.			
78	MACHINERY AND COMPONENT parts thereof as defined in No. 77 imported by the owner of a cotton spinning or weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in a cotton spinning or weaving mill.	...	...	Free.
79	The following ARTICLES USED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF COTTON, namely, bobbins (warping), forks for looms, healds, heald cords, heald knitting needles, laces, lags and needles for dobbies, pickers (buffalo and others), picking bands, picking levers, picking sticks (over and under), reed pliers, reeds, shuttles (for power looms), springs for looms, strappings, and woft forks.	...	...	Free.
80	DRAWING- FRAMES imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in the weaving of cotton.	...	...	Free.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	<b>III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>		R A.	
	<b>MACHINERY—<i>contd.</i></b>			
81	MACHINERY and component parts thereof, meaning machines or parts of machines to be worked by manual or animal labour.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	<b>METALS, IRON AND STEEL.</b>			
82	<b>IRON—</b>			
	<b>ANGLE—</b>			
	Angle, T, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	ton	800 0	2½ per cent.
	" other than Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	"	400 0	2½ " "
	" other than Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	All other sorts	...	"	2½ " "
	<b>BAR, ROD AND CHANNEL, INCLUDING CHANNEL FOR CARRIAGES—</b>			
	Bar, Best Yorkshire and similar qualities	ton	800 0	2½ " "
	" Swedish and similar qualities	"	500 0	2½ " "
	" " " " nail-rod, round-rod, and square under ½ inch in diameter.	"	500 0	2½ " "
	" Swedish and charcoal, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	" other kinds	ton	400 0	2½ " "
	" " " nail-rod, round-rod and square under ½ inch in diameter.	"	450 0	2½ " "
	" " " if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	Channel, including channel for carriages	ton	500 0	2½ " "
	All other sorts	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	Pig	...	"	2½ " "
	RICE BOWLS	...	"	2½ " "
83	<b>IRON OR STEEL—</b>			
	<b>ANCHORS AND CABLES</b>	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
	<b>BEAMS, JOISTS, pillars, girders, screw-piles, bridge-work and other such descriptions of iron or steel imported exclusively for building purposes; including also ridging, guttering and continuous roofing.</b>	...	"	2½ " "
	<b>BOLTS and nuts, including hook bolts and nuts for roofing.</b>	...	"	2½ " "
	<b>HOOPS AND STRIPS—</b>			
	Hoops, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	ton	900 0	2½ " "
	" other than Best Yorkshire or Swedish, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	" other kinds	ton	550 0	2½ " "
	Strips, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities if galvanized, tinned lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	"	900 0	2½ " "
	" other kinds	ton	700 0	2½ " "
	<b>NAILS, RIVETS AND WASHERS, ALL SORTS—</b>			
	Iron or steel nails, rose, wire and flat-headed	cwt.	25 0	2½ " "
	" " " other kinds, including galvanized, tinned or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	Rivets and Washers, iron or steel	...	"	2½ " "
	<b>PIPES AND TUBES, and fittings therefor, such as bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges and the like.</b>	...	"	2½ " "

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
III.—Articles wholly or mainly manu- factured— <i>contd.</i>				
METALS, IRON AND STEEL— <i>contd.</i>			R A	
IRON OR STEEL— <i>contd</i>				
	RAILS, CHAINS, sleepers, bearing and fish plates, spikes, (commonly known as dog spikes) switches, and crossings, other than those described in No. 94, also lever boxes, clips, and tie-bars.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
	SHEETS AND PLATES, all sorts, excluding discs and circles which are dutiable under No. 85.			
	Sheets and plates, Best Yorkshire and similar quali-	ton	1,200 0	2½ " "
	" " ties Swedish and charcoal	"	1,000 0	2½ " "
	" " Swedish and charcoal, if galva-	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	nized, tinned, or lead coated.			
	Plates, other kinds, above ¼ inch thick	ton	700 0	2½ " "
	Sheets " " up to ¼ " "	"	700 0	2½ " "
	Sheets (other than corrugated), and plates, other kinds, if galvanized, tinned, lead coated, alumi-	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	nium coated, chequered or planished.			
	Sheets, corrugated, galvanized or black	ton	550 0	2½ " "
	WIRE, including fencing wire and wire rope, but ex-	"	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	cluding wire-netting (which is dutiable under No. 85).			
84	STEEL—			
	ANGLE—			
	Angle, T	ton	400 0	2½ " "
	" " if galvanized, tinned or lead coated	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	" " all other sorts	...	"	2½ " "
	BAR, ROD, AND CHANNEL, including channel for carriages—			
	Bar (other than cast steel)	ton	100 0	2½ " "
	" Swedish and similar qualities	"	500 0	2½ " "
	" nail-rod, round-rod, and square, other than Swedish or similar qualities, under ½ inch in diameter.	ton	450 0	2½ " "
	" galvanized, tinned, lead coated, planished or polished.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	" all other sorts	...	"	2½ " "
	Channel including channel for carriages	ton	500 0	2½ " "
	CAST including spring, blistered and tub steel	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
	INGOTS, BLOOMS, BILLETS AND SLABS	...	"	2½ " "
85	All sorts of IRON AND STEEL and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Iron or steel cans or drums, when imported contain-			
	ing petroleum, which is separately assessed to duty under No. 23, namely:—			
	Iron or steel cans, tinned, other than petrol tins of two gallons capacity.	can	0 3½	7½ " "
	Iron or steel cans or drums, not tinned, of two gallons capacity.	"	0 2	7½ " "
	Iron or steel drums of four gallons capacity—			
	(a) with faucet caps	drum	1 0	7½ " "
	(b) ordinary	"	0 8	7½ " "
	Iron or steel, all other sorts, including discs or circles and wire-netting.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ " "
METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL.				
86	CURRENT SILVER, NICKEL, BRONZE, AND COPPER COIN of the Government of India.	...	...	Free.
87	GOLD BULLION AND COIN	...	...	Free
88	LEAD, sheets, for tea-chests	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
89	SILVER, BULLION OR COIN, not otherwise specified* (See Nos 86 and 136)	ounce	...	R A. 0 4
90	SILVER PLATE, SILVER THREAD and wire, and SILVER MANUFACTURES, all sorts.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	10 per cent.

\* Under the Government of India Notification No 8156 dated the 14th July 1917, all silver bullion and silver coin in respect of which an order in writing has been made under section 3 (i) of the Silver (Import) Ordinance, 1917 (Ordinance No. IV of 1917), are exempted from the import duty.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>				
<b>METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL—<i>contd.</i></b>				
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91	ALL SORTS OF METALS OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL, and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Brass, orsidue and leaves, European . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	" " " China . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	" " patent or yellow metal, sheets and sheathing, weighing 1 lb. or above per square foot, and braziers, and plates. . . . .	cwt.	108 0	7½ "
	" " patent or yellow metal (old) . . . . .	"	55 0	7½ "
	" " sheets, flat or in rolls, and sheathing, weighing less than 1 lb. per square foot. . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	" " wire . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	" " all other sorts . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Copper, bolt and bar, rolled . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	" " braziers, shoots, plates and sheathing . . . . .	cwt.	110 0	7½ "
	" " nails and composition nails . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	" " old . . . . .	cwt.	65 0	7½ "
	" " pigs, tiles, ingots, cakes, bricks, and slabs . . . . .	"	95 0	7½ "
	" " China, white, copperware . . . . .	lb	2 4	7½ "
	" " foil or dankpana, white 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in. . . . .	hundred leaves.	7 0	7½ "
	" " foil or dankpana, coloured, 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in. . . . .	"	7 8	7½ "
	" " wire, including phosphor-bronze . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	" " all other sorts, unmanufactured and manufactured, except current coin of the Government of India, which is free. . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	German silver . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Gold leaf . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Lametta . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Lead, all sorts (except sheets for tea chests) . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Quicksilver . . . . .	lb.	4 8	7½ "
	Shot, bird . . . . .	cwt.	40 0	7½ "
	Tin, block . . . . .	"	155 0	7½ "
	" " foil, and other sorts . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	Zinc or spelter, nails . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	" " tiles or slabs, . . . . .	cwt.	50 0	7½ "
	" " all other sorts, including boiler tiles. . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
	All other sorts of metals, and manufactures thereof . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
<b>PAPER, PASTEBOARD AND STATIONERY.</b>				
92	TRADE CATALOGUES AND ADVERTISING CIRCULARS imported by packet, book, or parcel post. . . . .	...	...	Free.
93	PAPER AND ARTICLES MADE OF PAPER AND PAPER MACHINE, PASTEBOARD, MILLBOARD, AND CARDBOARD all sorts, and STATIONERY, including ruled or printed forms and account and manuscript books, labels, advertising circulars, sheet or card almanacs and calendars, Christmas, Easter and other cards, including cards in booklet form; including also wastepaper and old newspapers for packing; but excluding trade catalogues and advertising circulars imported by packet, book, or parcel post . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK.</b>				
94	RAILWAY MATERIAL for permanent-way and rolling-stock, namely, cylinders, girders, and other material for bridges, rails, sleepers, bearing and fish-plates, fish-bolts, chairs, spikes, crossings, sleeper fastenings, switches, interlocking apparatus, brake gear, couplings and springs, signals, turn-tables, weigh-bridges, engines, tenders, carriages, wagons, traversers, trolleys, trucks, and component parts thereof; also the following articles when imported by or under the orders of a railway company, namely, cranes, water cranes, water tanks and standards, wire and other materials for fencing. . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured— <i>contd.</i>				
RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK— <i>contd.</i>				
Provided that for the purpose of this entry "railway" means a line of railway subject to the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, and includes a railway constructed in a Native State under the suzerainty of His Majesty and also such tramways as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the <i>Gazette of India</i> , specifically include therein.				
Provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of railway material as are indispensable for the working of railways and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose.				
YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS.				
95	COTTON TWIST AND YARN, and COTTON SEWING OR DARNING THREAD.	...	...	Free.
96	COTTON piece-goods, thread other than sewing or darning thread, and all other manufactured cotton goods not otherwise specified.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
97	SECOND-HAND OR USED GUNNY BAGS made of jute .	...	...	Free.
98	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS, that is to say:—			
	Flax twist and yarn and manufactures of flax .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
	Haberdashery and Millinery . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Hemp manufactures . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Hosiery . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
	Jute twist and yarn and jute manufactures, excluding second-hand or used gunny bags ( <i>see</i> No. 97).	...	"	7½ "
	Silk yarn, noils, and warps, silk thread, silk piece-goods and other manufactures of silk	...	"	7½ "
	Woollen yarn, knitting wool and other manufactures of wool including felt.	...	"	7½ "
	All other sorts of yarns and textile fabrics, not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ "
MISCELLANEOUS.				
99	ART, the following works of:—(1) statuary and pictures intended to be put up for the public benefit in a public place, and (2) memorials of a public character intended to be put up in a public place, including the materials used, or to be used in their construction, whether worked or not.	...	...	Free.
100	ART, works of, excluding those specified in No. 99 .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
101	BOOKS, printed, including covers for printed books, maps, charts, and plans, proofs, music and manuscripts.	...	...	Free.
102	BRUSHES AND BROOMS . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
103	BUILDING AND ENGINEERING MATERIALS, including asphalt, bricks, cement, chalk and lime, clay, pipes of earthenware, tiles and all other sorts of building and engineering materials not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ "
104	CANDLES . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
105	CORDAGE AND ROPE AND TWINE OF VEGETABLE FIBRE	...	"	7½ "
106	FIREWORKS . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
107	FURNITURE, TACKLE AND APPAREL, not otherwise described, for steam, sailing, towing and other vessels	...	"	7½ "
108	IVORY, manufactured . . . . .	...	"	7½ "



SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>contd.</i></b>				
<b>MISCELLANEOUS—<i>contd.</i></b>				
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109	JEWELLERY AND JEWELS, including gold plate and other manufactures of gold, but excluding silver plate and other manufactures of silver ( <i>see</i> No. 90).	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
110	MATCHES . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
111	MATS AND MATTING . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
112	OILCAKES . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
113	OILCLOTH AND FLOOR CLOTH . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
114	PACKING—ENGINE AND BOILER—all sorts, excluding packing forming a component part of any article included in No. 77 and No. 94.	...	"	7½ "
115	PERFUMERY, excluding perfumed spirits ( <i>see</i> No. 10)— Gowla husked and unhusked . . . . . cwt. Kapurkachri (vedoary) . . . . . " Patch leaves (patchouli) . . . . . " Rose-flowers, dried . . . . . " Rose-water . . . . . Imperial gallon.	150 0 20 0 26 0 19 0 3 0		7½ " 7½ " 7½ " 7½ " 7½ "
116	PITCH, TAR AND DAMMER . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ "
117	POLISHES AND COMPOSITIONS . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
118	PRINTING AND LITHOGRAPHING MATERIAL, namely, presses, type, ink, brass rules, composing sticks, chases, imposing tables, and lithographic stones, stereotype blocks, roller moulds, roller frames and stocks, roller composition, standing screw and hot presses, perforating machines, gold blocking presses, stereotyping apparatus, metal furniture, paper folding machines, and paging and numbering machines, but excluding paper ( <i>see</i> No. 93).	...	"	2½ "
119	PRINTS, ENGRAVINGS AND PICTURES, including photographs and picture-cards.	...	"	7½ "
120	RACKS for the withering of tea leaf . . . . .	...	"	2½ "
121	RUBBER tyres for motors and motor cycles, and rubber tubes for tyres, and other manufactures of rubber, not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ "
122	SHIPS AND OTHER VESSELS for inland and harbour navigation, including steamers, launches, boats and barges, imported entire or in sections.	...	"	2½ "
123	SMOKERS' REQUISITES, excluding tobacco ( <i>see</i> Nos. 25 to 27.)	...	"	7½ "
124	SOAP . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
125	STARCH AND FARINA . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
126	STONE AND MARBLE, and articles made of stone and marble.	...	"	7½ "
127	TEA-CHESTS of metal or wood whether imported entire or in sections, provided that the Collector of Customs is satisfied that they are imported for the purpose of the packing of tea for transport in bulk.	...	"	2½ "
128	TOILET REQUISITES, not otherwise specified . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
129	TOYS, playing cards and requisites for games and sports.	...	"	7½ "
130	UMBRELLAS, including parasols and sunshades, and fittings therefor.	...	"	7½ "

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*concl'd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
<b>III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—<i>concl'd.</i></b>				
<b>MISCELLANEOUS—<i>concl'd.</i></b>				
131	The following ARTICLES, when imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be INTENDED FOR USE IN THE WEAVING OF COTTON or the baling of woven cotton goods:—  Aniline blue, Bisulphate of soda, China clay, Chloride of magnesium, Chloride of zinc, Dressalin, Epsom salts, Farina, Farinina, Flannel tapping, Glauber salts, Glutina, Glycerine substitutes, Heald varnish, Hoop iron, Hoop steel, Rivets for bales, Sewing needles, Sizing paste, Sizing wax, Soda ash, Starch, Velvet pulp.	...	R A.	Free.
132	ALL OTHER ARTICLES wholly or mainly manufactured, not otherwise specified.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
<b>IV.—Miscellaneous and unclassified—</b>				
133	ANIMALS, living, all sorts . . . . .	...	...	Free.
134	CORAL . . . . .	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.
135	FODDER, bran and pollards . . . . .	...	"	7½ "
136	SPECIMENS illustrative of natural science, including also antique coins and medals.	...	...	Free.
137	ALL OTHER ARTICLES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, including articles imported by post.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	7½ per cent.

## CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

*The 15th December 1917.*

**No. 1442-D.**—In supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 336-C. D., dated the 23rd December 1916, Mr. A. E. McKenna, Head Accountant in the Calcutta Custom House, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service at Calcutta, with effect from the 21st December 1916.

**No. 1560-D.**—The following reversions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the 26th November 1917:—

Name.	From	To
Mr. J. A. Stevens . . . . .	Collector, class I, officiating . . . . .	Collector, class II, substantive.
Mr. P. Eccles, I.C.S. . . . .	Collector, class II, officiating . . . . .	Collector, class III, substantive.
Mr. A. M. Green, I.C.S. . . . .	Collector, class III, officiating . . . . .	Assistant Collector, substantive.

## POST OFFICE.

*The 15th December 1917.***No. 1466-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 25 of the Indian Post

(1) The Presidency Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Bombay.

(2) The Postmaster and Deputy Postmaster, Karachi.

(3) The Presidency Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Calcutta.

(4) The Presidency Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Madras

(5) The Postmaster and Deputy Postmaster, Dhanushkodi.

(6) The Postmaster, Negapatam.

(7) The Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Rangoon.

7th November 1917, and to direct that the said officers shall deliver all postal articles reasonably believed or found to contain such goods to the nearest Customs Collector.

Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), as amended by Act III of 1912, the Governor General in Council is pleased to empower the postal officers noted in the margin to search, or cause search to be made, amongst all articles in course of transmission by post to any place in British India, for living plants and all portions thereof (including seeds and fruits) the import of which by sea or land into British India is prohibited, regulated or restricted by the Notification in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture No. 13-C, dated the

## POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

*The 15th December 1917.***No. 13987.**—Mr. M. P. C. Byrne, Postmaster General, officiating in the 3rd grade, is granted an extension of privilege leave for 25 days with effect from the 26th November 1917.

## SALT.

*The 15th December 1917.***No. 1574-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 1 (2) of the Defence of India (Salt) Rules, 1917, the Governor General in Council is pleased to extend the provisions

His Excellency the Governor of Bengal in

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bihar and

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the United

the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioners in the Central

the Chief Commissioner of

the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the

Council

Orissa in Council.

Provinces

Provinces and Assam

Delhi

Governor General of the North-West Frontier Province.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India*

## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

*Delhi, the 14th December 1917.*

## APPOINTMENTS.

**No. 2118.**—Lieutenant B. E. Nicolls, 7th Battalion, The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Staff Captain. Dated 30th November 1917.**No. 2119.**—Second Lieutenant W. H. Martin, Machine Gun Corps, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain but with the pay and allowances of a Lieutenant, while holding an appointment as Adjutant of a Machine Gun Training Centre. Dated 17th September 1917.**No. 2120.**—Second Lieutenant C. P. Prescott, R. E., is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Company Commander, Signal Service Depot, Poona. Dated 23rd October 1917.**No. 2121.**—Second Lieutenant J. G. Pembroke, 1-1st Kent Battalion, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Station Staff Officer, 1st class. Dated 18th November 1917.

**No. 2122.**—In Army Department Notification No. 2012, dated the 30th November 1917, for “26th October 1917” read “3rd November 1917”.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### *Infantry.*

**No. 2123.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

##### *The King's (Liverpool Regiment).*

Acting Serjeant Major Ernest Harrop. Dated 20th November 1917.

##### *The Dorsetshire Regiment.*

Serjeant John Jackman. Dated 30th November 1917.

Serjeant Montague Passmore. Dated 30th November 1917.

#### PERSONAL STAFF.

**No. 2124.**—The Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 25th November 1917 :—

##### *To be Honorary Aide-de-Camp.*

Commander E. A. Constable (Royal Navy, retired), Commandant, Calcutta Port Defence Corps, Indian Defence Force, *vice* Honorary Colonel W. T. Grice, C.I.E., V.D., 1st Battalion, Calcutta Rifles, Indian Defence Force, tenure expired.

#### CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

**No. 2125.**—The services of Major D. G. Peart, Indian Army (retired), are placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces for employment as a Cantonment Magistrate.

#### INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

**No. 2126.**—Army Department Notification No. 1578 is cancelled and the following substituted :—

In Army Department Notification No. 1414, dated the 31st August 1917, against “Christian John Frabhaker” for “5th August 1917” read “6th August 1917”.

#### INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2127.**—The undermentioned to be temporary Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Stanley Smith. Dated 11th December 1917.

**No. 2128.**—The following are appointed to the Indian Army on probation, subject to His Majesty's approval, with a view to permanent appointment, with effect from the dates specified :—

##### *To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Thomas James Comerford, 13th Battalion, The Royal Irish Rifles, attached 1st King George's Own Lancers. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 23rd June 1916.

Lieutenant Edward Francis Chamberlen, Army Service Corps, attached 88th Carnatic Infantry. Dated 31st July 1917 but to rank from the 24th June 1916.

Lieutenant Geoffrey George Coulson Bull, 6th Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment, attached 98th Infantry. Dated 24th May 1917 but to rank from the 12th September 1916.

Lieutenant Lionel Leverett Ogier, 6th Battalion, The Royal Irish Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 12th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant John Farquarhson Leys, 15th Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 23rd September 1916.

Lieutenant Alexander Schneider, 8th Battalion, The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), attached 38th Dogras. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 15th October 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Arthur Gwyther Adams, 2nd Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment, attached 98th Infantry. Dated 1st July 1917 but to rank from the 14th November 1916.

Lieutenant Charles Crawford Craig, 4th Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 5th December 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant John Johnstone Dedman, 3rd Battalion, The Border Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment). Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 19th December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Leslie Harry Westwood Axtell, 3rd Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), attached 2nd Battalion, 9th Delhi Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 13th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant David William Evetts, 4th Battalion, The Camerons (Scottish Rifles), attached 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse). Dated 25th June 1917 but to rank from the 19th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Wilmot Reginald Bloomfield Peel, 3rd Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), attached 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 25th January 1917.

Lieutenant Maurice Dove, 13th Training Reserve Battalion, attached 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment). Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from 6th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant George Donald, 14th Battalion, The Northumberland Fusiliers (Pioneers), attached 1st Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry. Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from 12th February 1917.

Temporary Captain John Francis Barr Stevenson, M.C., 1st Battalion, The Lancashire Fusiliers, attached 44th Merwara Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant Reginald Reed Leawood, Army Cyclist Corps, attached 3rd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles). Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 10th March 1917.

Lieutenant Kenneth Charles Johnston Jones, M.C., 3rd Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 12th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant William Ernest Warmington, 8th Battalion, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), attached 36th Sikhs. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 12th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant William Maxson Collingwood Wilson, 4th Battalion, The Northumberland Fusiliers, attached 62nd Punjabis. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 16th May 1917.

Lieutenant Robert Ballantyne Plaford, 19th (County of London) Battalion, The London Regiment (St. Pancras), attached 106th Hazara Pioneers. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 17th May 1917.

Lieutenant Aubrey Philson Bullock-Webster, Royal Field Artillery, attached 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse). Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from the 18th May 1917.

Lieutenant William George Green, 4th Battalion, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), attached 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment). Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 30th May 1917.

Captain John George Hoare, 5th Training Reserve Battalion, attached 31st Punjabis. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 10th June 1917.

Lieutenant James Hunter, Machine Gun Corps, attached 71st Punjabis. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 13th June 1917.

Lieutenant William Milles Martin, 13th Training Reserve Battalion, attached 38th King George's Own Central India Horse. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 21st July 1917.

Lieutenant Theodore Anthony Lennox Bigger, 4th Battalion, The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, attached 61st King George's Own Pioneers. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 11th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant John Chiles Bussell, The East Surrey Regiment, attached 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 16th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Maurice Pugh Poynor, 5th Battalion, The Leicestershire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry. Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from the 22nd September 1917.

Second Lieutenant Oscar Clark Seaton, 7th Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 42nd Deoli Regiment. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 30th September 1917.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Frank Friend Thomas, General List, attached 46th Punjabis, Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from the 3rd October 1917.

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Second Lieutenant John Morris-Jones, Welsh Horse, attached 39th King George's Own Central India Horse. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 7th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant John Archibald Spark, 5th Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), attached 2nd Battalion, 19th Punjabis. Dated 7th July 1917 but to rank from the 27th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Stuart Davies Webb, 11th Battalion, The Border Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry. Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from the 10th December 1916.

Lieutenant John Russell Mellor, 8th Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), attached 33rd Punjabis. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 12th December 1916.

Second Lieutenant John Beatson, 5th Battalion, The King's Own (Royal Lancashire Regiment), attached 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment). Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from the 15th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Guy Brigham, 7th Battalion, The South Wales Borderers, attached 95th Russell's Infantry. Dated 9th August 1917 but to rank from the 19th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Francis Sinclair Corke, 7th Battalion, The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), attached 30th Punjabis. Dated 21st November 1917 but to rank from the 1st May 1917.

Second-Lieutenant Geoffrey Lister Mathews, 7th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), attached 88th Carnatic Infantry. Dated 23rd September 1917 but to rank from the 14th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant James Russell Gibson, 4th Battalion, The Royal Scots Fusiliers, attached 110th Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 24th October 1917 but to rank from the 25th October 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Richard Lindsay Cooke, 3rd Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 107th Pioneers. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 1st December 1917.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Henry Taylor Kent, 3rd Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 10th Jats. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 1st December 1917.

**No. 2129.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1795, dated the 26th October 1917, against the name of Captain Thomas Mathew Morton *for* "to rank from 5th May 1917" read "to rank from 5th May 1916."

ARMY RESERVE.

**No. 2130.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

*Cavalry Branch.*

Thomas Clear.

Dated 6th December 1917.

*Infantry Branch.*

Frederick Leopold Dawes.

Dated 26th November 1917.

Harold Bertram Mathew.

Dated 1st December 1917.

John Joseph Murphy.

William Norman Gordon Aitken.

} Dated 4th December 1917.

Henry George Russell.

Dated 10th December 1917.

**No. 2131.**—Joseph Martin [temporary Lieutenant, 18th (London) Battalion, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own)] to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 10th September 1917, but to rank from the 1st March 1916.

**No. 2132.**—Francis Roland Turner (Second Lieutenant, The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry) to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 7th December 1917, but to rank from the 2nd September 1916.

**No. 2133.**—Lieutenant H. J. C. Turner, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain, while employed as an officiating Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer in the Military Works Services, with effect from the 31st October 1917, but with seniority from the 24th March 1917.

**No. 2134.**—Lieutenant Walter William Macdonald Murray, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Special Service Officer, Bikaner Camel Corps, with effect from the 24th October 1917.

**No. 2135.**—Lieutenant A. J. Hadden, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while employed with the Inland Water Transport. Dated 24th October 1917.

**No. 2136.**—Second Lieutenant H. E. Horsfield, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Staff Captain. Dated 30th November 1917.

**No. 2137.**—Lieutenant S. W. Ziman, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Staff Captain. Dated 3rd December 1917.

**No. 2138.**—The undermentioned officers of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain (without pay and allowances of that rank), subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Assistant Recruiting Officers, with effect from the 3rd December 1917 :—

Second Lieutenant Graham Linsell Vivian.

Second Lieutenant Edward Sheepshanks.

Second Lieutenant James Drummond Anderson.

Second Lieutenant Charles Frank Hall.

**No. 2139.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1851, dated the 2nd November 1917, against the name of Gerald Haxington Welchman, *for* "23rd October 1917" *read* "11th September 1917," and against the name of Archibald Craigmile Duff, *for* "22nd October 1917" *read* "31st October 1917."

**No. 2140.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1861, dated the 2nd November 1917, *for* "23rd October 1917" *read* "11th September 1917."

**No. 2141.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1960, dated the 16th November 1917, against the name of Edwin Wilfred Killocksley Green, *for* "5th November 1917" *read* "7th October 1917," and against the name of Edward Macey Evans, *for* "8th November 1917" *read* "1st October 1917."

**No. 2142.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1960, dated the 17th November 1917, against the name of Gilbert Isdell Harvey-Kelly, and in Army Department Notification No. 1961, dated the 17th November 1917, *for* "1st November 1917" *read* "21st September 1917."

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#### FIELD OPERATIONS.

**No. 2143.**—The following despatch from General Sir Charles Monro, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief in India, on military operations in the Indian Empire, from 10th March 1916 to 31st March 1917, which appeared in the London Gazette, dated 31st October 1917, is published for general information.

*Army Headquarters, India,  
Simla, 23rd July, 1917.*

From the Commander-in-Chief in India, to the Secretary to the Government of India,  
Army Department.

SIR,

In continuation of my predecessor's despatch, dated 9th March, 1916, on the minor military operations undertaken, since the outbreak of the present war, on the North-West Frontier of India and elsewhere in the Indian Empire, including Aden, I have the honour to submit the

following despatch, which deals with operations subsequent to the above date up to 31st March, 1917. They are described in the following order :—

Aden.  
South Persia.  
South-East Persia.  
Mekran Mission.  
Jhalawan.  
North-West Frontier.  
Protection of the Indian coasts.

## 2.—ADEN.

During the period under review our forces have been in occupation of the Shaikh Othman—Imad line covering Aden, and facing the Turkish forces in Lahej and south-east of that place.

Throughout the year our troops have been in constant contact with the enemy, engaging in numerous outpost and patrol skirmishes.

The Turks made only one attempt to assume the offensive. On 16th March, 1916, they attacked Imad in force. The enemy was beaten off without difficulty and withdrew, followed up by the garrison and by the movable column from Shaikh Othman.

An attack was made on the Turkish posts at Jabir and Mahat on 7th December, 1916, in which the enemy casualties were estimated at 200. The action is reported to have had a demoralising effect on the Turkish Arab auxiliaries, and to have produced the intended result, *viz.*, preventing the withdrawal towards the Yemen of Turkish troops from Lahej.

In maintaining the active defence of Aden during this period, the assistance and co-operation of the Royal Navy, which has been readily afforded at all times, has been invaluable.

## 3.—OPERATIONS IN SOUTH PERSIA.

Owing to disturbances in Southern Persia and the consequent necessity for raising a Persian force under British officers to enable the Persian Government to restore and maintain order, a mission under Brig.-Gen. Sir Percy Sykes, K.C.I.F., C.M.G., was despatched from India.

With a military escort of all arms amounting to about 500 men, Sir P. Sykes marched from Bandar Abbas, *via* Kerman and Yazd, to Isfahan, where he joined hands with the Russians. Subsequently, the mission moved south to Shiraz, where it now is. The Persian force is in process of formation.

No opposition was met with on the march. Portions of the force under Sir P. Sykes were, however, in action on the occasions mentioned below.

In September, 1916, a mixed force was despatched from Isfahan under the command of Major S. M. Bruce, Lancs., to bring in a large convoy which was held up by raiders on the Lynch Road, some 50 miles from Isfahan. On the return journey the convoy was attacked near Kaley-i-Shahi. The raiders were dispersed with considerable loss, and the convoy reached Isfahan in safety.

After the arrival of the mission in Shiraz, a rising broke out in Kazerun and neighbourhood on 17th December. A detachment of all arms was sent out from Shiraz, but, meeting with strong resistance at the Pir-i-Zan Pass, it withdrew to Shiraz.

A small force, under the command of Major L. C. Wagstaff, operating in the district of Sirjan, drove a force of Baharlus and rebels from the town of Saidabad on the 28th September, 1916.

## 4.—OPERATIONS IN SOUTH-EAST PERSIA.

In conjunction with the Russians a small force was maintained in Eastern Persia to ensure the tranquility of this region and frustrate the activity of German agents. Raids on the lines of communication of the force were made by certain tribes of Persian Baluchistan, notably the Damani of Sarhad. In order to prevent these, and to control the Damani, Brig.-Gen. R. E. Dyer, Commanding in Eastern Persia, moved a part of his force to Khwash in May, 1916.

In July the hostile attitude of the Damani necessitated punitive measures. The Damani are divided into two main sections, the Yarmahomedzais and the Gamshadzais. Brig.-Gen. Dyer determined to move to Gusht in order to intervene between these two sections, and to deal with each in detail. Operations in the vicinity of Gusht from 12th July to 29th July resulted in the capture of the bulk of the Yarmahomedzai flocks and herds, the infliction of considerable loss, and the separation of the two Damani sections. During this period several small actions were fought under trying conditions of climate and terrain, the chief engagement being one at Kalag, near Gusht, on 21st July.

During August General Dyer traversed without opposition a large part of the Gamshadzai country, returning to Khawash on 24th August.

On the 5th October, 1916, Brig.-Gen. Dyer returned to India on account of ill-health, and was succeeded in command of the Sistan force by Brig.-Gen. C. O. Tanner.



As a result of the above operations agreements were arrived at with the chiefs of the Damanis, by which they promised to pay certain fines and to refrain from future hostility. The fines imposed have now been paid in full, and the settlement has allowed of a portion of the Sistan force being withdrawn to Quetta.

The troops maintaining a cordon in Sistan were engaged with hostile bodies on three occasions.

At Lirudik on 13th April, 1916, a force of 70 men of the Punjabis with a party of levies under Captain A. D. Bennett, Punjabis, inflicted considerable loss on a lashkar estimated at 700 men.

At Kalmas, on 26th September, a party of 23 men of the Light Cavalry and 36 levies, under the command of 2nd Lt. Wahl, attached Light Cavalry, defeated a party of gunrunners, capturing a large number of rifles, ammunition, and camels. 2nd Lt. Wahl was killed on this occasion.

Near Chorab, on the 24th March, 1917, a party consisting of 16 men of the Light Cavalry and one British officer and 25 men of the Punjabis, the whole under the command of Captain J. A. C. Kreyer, Cavalry, attacked a gunrunner's caravan. The whole of the transport of 20 camels, as well as 447 rifles and some 23,600 rounds of ammunition were captured.

#### 5.—MEKRAK MISSION.

In view of the disturbed state of the Mekran border, due in a great measure to the intrigue of German agents, a political mission under Major Keyes, of the Political Department, traversed this region with a regular escort of one platoon Gurkha Rifles, one company Baluch Light Infantry, and one section Indian Field Ambulance, escort being under the command of Captain C. H. G. H. Harvey-Kelly, Baluch Light Infantry. This mission left Gwadar in April, 1916, traversed Persian Baluchistan as far north as Khwash and returned to Chahbar, arriving on the 2nd February, 1917. No opposition was met with but the march was a trying one for the troops, and it has had results which appear to have been very satisfactory. The mission escort co-operated with General Dyer's force in dealing with the Damanis referred to in paragraph 4.

#### 6.—OPERATIONS IN JHALAWAN.

During the first half of 1916 considerable unrest existed amongst certain Jhalawan tribes of the Kalat State who had organised roving bands of marauders to terrorise the country.

It was decided to send an escort with Lt.-Col. A. B. Dew, C.S.I., C.I.E., the Political Agent, Kalat, to restore order in that region.

The services of this officer in connection with these disturbances have been brought to favourable notice.

The escort, under the command of Lt.-Col. C. L. Carter, Pioneers, and consisting of five British officers, and 250 men of the Pioneers, one section Mountain Battery, one Indian officer and 29 men of the 3rd Gwalior Lancers (Imperial Service Troops), and one section Field Ambulance, concentrated at Mastung Road on June 5th and marched *via* Kalat into Jhalawan.

In a series of well designed and executed operations during June, July and August in conjunction with the tribal forces, the rebel bands were rounded up, some 45 men being killed and a number captured. Order was completely restored by 11th August and the Kalat Column returned to Mastung Road, reaching that place on 22nd August.

In reporting on the operations, Lieutenant-General Sir M. H. S. Grover, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., Commanding 4th (Quetta) Division, stated that the operations under trying conditions of heat and bad water, etc., were skilfully carried out by Lieutenant-Colonel Carter and reflected great credit on him and all ranks concerned.

#### 7.—OPERATIONS ON THE NORTH-WEST FRONTIER.

Except on the Mohmand border, where the attitude of the tribes necessitated the mobilisation of the Peshawar and a portion of the 2nd Division, and an attack on Sarwekai by the Mahsuds in March, 1917, the activity of troops on the frontier has been confined to dealing with trans-border raids. These, however, especially on the Derajat border, have been almost incessant, and have entailed considerable activity on the troops guarding the frontier.

During the last half of 1916 the attitude of some of the Mohmand tribes became distinctly hostile, and a number of raids were made across the border into the Peshawar area.

To prevent these raids, and as a punishment, a blockade was instituted along the Mohmand border, and a chain of block-houses, connected by a wire fence, was constructed and manned.

On 14th November a Mohmand lashkar estimated at 6,000 concentrated near Hafiz Kor, threatening Shahkadar.

The 1st and 2nd Infantry Brigades of the 1st (Peshawar) Division, under the command of Maj.-Gen. Sir F. Campbell, K.C.B., D.S.O., with a proportion of divisional troops and detachments of Frontier Militia and Constabulary, had meanwhile been concentrated on the blockade line.

Owing to the difficulty of supplies it seemed unlikely that the lashkar could remain long in its present position, and it appeared probable that a night attack would be made on some part of the blockade line, after which the lashkar would disperse without punishment.

Maj.-Gen. Campbell accordingly issued orders for an attack on the morning of the 15th November.

The attack was carried forward into the foothills occupied by the enemy in the vicinity of Hafiz Kor, and casualties estimated at 100 killed and severely wounded were inflicted. At 4 p.m. our force withdrew unopposed. The lashkar had been completely broken up, and on 16th November reconnoissances showed that it had completely disappeared, the tribesmen having dispersed to their homes.

In his report on the action, Maj.-Gen. Campbell drew attention to the effectiveness and efficiency of the armoured car unit, and especially commended the action of the aeroplanes of the Squadron R. F. C. in co-operation with artillery.

Throughout these operations, the Hon. Lt.-Col. Sir George Roos Keppel, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., rendered most valuable advice and assistance.

On 2nd March, 1917, a Mahsud gathering of some 2,000 men advanced on the post of Sarwekai in South Waziristan. A part of the Garrison of the post, composed of Militia, under the command of Maj. F. L. Hughes, moved out and engaged the enemy. A skirmish ensued in which several casualties were inflicted on both sides, our losses including Maj. Hughes, killed, while gallantly leading his men, and the Militia withdrew to the post which the enemy surrounded.

The Derajat Movable Column, under the command of Brig.-Gen. G. M. Baldwin, D.S.O., moved forward by the Gomul route and Khajuri Kach and relieved Sarwekai on 9th March, the enemy withdrawing to the vicinity of Barwand. The enemy encampments at Barwand were burnt and the tribesmen dispersed.

The movable column was then withdrawn to Khajuri Kach and later to Tank.

The 44th Brigade of 16th Division under the command of Brig.-Gen. G. D. Crocker was concentrated at Jatta in support of the Derajat Movable Column on 12th March, and withdrew, prior to dispersal to its summer stations, on 4th April.

#### 8.—PROTECTION OF INDIAN COASTS.

Measures have been taken for the due protection of Indian coasts and defended ports. This has involved constant labour and vigilance on the part of defended port commanders, their staffs and troops.

I am much indebted in this connection to the valuable advice and assistance which have always been readily afforded to me by the Naval Commanders-in-Chief, East Indies and China stations.

9. Throughout the period dealt with in the dispatch I have always received the fullest help from all Departments of the Government of India.

Their assistance since the commencement of the war forms the subject of a separate dispatch, in which I shall also deal with the work of the Army in India and of civilian officials and others in connection with the war.

10. In conclusion, I attach a list of officers and men whose names I desire to bring to notice for gallantry or good service in connection with operations dealt with above.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

C. C. MONRO, General,

Commander-in-Chief in India

Names of officers and men brought to notice for gallantry or good service in the operations dealt with in this despatch —

#### ADEN.

##### *Commanding*

Stewart, Maj.-Gen. J. M., C.B.

##### *Royal Navy.*

Boyle, Capt. W. H. D.

Palmer, Commr. E. M.

Gilhespy, Paymr. J. W. E.

##### *Staff.*

Alexander, Bt. Lt.-Col. E. C., D.S.O.

Parson, Lt.-Col. H. J., R.E.

Forreath, Lt.-Col. F. W. H.

Gwyer, Bt. Lt.-Col. V. E.

Hudson, Lt.-Col. C. T.  
 Laige, Capt. C. P., C.I.E.  
 Walton, Col. (temp Brig.-Genl.) W. C., C.B., C.M.G., Commanding, Aden Infantry Brigade.

*Royal Artillery.*

Hartnall, Maj. A. G.

*Royal Field Artillery.*

Hawkins, No. 500 Serjt.-Maj. A.  
 Rodd, No. 664 Cpl. N. J.

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

Warren, Lt.-Col. W. L.

*Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*

Smith, Lt.-Col. G. E. S.

*Royal Army Medical Corps*

Lawcett, Maj. C. E. W. S.

*Political.*

Jacob, Lt.-Col. H. F., I.A., First Assistant to the Resident.

*Light Cavalry.*

Arnold, Lt.-Col. A. S.  
 Collum, Capt. J. A., D.S.O.  
 Handley, Lt. L. M. (Aden Troop)  
 Popham, Maj. E. L., D.S.O.  
 Younghusband, Lt. C.  
 Aidan Singh, No. 1228 Dafadar  
 Futeh Khan, No. 1009 Lance-Dafadar.  
 Pith Singh, No. 1232 Actg. Lance-Dafadar.  
 Ramnath Singh, No. 1226 Lance-Dafadar  
 Thakur Mul Singh, Bahadur, Risaldar Maj.  
 Zaman Khan, Risaldar.

*Aden Troop*

Dewan Ali Khan, Jemadar.  
 Mahomed Shah, No. 317 Lance-Dafadar

ROYAL ENGINEERS

*Sappers and Miners*

Boal, Lt. R.  
 Le Breton, Capt. E. P.  
 Graham, No. 13123 Actg. Serjt.-Maj. E. A. J. (Royal Engineers).  
 Habibullah Khan, Bahadur, Subadar.  
 Jiwa Singh, No. 565 Colour-Havildar.

*Sikh Pioneers.*

Hutchinson, Maj. A. G. C.

*Punjabis*

McCormick, Maj. G. D.  
 Ridgway, Lt.-Col. R. T. I., C.B.  
 Harding, Lt.-Col. M. F.  
 Indar Singh, Subadar.

*Carnatic Infantry*

Campbell, Lt.-Col. A. J., D.S.O.  
 Ridge, 2nd Lt. K. J. T., M.C.  
 Hayath Sharif, Naik. (Killed in action)  
 Ramana, Subadar.

*Infantry*

Anderson, Capt. J. McK., M.C.  
 Bannatyne, Brevet-Maj. F. C.  
 Smith, Maj. C. A. J., Durh. L. I.  
 Alladitta Khan, Bahadur, Subadar Maj.  
 Anant Bhogle, No. 2663 Lance-Naik.  
 Uost Mohamed, No. 2867 Sepoy.  
 Mahdu Dalvi, No. 2966 Lance-Naik.  
 Tukeram Power, No. 3098 Sepoy. (Killed in action.)

*Malay States Guides.*

Lees, Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) C. H. B., C.M.G.  
Bogh Singh, Jamadar.

*Supply and Transport Corps.*

Watling, Maj. L. D.  
Harrison, Staff Serjt F.

*Ordnance Services.*

Hartley, Commissary and Hon. Capt. G. R.  
Chambers, Staff Serjt. J. T.  
Eastcott, Serjt.-Maj. E. A.

*Indian Medical Service.*

Dhondy, Lt. B. S.  
Hanafin, Capt. J. B.  
Sitaram Vishnu Sathe, 3rd Class Sub-Asst. Surg., I.S.M.D., Bombay.  
Soroshi Ranjan Sen, 3rd Class Sub-Asst. Surg., I.S.M.D., Bengal.

*Miscellaneous.*

Bury, Serjt. J., Corps of Military Staff Clerks.  
Chittenden, Serjt. L. S., Aden Mechanical Transport Section.  
MacGuffie, Serjt. A. H., Military Works Services.

**SOUTH PERSIA.***Commanding.*

Sykes, Brig.-Gen. Sir P.M., K.C.I.E., C.M.G.

*Staff.*

Hunter, Temp. Lt.-Col. F.F., D.S.O.

*Royal Artillery.*

Rothwell, Maj. R.S., D.S.O.

*Cavalry.*

Farran, Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) G. L., M.C.

*Lancers.*

Bruce, Maj. S. M.

*Rajput Light Infantry.*

Wagstaff, Maj. L. C., C.I.E.

*Infantry.*

Pandurang Jadow, No. 2591 Sepoy. (Killed in action.)

*Baluchistan Infantry.*

Abdul Karim, No. 573 Sepoy.  
Bah Din, Jemadar.  
Inayat Ali Shah, No. 606 Sepoy.

*South Persia Rifles.*

Weldon, Capt. G. H.  
Wittkugel, Capt. A. F. (Since deceased.)

*Ordnance Services.*

Gypson, Staff Serjt. J. C.

**SOUTH EAST PERSIA.***Commanding.*

Dyer, Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) R. E. H., C. B.  
Tanner, Lt.-Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) C. O. O.

*Staff.*

Saunders, Capt. (temp. Maj.) M., D.S.O., Sikhs.

*Political.*

Heron, Maj. D., I.M.S., H. M. Vice-Consul, Birjand.  
 Prideaux, Lt.-Col. P. B., C.I.E., I.A., late H. M. Consul, Sistan and Kain.  
 Khan Sahib Nur Khan, British Trade Agent, Koh-i-Malik Siah.  
 Sultan Hussain, Indian Political Asst., Sarhad.

*Light Cavalry.*

Brownlow, Capt. J.  
 Duncan, 2nd Lt. A. B. (Died of wounds.)

*Lancers.*

Mohamed Khan, Dafadar (Sistan Consulate Guard).

*Mountain Battery.*

English, Capt. J. W., R.A.  
 Haidar Khan, Jemadar.  
 Sikander Khan, No. 1056 Havildar.

*Punjabis.*

Bennett, Capt. A. D., M.C.  
 Chalmers, 2nd Lt. W. H., I.A.R.O. (Killed in action.)  
 Dale, Lt.-Col. G. A., C.M.G.  
 Bela Singh, No. 4686 Havildar. (Killed.)  
 Ghulam Muhammad, Subadar.  
 Hukam Singh, Subadar.  
 Kishan Singh, No. 1455 Bugler.  
 Mahomed Khan, No. 1988 Sepoy (Killed.)  
 Mehr Singh, No. 128 Naik. (Killed.)  
 Rulla Singh, Subadar.  
 Ram Singh, No. 1918 Sepoy (Killed.)  
 Sher Ahmed, No. 372 Havildar.

*Pioneers.*

Lang, Capt. L. E., M.C.  
 Ali Asghar, No. 629 Sepoy.  
 Ali Dost, Subadar.  
 Ali Juma, Subadar.  
 Ali Nazar, No. 1533 Naik.  
 Asghar, No. 1911 Sepoy.  
 Ghulam Muhammad, No. 2793 Sepoy.  
 Mahmud, No. 189 Havildar.  
 Mahomed Amin, No. 2373 Sepoy.

*Baluchis.*

Taj Mahomed, Pensioned Havildar.

*Chagai Levies.*

Baland Khan, Lance-Naik.  
 Jagardin, No. 23 Sowar.  
 Khuda Dad, No. 20 Sowar.  
 Mohamed Nur, No. 10 Sowar.  
 Mohamed Umar, No. 3 Naik.  
 Radho, Jemadar.  
 Khan Bahadur Shakur Khan, Sarhadar.

*Sarhad Levies.*

Edoo Khan, Risaldar.

*Sistan Levy Corps.*

Wise, Capt. A. D. (Light Cav.).  
 Barat Ali, Jemadar.  
 Juma Jalal, Jemadar.

*Supply and Transport Corps.*

Munden, Staff Serjt. R. P.  
 Pritchard, Sub-Conductor J. (Deceased.)  
 Guranditta Mal, 1st Class Supply Agent (Store Keeper).

*Indian Telegraph Department.*

McMahon, No 32737 (temp.) Serjt. J. W., R.F.A.

*Medical Services.*

Rahman, Capt. M. A., I.M.S.

*Indian Subordinate Medical Department.*

Marshall, Asst. Surg. J. W.  
 Arjunlal Gagabhai Jotania, 3rd Class Sub-Asst. Surg., Bombay.  
 Karam Bayeram, 3rd Class Sub-Asst. Surg. T. B.  
 Lambodar Misra, 2nd Class Sub-Asst. Surg.  
 Mirza Mohammed Beg, Khan Bahadur, 1st Class Sub-Asst. Surg.

## MEKHAH MISSION.

*Political*

Keyes, Maj T. H., C.I.E., I.A.

*Baluch Light Infantry.*

Harvey-Kelly, Bt. Major C. H. G. H.

## JHALAWAN.

*Political Agent.*

Dew, Lt.-Col. A. B., C.S.I., C.I.E., I.A.

*Commanding Escort.*

Carter, Lt.-Col. G. L., Pioneers.

*Royal Artillery.*

Pargiter, Capt. R. B.

*Pioneers.*

Henderson, Capt. E. P. (killed in action).  
 Abdul Hakim, No. 1465 Sepoy.  
 Abdul Karim, No. 1437 Naik.  
 Ghulam Hussain, No. 1822 Sepoy.  
 Haji Muhammad, No. 2091 Sepoy.  
 Kalbi Hussain, No. 43 Havildar.  
 Kurban, No. 2796 Sepoy.  
 Muhammad Hasan, Subadar.  
 Wali Muhammad, Subadar.

*3rd Gwalior Lancers, Imperial Service Troops*

Ibrahim, No. 1120 Sowar.

*Miscellaneous*

Khan Bahadur Mir Shamas Shah, C.I.E., I.S.O., Wazir-i-Azam, Kalat State.  
 Seth Sahib Kaikbad, Extra Assistant Commissioner.  
 Risaldar Khan Sahib Ghulam Nabi, Kalat State.  
 Maulvi Abdul Rashid Khan, Sarishtadar, Kalat State.

## NORTH-WEST FRONTIER

*Staff.*

Woodall, Lt.-Col. H. W., A. Q. M. G.

*Royal Flying Corps.*

Bradley, Maj. C. R. S.

*Durham Light Infantry.*

Clifton, Capt. A. J.  
 Devereux, No. 8806 Serjt. E.  
 Gordon, No. 11104 Cpl. F. E. P.  
 Kilgour, No. 7975 Co. Serjt.-Maj. J. R.  
 Lawty, No. 10508 Pte. A.

*Cavalry (F. F.).*

Sher Ali Khan, Jemadar.

*Lancers.*

Vickers, Capt. W. G. H.  
 Hakim Khan, Risaldar.  
 Ahaji Rao Mahdik, Jemadar.

*Infantry.*

Sandeman, Capt. D. G.  
 Khiyal Gul, Subadar.

*Punjabis.*

Indar Singh, Subadar.

*Sikhs (F. F.).*

Wilkinson, Maj. C. R.  
 Nihal Singh, Jemadar.

*Mahrattas*

Lal Khan, Pte.  
 Laxuman Chaudri, Pte.  
 Goonid Daurekar, Pte.  
 Kesharao Sinda, Pte.

*Militia.*

Gul Amir, Jemadar.  
 Gul Rakhim, Jemadar.  
 Malang Khan, No. 167 Havildar.  
 Mohibullah Sardar Bahadur, Subadar, I. O. M., Comdg. Sarwekai Post  
 Tik Khan, Jemadar.  
 Zari Gul, Jemadar.

*Rifles.*

Shamal, No. 1888 Havildar  
 Taus Khan, Jemadar.

*Nursing Services.*

Stroughill, Senior Nursing Sister Miss M. A., R.R.C. (Q. A. Military Nursing Service India)

## LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 2144.**—The following extracts are published for general information :—

*Eighth Supplement dated the 17th September 1917 to the London Gazette of the 14th September 1917, page 9649.*

*India Office,  
 17th September, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotion in the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire in recognition of the meritorious service of the dermentioned officer in connection with the war :—

*To be an Additional Knight Commander of the said Most Eminent Order.*

Major-General William George Lawrence Beynon, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O.

*Supplement dated the 10th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th October 1917, pages 10459, 10460, 10462, 10469 and 10470.*

*War Office,  
10th October, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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*Special appointments.*

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.) 21st Sept. 1917 :—

Maj.-Gen. J. G. Hunter, C.B., Ind. Army.

Lt.-Col. A. P. How, ret. pay, Ind. Army.

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## ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing.*—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

*Flight Comdrs.*—From Flying Officers.

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2nd Lt. A. G. Taylor, Ind. Inf. 26th Sept. 1917.

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## MEMORANDA.

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Maj. W. F. S. Casson, D S. O., Ind. Cav., to be temp. Lt.-Col whilst empd. as an A. A. and Q. M. G. 14th June 1917.

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## ROYAL DEFENCE CORPS.

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Col. W. H. Lowry (ret., Ind. Army), from Line. Regt., to be Lt. Col. with seniority from 8th Mar. 1916. 3rd Aug. 1917.

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Col J. S. E. Western (ret., Ind. Army), from Devon. Regt., to be Lt.-Col. with seniority from 10th July 1916. 3rd Aug. 1917.

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Maj. C. H. Peterson (ret., Ind. Army), from Suff. Regt., to be Maj. with seniority from 25th May 1917. 3rd Aug. 1917.

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*Second Supplement dated the 11th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th October 1917, pages 10479 and 10480.*

*War Office,  
11th October, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## INFANTRY.

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*Cam'n Hghrs.*

Maj (actg. Lt. Col.) J. C. Russell, D.S.O. (Ind. Army) to comd. a Bn., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. 18 Jan. 1917, with seniority 5 Mar. 1916 (since killed in action).

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*Third Supplement dated the 12th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th October 1917, pages 10492 and 10493.*

*War Office,  
12th October, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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## ATTACHED TO HD.-QR. UNITS.

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*Staff Capts.—*

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Capt G. O. Simpson, Ind. Cav., *vice* Capt. M. C. Raymond, Ind. Cav. 23rd Aug 1917.

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Lt. H. D. Ashe, Ind. Cav., and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empd. 3rd Sept. 1917.

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*Supplement dated the 13th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 12th October, 1917, page 10459*

*War Office,  
13th October, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts are made :—

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## ATTACHED TO HD.-QR. UNITS.

*Asst. Prov. Marshal.*—(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.)—Lt. N. de C Hardwick, Ind. Army Res. of Off., *vice* Lt. G. B. Goyder, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 10th Apr. 1917. (Substituted for the notification in the Gaz. of 6th Oct. 1917.)

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*Second Supplement dated the 15th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 12th October 1917, pages 10567 and 10570.*

*War Office,  
15th October, 1917.*

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## CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

The undermentioned Wt. and N. C. O.'s to be 2nd Lts. 20th Nov. 1915:—

Sub-Cond'r, Ind. Unattd. List, George Charles Farmer, from R. Fus.

Sub-Cond'r, Ind. Unattd. List, Herbert George Holmes, from R. W. Kent R.

Sub-Cond'r, Ind. Unattd. List, John Parselle, from R.G.A.

Sub-Cond'r, Ind. Unattd. List, Albert Ronald Battman, from R.H.A.

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Staff Serjt., Ind. Unattd. List, Arthur Francis Pearson, from R.G.A.

Staff Serjt., Ind. Unattd. List, Thomas William Abbott.

Staff Serjt., Ind. Unattd. List, Joseph Heenan, from Som. L. I

Staff Serjt., Ind. Unattd. List, George Brown, from Hrs.

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(Substituted for the notification in the Gaz of 2nd Apr. 1917.)

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*Third Supplement dated the 16th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 12th October 1917, pages 10585 and 10587.*

*War Office,  
16th October, 1917.*

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

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## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.):—

Col. W. A. Oswald, ret. pay, Ind. Army, relinquishes his appt. 20th Sept. 1917.

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## MEMORANDA.

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Bt. Lt.-Col. (temp. Lt.-Col.) D. Deane, Ind. Cav., to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst actg. Mil. Sec. 29th Sept 1917.

Maj. O. G. C. Maclean, Ind. Inf., to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst Dep. Mil. Sec. 29th Sept. 1917.

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## PROMOTIONS.

## GARRISON BATTALIONS.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2145.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*The Northumberland Fusiliers.*

Lieutenant W. W. Arnold to be acting Captain to complete the establishment. Dated 14th June 1917 to 3rd November 1917, *vice* Captain J. B. M. Ridout, struck off the strength, with effect from 30th May 1917.

*Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry).*

Second Lieutenant T. W. Bone to be acting Captain while acting as Adjutant, but with pay and allowances as for Lieutenant. Dated 1st September 1917.

*The Gordon Highlanders*

Second Lieutenant J. K. Macdonald to be acting Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 14th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant W. H. Scott to be acting Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 14th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant C. St. G. E. Alexander to be acting Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 14th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant D. P. McIver, M.C., to be acting Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 14th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant G. A. Swain to be acting Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 14th March 1917.

## MACHINE GUN CORPS.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2146.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant J. H. Kelly to be acting Captain while commanding a company, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 2nd November 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2147.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Cheshire Regiment.*

Acting Serjeant Major George Darby. Dated 20th November 1917.

## TERRITORIAL FORCE.

*Infantry.*

**No. 2148.**—The following grants and relinquishment of acting rank are notified subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Border Regiment.*

Captain J. E. C. Graham to be acting Major while serving as Major on the headquarters of a battalion. Dated 11th November 1917, *vice* Major G. H. Heelis, extra-regimentally employed, with effect from 27th October 1917.

Lieutenant H. C. Grierson-Jackson to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 11th November 1917, *vice* Captain J. E. C. Graham, promoted, with effect from 11th November 1917.

Lieutenant P. S. Hamilton to be acting Captain while commanding a company, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 20th July 1917 to 13th August 1917.

Lieutenant R. I. Smith to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 25th August 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) P. S. Hamilton, relinquished his acting rank, with effect from 13th August 1917.

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2149.**—The undermentioned General Officers who were promoted to their present rank for distinguished service are absorbed into the establishment of Major-Generals of the Indian Army in existing vacancies, under the provisions of paragraph 319-D., Army Regulations, India, Volume II :—

Major-General V. B. Fane, C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army. Dated the 1st January 1917.

Major-General W. C. Barratt, C.B., D.S.O., Indian Army. Dated the 1st January 1917.

Major-General A. H. Bingley, C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army. Dated the 1st January 1917.

Major-General R. H. Ewart, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army. Dated the 3rd June 1917.

**No. 2150.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval

*Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

29th July 1917.

Donald Archibald Dugald McVean, D.S.O., Commandant, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.

20th October 1917.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Graham Walton, Commandant, 46th Punjabis.

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.*

7th October 1917.

John Morris-Jones, attached 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.

25th October 1917.

Alfred Andrew Fraser Harris, attached 25th Punjabis.

27th October 1917.

John Archibald Spark, attached 2nd Battalion, 19th Punjabis.

28th October 1917.

Louis Frederick Hunt, attached 120th Rajputana Infantry.

29th October 1917.

Alexander Robert Hudson, attached 8th Cavalry.

James Sowler, attached 113th Infantry.

29th November 1917.

Esmond Randolph Luscombe Poole, attached 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.

10th December 1917.

Stuart Davies Webb, attached 3rd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

12th December 1917.

John Russell Mellor, attached 33rd Punjabis.

**No. 2151.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*7th Mairana Lancers.*

Lieutenant J. A. Liddell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a squadron. Dated 12th May 1917, *vice* Major S. W. Egerton, employed with the Indian Cavalry Remount Training Depot, Bangalore, with effect from the 7th December 1916.

*10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).*

Lieutenant B. H. Wiles, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a squadron. Dated 27th August 1917.

*1st Brahmans.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. J. Ackland relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 25th October 1917.

*2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) P. F. B. Bayly, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 28th October 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company :—

Lieutenant J. B. Centeno, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 24th September 1917.

Lieutenant D. E. Augier, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 28th October 1917.

*9th Bhopal Infantry.*

The undermentioned relinquish their acting rank on ceasing to command a company :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. A. Stead, 35th Sikhs, attached. Dated 28th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. T. W. Bousfield, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 1st November 1917.

Lieutenant H. Newman, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 21st October 1917.

Lieutenant H. J. M. Flaxman, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 17th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Major) H. Newman, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, reverts to acting Captain on ceasing to be second-in-command and while commanding a company. Dated 28th October 1917.

*14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. A. Christie relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 3rd November 1917.

That portion of Army Department Notification 1338, dated the 17th August 1917, relating to the relinquishment of his acting rank by Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) N. C. Wimbush, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, with effect from 23rd December 1916, is cancelled.

*37th Dogras.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. H. E. Lindop, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 29th October 1917.

Captain (acting Major) B. I. Jones, M.C., 38th Dogras, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 9th November 1917.

Lieutenant A. D. E. Reiche, 38th Dogras, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 2nd November 1917.

*4th Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.*

Major E. M. Lang, Indian Army, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 23rd October 1917.

*42nd Deoli Regiment.*

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company :—

Lieutenant G. F. Abram. Dated 2nd July 1917 to 13th July 1917, inclusive

Lieutenant H. A. Oatts, 41st Dogras, attached. Dated 26th September 1917 to 14th October 1917, inclusive.

*46th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant A. S. Hibberd, The Dorsetshire Regiment, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 5th September 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant G. G. Davis, vacated, with effect from 24th August 1917.

Lieutenant R. Douglas, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 21st November 1917, *vice* Captain E. J. Arthur, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated, with effect from 6th November 1917.

Second Lieutenant R. J. Gerrard, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 30th July 1917 to 3rd August 1917, inclusive, to fill an existing vacancy in the field, with effect from 15th July 1917.

*53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).*

Captain (acting Major) St. J. A. Browne relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 1st November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) B. G. Davy, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 1st November 1917.

*57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant (now Captain) L. V. S. Blacker, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides Infantry, attached, to be acting Captain while second-in-command of a battalion from 1st May to 6th May 1915, inclusive, and from 10th May 1915 to 31st May 1915, inclusive, and while commanding a company, from 1st June 1915 to 23rd July 1915, inclusive.

*70th Burma Rifles.*

Major D. N. Stuart, Civil Employ, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 19th September 1917.

*74th Punjabis.*

Major G. E. B. Oldfield to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 18th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel L. A. Watson, appointed temporary Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster General, 4th (Quetta) Division, with effect from 3rd September 1917.

Lieutenant H. C. L. Heywood, 3-6th Battalion, The Manchester Regiment, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 7th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant E. W. Fisher, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated, with effect from 23rd August 1917.

Lieutenant T. W. Manning, The Norfolk Regiment, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 18th September 1917, *vice* Major F. G. Kunhardt, appointed temporary second-in-command, with effect from 3rd September 1917.

*79th Carnatic Infantry.*

Captain (acting Major) B. A. S. Brunskill relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 6th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. R. Parker, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 6th October 1917.

Lieutenant D. R. Parker, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 29th October 1917.

*82nd Punjabis.*

Captain (acting Major) G. P. Murphy, Civil Employ, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 10th November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) M. A. S. Cousins, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 10th November 1917.

*84th Punjabis.*

Captain (acting Major) G. N. G. Monck-Mason relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 30th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. A. Drake relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 30th October 1917.

Lieutenant H. Light to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 24th September 1917.

*87th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant O. D. Sutcliffe to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 6th October 1917 to 14th October 1917, inclusive.

*97th Deccan Infantry.*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) W. C. Kirkwood relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion. Dated 3rd November 1917.

The undermentioned relinquish their acting rank on ceasing to command a company:—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) S. B. Hauser, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 14th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. C. Johnson. Dated 3rd November 1917.

*99th Deccan Infantry.*

Major C. de J. Luxmoore to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 16th October 1917.

Captain O. Masters to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 16th October 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company:—

Lieutenant C. B. Seagrim, attached. Dated 16th October 1917.

Lieutenant F. L. Pettman, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 10th October 1917.

*102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.*

● The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company :—

Lieutenant J. A. Rogerson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 4th September 1917 to 18th October 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant C. B. Barlow, 52nd Sikhs, attached. Dated 29th September 1917 to 12th October 1917, inclusive.

*114th Mahrattas.*

Captain D. K. J. Chisholm to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 31st October 1917.

Lieutenant C. P. Hancock to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 31st October 1917.

*125th Napier's Rifles.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. A. C. Kiddle, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes the acting rank granted to him in Army Department Notification No. 475, dated the 10th March 1917. Dated 31st May 1916.

In Army Department Notification No. 1916, dated the 9th November 1917, so far as it relates to the relinquishment of his acting rank by Lieutenant J. B. Wilkinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, for "7th October 1917" read "9th October 1917."

*126th Baluchistan Infantry.*

Lieutenant W. H. Miles, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 20th October 1917.

*3rd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. W. Woodhead, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a wing. Dated 20th October 1917.

*1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).*

Captain (acting Major) R. D. O. Hill relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 14th October 1917.

Captain A. S. Aurel, 127th Infantry, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 29th October 1917.

The undermentioned relinquish their acting rank on ceasing to command a company :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. S. Gordon, 8th Gurkha Rifles, attached. Dated 22nd September 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. S. Lloyd. Dated 9th September 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company :—

Lieutenant M. R. K. Jerram, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 24th September 1917.

Lieutenant H. S. Gordon, 8th Gurkha Rifles, attached. Dated 7th October 1917.

*1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.*

Major C. H. A. Tuck to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 17th June 1917 to 2nd July 1917, inclusive, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Hickley, vacated, with effect from 2nd June 1917.

*1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force)*

The undermentioned relinquish their acting rank on ceasing to command a company :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. W. W. Tregale, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 7th November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) K. J. Macintosh, M.C., attached. Dated 1st November 1917.

*1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

● Major B. A. Mc. H. Rice to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 23rd October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Captain T. C. E. Barstow to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 21st October 1917.

Lieutenant M. H. H. Smith to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 21st October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.*

Major C. P. Barlow to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 16th October 1917, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Firth, D.S.O., granted leave on medical certificate, with effect from 1st October 1917.

*1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. G. Duncan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 23rd October 1917.

Captain (acting Major) H. Mullaly relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 6th November 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.*

Captain R. Blandy, M.C., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 3rd September 1917 to 30th September 1917, inclusive.

Captain (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) V. Beadon, Civil Employ, attached, reverts to acting Major on ceasing to command a battalion. Dated 1st October 1917.

Captain (acting Major) V. Beadon, Civil Employ, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 25th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. S. Gribble, Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 25th June 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding a company :—

Lieutenant D. S. Gribble, Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached. Dated 21st August 1917 to 31st August 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant C. W. F. Scott, Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached. Dated 16th September 1917 to 30th September 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant S. D. Gladstone, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers attached. Dated 3rd September 1917 to 24th October 1917, inclusive.

Major C. R. Bradshaw to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 9th November 1917.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 2152.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.**Cavalry Branch.*

3rd November 1917.	13th November 1917.
Temporary Captain Ferdinand Henry Christian Nissen.	John Thurnton Shuttleworth.
	24th November 1917.
	Malcolm Gurney Salter.

*Infantry Branch.*

1st November 1917.	10th November 1917.
Temporary Captain John Barclay	Alfred Ireland Aymer.
Cecil Herbert Bull.	Owen Rodway Scott.
William Robert Erskine.	Velters Cornwall Fitzhardinge Berkeley.
4th November 1917.	Egerton Gartside Scott-Brown.
Arthur Henry Foddy.	Cyril Joseph Cleary.
6th November 1917.	Edward Cecil Granby Pelham-Clay.
Charles Archibald Webb.	Robert Duncan McKenzie.
Robert Harold Mansel Harvey.	
Norman Quick.	



James Robert Kenneth Wallace.

● Ronald Beveridge.

Arthur Vernon Stevens.

Harry Cornish.

Harry Claude Arnele Hunter.

George Darrol Peal.

Cuthbert Sutcliffe Harper.

Patrick John Maguire.

Robert Hendry Bodger.

Robert Bertram Whithy.

Ernest Edward Leslie Saunders

William Samuel Dickens.

Stanley George Thorne.

11th November 1917.

● Cecil George Bateman.

George Stainforth Davidson.

15th November 1917.

James Arthur Hyde.

16th November 1917.

Hector Angus Smith.

18th November 1917.

Denis Victor Harvey.

21st November 1917.

Frederick Palmer.

John Humphrey Phillips.

Walter Francis Gippes.

Hugh Davies.

Charles Patrick Lyons.

Stanley Fisher.

Joseph Archibald Streatfield Hopkins.

Eric Gerald Nielson.

Harold Hargreaves.

22nd November 1917.

Harold Beaumont.

24th November 1917.

William Barnard.

Samuel Frederick Soar.

25th November 1917.

Cyril Benjamin Maher.

Arthur de Coetlogan Williams.

George Henry Montague Gompertz

27th November 1917

Albert Hall Johnston.

29th November 1917.

Reginald Godfroy a'Wood Taylor.

**No. 2153.**—In Army Department Notification No. 685, dated the 4th May 1917, against the name of Reay Chouler *after* "5th July 1916," *add* "but to rank from the 13th May 1916."

#### ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

**No. 2154.**—The undermentioned Commissaries of the Indian Ordnance Department are granted the honorary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21st September 1917 :—

##### *Northern Army—*

Captain Thomas Robert Todd.

„ William Christian Hobbs.

„ William Edmund Bowder.

„ Robert Sharpe.

„ Samuel Robert Allwright.

„ Francis Maher.

„ Frank Edwin Miller.

„ John Green.

„ George Harding.

„ Edward O'Donald.

„ Christopher Bennett Hardaker.

##### *Southern Army—*

Captain George Richard Hartley.

„ John Shipman Rush.

„ Albert Craven.

„ John Duggan.

„ Albert Blackwood.

„ Charles Howard.

„ James Garrett Coleburt.

„ John Henry Joseph Hayhurst.

„ Thomas William Charlesworth.

„ William Power.

„ Rees Ross.

#### SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

##### *Amalgamated List.*

**No. 2155.**—Staff-Serjeant Herbert Oswald Rogers Amalgamated List, to be Sub-Conductor on the Amalgamated List, *vice* Sub-Conductor Charles Patrick Echlin, deceased, with effect from the 28th October 1917.

##### *(Late) Madras List.*

**No. 2156.**—Conductor William Isaac Hoare to be Assistant Commissary. and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval,

Sub-Conductor Patrick Fitzgerald to be Conductor, and

Staff-Serjeant Walter Bennett, Amalgamated List, to be Sub-Conductor on the Amalgamated List,

*vice* Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Walter Woledge, supernumerary, on attaining the age of 55 years, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

## INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

## SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

*Bombay Establishment.*

**No. 2157.**—The undermentioned 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 14th September 1915 :—

No. 360 Vishwanath Bhagawantrao Mohite.

## NATIVE ARMY.

## APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

**No. 2158.**—The following promotions are made :—

*25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).*

Risaldar Kale Khan to be Risaldar-Major, with effect from the 1st August 1917; *vice* Roshan Khan, transferred to the pension establishment.

*37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).*

Jemadars Hamidullah and Indar Singh to be Ressaidars, with effect from the 20th October 1917; to complete the establishment

*Royal Artillery Depot, Ambala.*

Havildar Fouzdar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*56th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery, Ammunition Column.*

Havildar-Major Akbar Khan (7th Small Arms Ammunition Section) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*215th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery, Ammunition Column.*

Havildar-Major Pal Singh (Independent Divisional Ammunition Column) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th June 1917; to complete the establishment.

*222nd Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.*

Havildar-Major Pal Singh (Independent Divisional Ammunition Column) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.*

Havildars Narayanasami and Markasagayan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.*

Jemadar Benimadho Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.*

Havildars Mustan Singh and Amar Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917, to complete the establishment.

*15th Ludhiana Sikhs.*

Sepoy Firoz Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

Jemadar Firoz Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th August 1917; to complete the establishment

*22nd Punjabis.*

Havildar Muhabat Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*24th Punjabis.*

Jemadar Sudama to be Subadar and Havildar Shamsheer Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 25th Punjabis.*

Jemadar Muhammad Khan to be Subadar, Havildar Johli, Colour-Havildar Hira, Havildars Kabul Shah, Harnam Singh and Ghani Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st November 1917 and Colour-Havildar Mansha Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*30th Punjabis.*

Havildar Prabh Dayal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th September 1917 and Havildar Mangtu (25th Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.*

Havildar-Major Gonda Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917, to complete the establishment.

*41st Dogras.*

Havildars Pohlo, Chartu and Baichand to be Jemadars, with effect from the 13th November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*48th Pioneers.*

Jemadar Tokha to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*61st King George's Own Pioneers.*

Havildar-Major Narainsami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917, to complete the establishment.

*Aden Machine Gun Company.*

Havildar Ghulam Muhammad (69th Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th October 1917, and to remain seconded.

*70th Burma Rifles.*

Jemadar Maung Aung Bwin to be Subadar, Havildars Maung Thein Maung, Maung Kyaw Nyun and Maung Nyo to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry.*

Jemadars Bhagwan Singh and Ram Lal Singh to be Subadars, Havildars Guman Ram, Badlu and Nihal Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*96th Berar Infantry.*

Jemadar Dalsingar Singh (1st Battalion, 94th Russell's Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 8th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*105th Mahratta Light Infantry.*

Jemadar Eshwanta Shinde to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th August 1917, to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 112th Infantry.*

Jemadar Shiu Ram Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th June 1917, and Jemadar Bhura Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 10th July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 113th Infantry.*

Jemadar Brijlal Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd March 1917, and Jemadar Harchand to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*114th Mahrattas.*

Jemadar Balajirao Ghag to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).*

Jemadar Tunda to be Subadar, with effect from the 22nd November 1915, Jemadar Hira Rawat (122nd Rajputana Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th December 1915, Jemadar Bhagirath Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th January 1916, Havildar Dao Rawat to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th November 1915, Havildars Yadram Singh and Uma Rawat to be Jemadars, with effect from the 22nd November 1915, Havildars Fazal Khan, Kalian Singh, Sheoji and Murli to be Jemadars, with effect from the 11th January 1916, Quartermaster Havildar Gangaram Bhagnji to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th January 1916, Havildar Raju Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th April 1916 and Havildar Ahmad Husain Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th April 1916; to complete the establishment.

*128th Pioneers.*

Jemadar Chand Khan (121st Pioneers) to be Subadar with effect from the 23rd August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.*

Jemadar Muhammad Bakhsh to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th June 1917, Jemadars Allah Dad [130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles)] and Hashim Din (108th Infantry) to be Subadars, with effect from the 6th August 1917, Jemadar Murtaza (124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 30th August 1917, Havildar Hayat Ali to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th June 1917, Havildar Naim Khan, Colour-Havildars Pahlwan Khan and Ghafaran Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 6th August 1917, Colour-Havildar Sohbat Khan (127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th August 1917 and Colour-Havildar Mewa Khan (127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.*

Havildar Jaspati Gurung to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Havildar-Major Harkabir Gurung and Havildar Kalu Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Colour-Havildar Jitbahadur Thapa (Lakhimpur Military Police) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.*

Jemadars Kirtiman Khattri, Shihprasad Thapa, Wazir Sing Khattri, and Bhagwan Sing Chand to be Subadars, Havildars Kharak Bahadur Khattri, Dalip Sing Karki, Tikaram Kanwar, and Amar Sing Karki to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1917, and Havildar Kulbahadur Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.*

**No. 2159.**—The date of the promotion of Havildar Munisami to Jemadar is the 1st October 1917, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1930, dated the 9th November 1917.

**RETENTIONS.****SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.**

**No. 2160.**—Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Walter Woledge is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 31st October 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

## JUDICIAL.

**No. 2161.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113, Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the officer, being not below the rank of field officer, commanding the station of Jhelum shall be the prescribed officer for the purposes of section 102 of the said Act in respect of Summary Courts Martial held for the trial of persons subject to that Act serving under his command.

Provided that when the officer who held the trial is himself the officer commanding the station of Jhelum he shall forward the proceedings to superior authority.

**No. 2162.**—In pursuance of section 12 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to constitute in the Bombay Presidency a corps to be designated the 2nd Bombay Infantry (Indian Defence Force) for the enrolment in the Indian Defence Force of persons other than European British subjects who offer themselves for enrolment for general military duty under the said section.

## INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

## APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

*Assam Valley Light Horse.*

**No. 2163.**—Lieutenant Archibald Moffat resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Coorg and Mysore Rifles.*

**No. 2164.**—Major (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) George Raymond Pearse, V.D., resigns his commission and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank.

(Army Department Notification No. 1715, dated the 5th October 1917, is cancelled.)

*Calcutta Scottish Volunteers*

**No. 2165.**—Lieutenant George Fullerton Ross resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Lieutenant Edwin George Lister Laird Macgregor resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

*Bombay University Infantry*

**No. 2166.**—The undermentioned gentleman is granted the temporary rank of Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Charles Jasper Sisson. Dated 15th November 1917.

## MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

**No. 2167.**—His Excellency the Governor General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer :—

*Coorg and Mysore Rifles.*

Captain Edward Cavendish Kent.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India*

## MARINE DEPARTMENT.

*Dubai, the 14th December 1917.*

## LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 79.**—The following extract is published for general information :—

*Third Supplement dated the 16th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 12th October 1917, pages 10585 and 10587.*

*War Office,*  
*16th October, 1917*

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## MEMORANDA.

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James Malone to be temp. Lt. for duty with Inland Water Trans. 19th Aug. 1917.

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## RESIGNATIONS.

**No. 80.**—Temporary Sub-Lieutenant A. E. Kane, Royal Indian Marine, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 29th November 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD)

## NOTIFICATIONS.

*Simla, the 13th December 1917.*

**No. 275-P.-16.**—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 6, Bombay, having inspected the Pulgaon-Arvi Railway, authorized its opening for passenger traffic with effect from 25th September 1917. The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

**No. 334-P.-16.**—It is hereby notified for general information that the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 4, having inspected the Pezu-Tank Section of the Laki-Pezu-Tank Railway, authorised its opening for public traffic with effect from the 20th October 1917. The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

**No. 341-P.-16.**—It is notified for general information that the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 5, Bombay, having inspected the extension of the Rajpipla State Railway from Nanded to Nanded Town, authorised its opening for passenger traffic with effect from the 10th November 1917. The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

**No. 1110-E.-17.**—The undermentioned promotions and reversions to and in the classes of Chief and Superintending Engineer, State Railways, are ordered :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. Harford	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	16th August 1917.
Mr. J. H. Lovell	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	16th August 1917.
Mr. H. R. Walton	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i> , Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary, Supernumerary.	1st November 1917.
Mr. J. H. White, C.M.G.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i> , Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary, Supernumerary.	1st November 1917.
Mr. F. W. Allum	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary	1st November 1917.
Mr. W. C. Stanton	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	1st November 1917.
Mr. A. Lines	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, officiating.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	1st November 1917.

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Smyth, R.E.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i> , Supernumerary.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, officiating, Supernumerary.	2nd November 1917.
Mr. A. R. Pakenham Walsh.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, officiating.	2nd November 1917.
Mr. F. G. R. Dawson	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, and Chief Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, and Chief Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	21st November 1917.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Wilkinson, D.S.O., R.E.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i> , Supernumerary.	21st November 1917.
Mr. G. Richards	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, and Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, and Superintending Engineer, 1st class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	21st November 1917.
Lieutenant-Colonel R. Hearn, D.S.O., R.E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i> , Supernumerary.	21st November 1917
Lieutenant-Colonel E. Harwardiston, R.E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i> , Supernumerary.	21st November 1917.
Mr. E. A. C. Lister	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	21st November 1917.
Mr. F. W. Allum	Executive Engineer and Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, and Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	21st November 1917.
Major H. E. C. Cowie, D.S.O., R.E.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i> , Supernumerary	21st November 1917.
Mr. J. Harford	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	21st November 1917

F. A. HADLOW,  
Secretary, Railway Board.

## INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

### NOTIFICATION.

*Delhi, the 14th December 1917.*

**No. G.-57.**—Lieutenant-Colonel J. MacGregor, R.E., is appointed Controller (Ship-building) under the Indian Munitions Board with effect from the 8th December 1917.

T. RYAN,  
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.





**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.**

**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.**

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 13th December 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

1. Local falls of rain occurred in the Madras Presidency. Weather was dry in the remainder of the country.

2. *Burma.*—Rangoon and Maymyo had light falls of rain.

*North-east India, including Orissa.*—Light rain fell at Sibsaagar.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.*—  
*North-west India.*— } Weather was dry.

*The Peninsula.*—Rainfall occurred chiefly on the east Madras coast, and was nearly general on the Coromandel coast on the 10th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

December 6th. Nellore 1.41".

„ 8th. Madura 1.18".

„ 10th. Pamban 1.05".

„ 11th. Coochin 1.39", Madura 1.05" and Nellore 3.24".

„ 12th. Pamban 1.05".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in excess in Assam, Malabar and the Madras Coast North; and 20 per cent. or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces West, the Punjab, Kashmir, Baluchistan, Rajputana, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad North and Mysore. It was normal in Madras South-east and the Madras Deccan. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 30th November to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Malabar and the Madras Coast North. It is 20 per cent. or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces West, Kashmir, the Punjab South-west, Rajputana, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, North, Mysore and the Madras Deccan. It is within 20 per cent. of the normal in Lower Burma, Assam, the Punjab East and North, and Madras South-east. In the remaining divisions the absence of rainfall is a normal feature of the weather at this time of the year.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 18TH DECEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 8TH NOVEMBER TO 18TH DECEMBER 1917.			PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
							8	9
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	0.4	1.6	-1.2	2.3	4.3	-2.0	-27	-30
Lower Burma . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0.4	0.4	0	0	+100
Upper Burma . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0	0.3	-0.3	-100	-100
Assam . . . . .	0.2	0.1	+0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0	-100
Bengal . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Orissa . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Bihar . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.1	0	0	-
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	100	0
Kashmir . . . . .	0	0.3	-0.3	0.1	0.4	-0.3	-75	0
N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0	0	0	0.4	0.1	+0.3	+300	+300
Paluchistan . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0.7	0.4	+0.3	+75	+250
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Central India, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Berar . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Konkan . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mysore . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.3	-0.3	-100	-100
Malabar . . . . .	0.6	0.3	+0.3	1.1	0.8	+0.3	+37	0
Madras, South-East . . . . .	1.0	1.0	0	2.3	2.4	-0.1	-4	-7
Madras Deccan . . . . .	0.1	0.1	0	0.1	0.3	-0.2	-67	-100
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	1.4	0.4	+1.0	1.4	0.9	+0.5	+56	-100

GILBERT T. WALKER,  
Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 13th December 1917.

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Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

# Season and Crop Prospects for week ending Saturday, 8th December 1917.

**Burma.**—Light rain was fairly general in Lower Burma. Reaping of winter rice is general in Lower Burma. In Upper Burma sowing of miscellaneous and inland crops, harvesting of cotton, groundnut and late sesamum is progressing. Reaping of winter rice has commenced. Standing crops are good. Good harvest is expected. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon has risen further to Rupees 115 per hundred baskets and is considerably above normal. The price of white rice is Rupees 265 for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather was seasonable. Plucking, manufacture and sowing of tea, harvesting of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Sowing of mustard is nearly finished. Ploughing of land for autumn rice and jute has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are fair to good. The crops were slightly damaged by insects in one district and by cattle disease in two. Price of common rice has slightly fallen.

**Bengal.**—The week was rainless. Harvesting of winter paddy and sugarcane is proceeding. Sowing of spring crops also continues, but is nearing completion in places. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle disease is reported from four districts, *vis.*, Burdwan, Birbhum, Bakarganj and Cooch Behar. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by about 4 per cent. below that of the preceding week.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—There was practically no rain during the week. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane are going on. Sowing of spring crops continues in some districts. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has fallen in four, risen in one and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. Cattle disease is reported from nine districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

**United Provinces.**—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting of late rice and *bajra*, sowing and irrigation of spring crops, pressing of sugarcane and picking of cotton continue and are approaching completion in places. Standing crops and agricultural stock are doing well. Prospects are satisfactory. Little cattle disease is reported. Fodder is dear in some districts. Prices are rising.

**Punjab.**—During the week the weather was dry. Condition of cotton is below average and that of sugarcane is good. Picking of cotton and pressing of sugarcane continue. The yield of the former is below normal and that of the latter is average to good. Sowings of wheat and barley are in progress and are generally above normal. Standing spring crops are generally good. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Prices are rising and range between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat:—Ferozepore 7½, Lahore, Rawalpindi and Lyallpur 8, and Amballa 8½ seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—The week was rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops is proceeding normally. The outturn is average. Prospects of spring crops are good. Prices of wheat:—Peshawar 8½ and Dera Ismail Khan 9½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8½ to 14 seers and maize from 14½ to 20 seers per rupee. Condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in Kathua tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—Report not received.

**Rajputana.**—The weather was cool. Spring sowings continue. Autumn prospects and agriculture stock are fair. Prices are rising.

**Central India.**—During the week the rainfall was general in Bhopal, ~~all~~ elsewhere, but sufficient throughout. The weather was cloudy and cool. Autumn crops are being harvested in Gwalior and Malwa. Spring crops are being sown everywhere. Standing crops and probable outturn are unsatisfactory in Gwalior, fair elsewhere but have been damaged by rain in Bhopal. Agricultural stock is generally good. Prices are rising in Gwalior and Baghelkhand. They are high in Bhopal and steady elsewhere.

**Central Provinces.**—The weather continues to be clear and cool with occasional clouds. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops and picking of cotton are in rapid progress. Sowing of spring crops still continues in a few places and germination is so far satisfactory. Standing crops are thriving but a shower of rain would improve the prospects. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Prices of wheat and *juar* continue to rise slightly.

**Feudatory States.**—Standing crops are in good condition.

**Bombay.**—Autumn harvesting and spring sowings generally continue. Standing crops are good except in Hyderabad where they have been slightly damaged by rats. Cotton picking continues in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Pathiawar. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Prices of food grains have slightly risen in parts of Sind and Deccan generally, but are steady elsewhere.

**Hyderabad.**—Report not received.

**Mysore.**—The week was generally rainless. Standing crops are good. Harvesting of wet crops is proceeding. Outturn is fair. Cattle are generally healthy. Prices are generally stationary.

**Coorg.**—The weather was clear. Rice is in good condition. Picking of coffee and cardamoms continues. Cattle are healthy. Prices of food grains are high.

**Madras.**—The week was generally rainy except in Deccan. Standing crops are fair to good generally. Harvests of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is good generally. Prices have risen slightly.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.  
PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 13th December 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 8th December 1917 is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths
Bombay	Northern	Bombay City . . . . .	9	8
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	314	286
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	685	480
		Kaira District . . . . .	201	18
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	54	39
		Surat District . . . . .	75	61
		Broach Port . . . . .	10	6
		Broach District . . . . .	92	75
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	5	4
		Thana District . . . . .	4	2
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	204	150
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	190	150
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	281	200
		Poona Town . . . . .	95	77
		Poona District . . . . .	163	142
		Nasik District . . . . .	737	618
		Satara District . . . . .	1,115	820
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	38	33
		Sholapur District . . . . .	68	53
	Southern	Kolaba District . . . . .	1	...
		Vengurla Port . . . . .	4	4
		Belgaum District . . . . .	143	88
		Bijapur District . . . . .	310	248
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port . . . . .	1	...
		Baroda State . . . . .	663	448
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	9	2
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	35	20
		Mahuva Port . . . . .	6	5
	Political Charges.	Kathiawar Agency . . . . .	255	211
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	589	464
		Akalkot State . . . . .	48	34
		Bhor State . . . . .	14	12
		Belgaum Agency . . . . .	42	28
		Sata Agency . . . . .	96	68
		TOTAL	6,686	4,982

In the return for the week ending 1st December 1917, the following additions should be made:—

Panoh Mahals District, add 48 cases, 25 deaths.  
Kanara District, add 18 cases, 6 deaths.  
Hyderabad District, add 10 cases, 10 deaths.

Sukkur District, add 49 cases, 18 deaths.  
Shikarpur City, add 31 cases, 17 deaths.  
Mali Kantha Agency, add 54 cases, 49 deaths

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		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	314	286
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	685	486
		Kaira District . . . . .	201	18
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	54	39
		Surat District . . . . .	75	61
		Broach Port . . . . .	10	6
		Broach District . . . . .	92	75
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	5	4
		Thana District . . . . .	4	2
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	204	156
		East Khandesh District . . . . .	190	156
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	281	209
		Poona Town . . . . .	95	77
		Poona District . . . . .	163	142
		Nasik District . . . . .	737	618
		Satara District . . . . .	1,115	820
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	38	33
		Sholapur District . . . . .	68	53
	Southern	Kolaba District . . . . .	1	..
		Vengurla Port . . . . .	4	4
		Belgaum District . . . . .	113	88
		Bijapur District . . . . .	340	248
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port . . . . .	1	..
		Baroda State . . . . .	683	448
	Political Charges.	Mangrol Port . . . . .	9	2
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	35	26
		Mahuva Port . . . . .	6	5
		Kathiawar Agency . . . . .	255	211
		Kothapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	589	464
		Akalkot State . . . . .	48	34
		Bhor State . . . . .	14	12
		Belgaon Agency . . . . .	42	28
		Sata Agency . . . . .	96	68
		TOTAL	6,636	4,682

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
MAHARASHASTRA.		Anantapur District . . . . .	141 (a)	34 (a)
		North Arcot District . . . . .	38	28
		Bellary District . . . . .	687 (b)	301 (b)
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	105 (c)	30 (c)
		Mangalore Port . . . . .	8	8
		Kurnool District . . . . .	313 (e)	222 (f)
		Malabar District . . . . .	5	1
		Nilgiris District . . . . .	...	1
		Salem Town . . . . .	40	23
		Salem District . . . . .	68 (c)	25 (d)
		Visagapatam Port . . . . .	15	13
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.		Chingleput District . . . . .	1 (b)	1 (b)
		Sandur State . . . . .	5	8
		TOTAL	1,482	1,156
		...	...	...
BIMAR AND ORISSA.		Patna District . . . . .	97	93
		Gaya Town . . . . .	22	22
		Gaya District . . . . .	157	136
		Shahabad District . . . . .	91	69
		Saran District . . . . .	153	95
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	17	10
		Darbhanga District . . . . .	53	41
		Monghyr District . . . . .	69	58
		Hazaribagh District . . . . .	39	18
		Palaman District . . . . .	6	7
		TOTAL	703	551
UNITED PROVINCES.		Saharanpur District . . . . .	2	1
		Muzaffarnagar District . . . . .	19	3
		Meerut District . . . . .	19	9
		Aligarh City . . . . .	27	17
		Agra City . . . . .	1	1
		Mainpuri District . . . . .	23	22
		Farrukhabad City . . . . .	16	15
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	41	34
		Etawah District . . . . .	15	15
		Cawnpore City . . . . .	8	8
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	50	50
		Fatehpur District . . . . .	96	69
		Allahabad City . . . . .	27	20
		Allahabad District . . . . .	225	226
		Jhansi District . . . . .	56	65
		Jalaun District . . . . .	126	96
		Benares City . . . . .	12	7
		Benares District . . . . .	71	59
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	187	170
		Mirzapur District . . . . .	53	51
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	382	311
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	208	175
		Ballia District . . . . .	181	168
		Gorakhpur City . . . . .	1	1
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	356	254
		Basti District . . . . .	65	45
		Amangarh District . . . . .	545	430
		Lucknow City . . . . .	4	1
		Lucknow District . . . . .	55	55
		Unao District . . . . .	258	275
		Meerut District . . . . .	109	79
		Sitapur District . . . . .	34	25
		Hardoi District . . . . .	...	1
		Fyzabad District . . . . .	41	34
		Gonda District . . . . .	101	79
		Bahraich District . . . . .	2	2
		Sultanpur District . . . . .	91	82
		Partabgarh District . . . . .	110	80
		Bareilly District . . . . .	100	91
		TOTAL	3,791	3,125

(a) Two imported. (b) One imported. (c) Five imported.

(d) Four imported. (e) Twelve imported. (f) Seven imported.

In the return for the week ending 1st December 1917, the following additions and corrections should be made :—  
 Aligarh City add 26 cases, 16 deaths. Monghyr District read 139 cases and 101 deaths for 118 cases and 98 deaths.



Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague	
			cases.	deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District . . . . .	20	16
	Jullundur	Jullundur District . . . . .	88	55
		Ludhiana District . . . . .	108	85
		Lahore City . . . . .	50	28
		Lahore Cantonment . . . . .	11	5
	Lahore	Lahore District . . . . .	187	122
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	7	7
		Sialkot District . . . . .	3	.
		Gujranwala District . . . . .	22	.
		Shahpur District . . . . .	2	.
		Jhelum District . . . . .	5	2
	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District . . . . .	123	119
		Attock District . . . . .	9	7
	Multan	Montgomery District . . . . .	6	3
	Native States	Patiala State . . . . .	1	1
		TOTAL	591	407
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town . . . . .	6	6
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	9	9
		Bassein Town . . . . .	2	2
	Irrawaddy	Pyawon District . . . . .	1	1
	Tenasserim	Taungtha District . . . . .	1	...
		Minbu District . . . . .	26	26
	Magwe	Magwe District . . . . .	1	1
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	84	77
	Meiktila	Meiktila District . . . . .	41	12
		Myingyan District . . . . .	12	13
		TOTAL	178	147
CENTRAL PROVINCES		Nagpur Town . . . . .	30	20
		Nagpur District . . . . .	52	37
	Nagpur	Bhandara District . . . . .	40	31
		Wardha District . . . . .	57	40
		Ba'aghat District . . . . .	2	..
		Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	8	7
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore District . . . . .	203	213
		Saugor District . . . . .	185	170
		Damoh District . . . . .	20	24
		Seoni District . . . . .	48	31
		Hoshangabad District . . . . .	55	29
	Nerbudda	Nimar District . . . . .	25	23
		Narsinghpur District . . . . .	146	124
		Chhindwara District . . . . .	36	23
	Ohhatisgarh.	Balpur District . . . . .	13	11
		Bilaspur District . . . . .	4	2
		Amraoti District . . . . .	112	87
		Yectmal District . . . . .	25	19
	Berar	Akola District . . . . .	128	89
		Buldana District . . . . .	36	21
		TOTAL	1,298	1,003

In the return for the week ending 1st December 1917, the following additions and corrections should be made:—  
Hoshangpur District, add 6 cases, 6 deaths.  
Montgomery District, add 8 cases, 4 deaths.  
Attock District read nil death for 1 death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
ASSAM	..	.. ..	...	...
COORG	.	... ..	...	...
MYSORE STATE.		Bangalore Civil and Military Station	25	20
		Bangalore City	11	7
		Bangalore District	85	61
		Mysore City	1	1
		Mysore District	24	18
		Hassan District	20	17
		Kolar District	30	15
		Shimoga District	12	9
		Chitaldroog District	57	40
		Tumkur District	78	47
		Kolar District	28	25
TOTAL			376	260
HYDERABAD STATE.		Aurangabad District	145	121
		Bir District	30	23
		Paibhani District	41	39
		Nander District	11	11
		Gulbarga District	175	112
		Raichur District	180	170
		Umanabad District	96	64
		Bidar District	120	69
		Medak District	36	33
		Nizamabad District	27	28
		Mahbubnagar District	12	11
		Nalgonda District	4	3
		Warangal District	12	9
		Atraf-i-baldah Sarf-i-Khas	16	13
		TOTAL		
(CENTRAL INDIA		Indore City	74	59
		Indore State	159	107
		Indore Residency Basars	6	5
		Mhow Cantonment	8	9
		Dewas State	17	9
		Sabote Cantonment	9	1
		Bhopal State	60	35
		Dhar State	18	13
		Rutlam City	5	5
		Rewa State	15	10
		Jaora State	24	31
		Panna State	3	4
		TOTAL		
RAJPUTANA		Ajmer City	120	85
		Ajmer District	251	221
		Alwar State	278	192
		Jaipur City	688	629
		Jaipur State	423	393
		Bharatpur State	112	94
		Jhalawar State	29	16
		Kishanganrh State	...	1
		Mewar State	231	196
		Tonk State	119	120
		Murwar State	855	787
		Kushalgarh State	7	4
		Shahpura State	23	21
		Deoli State	9	7
		TOTAL		
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	.....	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	12	15
TOTAL			12	15
BALUCHISTAN.	..	.....	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			19,441	15,436

(a) From the 24th November to the 2nd December 1917.

(b) For the week ending 1st December 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 2884.

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
HOME DEPARTMENT.**

**(POLITICAL.)**

*Delhi, the 10th December, 1917.*

**APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT ON THE  
REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT IN INDIA.**

**RESOLUTION.**

The Governor-General in Council has, with the approval of the Secretary of State for India, decided to appoint a Committee :—

- (1) To investigate and report on the nature and extent of the criminal conspiracies connected with the revolutionary movement in India.
- (2) To examine and consider the difficulties that have arisen in dealing with such conspiracies and to advise as to the legislation, if any, necessary to enable Government to deal effectively with them.

The Government of India consider that for the proper examination of these questions a strong judicial element is essential in the Committee.

They have succeeded in securing the services of Mr Justice Rowlatt of the King's Bench Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice as President.

The following have agreed to serve as members :—

The Hon'ble Sir Basil Scott, Kt., Chief Justice of Bombay ;

The Hon'ble Diwan Bahadur C. V. Kumaraswami Sastriyar, Judge of the High Court of Madras ;

The Hon'ble Sir Verney Lovett, K.C.S.I., Member of the Board of Revenue, United Provinces ; and

The Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter, Vakil of the High Court of Calcutta.

Mr. J. D. V. Hodge, I.C.S., Bengal, has been appointed Secretary to the Committee.

The Committee will assemble in Calcutta early in January 1918. It will sit *in camera*, but will be given full access to all documentary evidence in the possession of Government bearing on the existence and extent of revolutionary conspiracies in India and will supplement this with such other evidence as it may consider necessary.

**ORDERED** that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India*.

**S. R. HIGNELL,**  
*Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.*

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- 3060. P. Jolnerkevitch. *Method of impregnating wood.*
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3000. Erwin and Erwin.	3196. Crets.
3127. Banerjee.	3198. David.
3190. White.	3202. Dutt and Dutt.
3191. White.	3204. Roshanlal Kanhiyalal.

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2767. Gur Wachan Singh.	3146. Allen Bros. & Co., Ltd.
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- 224 of 1905. Societe Generale de Soie Artificielle par le procede Viscose. (To 4 December 1918.)  
 408 of 1907. Tice. (To 16 December 1918.)  
 301 of 1909. Ashford. (To 22 March 1919.)  
 461 of 1909. Webb & ors. (To 8 December 1918.)  
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1906.

148, (Kleine).

**1908**

301, (Norman).

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625, (Clark).

**1910**

63, (Benn &amp; ors.).

**1912.**

467, (Meures).

**1913.**

1148, (Prein-Gewebe Aktien-Gesellschaft & anr.). 1152, (Cousens). 1153, (Larson).  
 1154, (Larson). 1155, (Walker). 1157, (Durrant). 1160, (Van Nostrand  
 Rotary Plow Co.). 1162, (Begg).

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**SULPHATE OF QUININE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, AND  
 RESIDUAL ALKALOID.**


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Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bond fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge in powder can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPER-INTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.*

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

**SULPHATE OF QUININE.**

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery . . . . .	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	29 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs. . . . .	30 „

**CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.**

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. . . . .	6 „
Small quantity in stock.	

**RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID.**

Very small quantity in stock.

Quinine is available in 1-oz.,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.  
 Cinchona Febrifuge is available in  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. and 1-lb. tins.  
 Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M. and 2 to 4 P.M.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

## BENARES HINDU UNIVERSITY.

Statement of Income and Expenditure of the Benares Hindu University for the period of fifteen months ending 30th June 1917.

Heads of income.	Amount.	Remarks.	Heads of expenditure.	Amount.	Remarks.
I.—VICE-CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE.	Rs. A. P.		I.—VICE-CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE.	Rs. A. P.	
Total			Total		
II —PRO-VICE-CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE.			II.—PRO-VICE-CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE.		
A.—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.			A.—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.		
1. Donation . . . . .	12,93,221 14 0		1. Pro-Vice-Chancellor . . . . .	...	
2. Subscription . . . . .	3,427 0 0		2. Personal Assistant to Pro-Vice-Chancellor . . . . .	8,509 10 8	
3. Interest on G. P. notes . . . . .	179,293 5 5		3. Establishment . . . . .	691 15 6	
4. Interest on other securities . . . . .	4,072 6 8		4. Menial establishment . . . . .	32 13 0	
5. Government grants . . . . .	1,50,000 0 0		5. Contribution to Provident Fund . . . . .	...	
6. Grants from Indian Durbars . . . . .	15,000 0 0		6. Allowance to Auditor . . . . .	553 9 6	
7. Sale proceeds of books, etc. . . . .	1,205 2 9		7. Stationery . . . . .	842 14 4	
8. Scholarships and prizes, etc., endowed . . . . .	6,208 8 0		8. Postage and Telegrams . . . . .	2,451 0 0	
9. Provident Fund . . . . .	...		9. Printing charges . . . . .	837 12 6	
10. Miscellaneous receipts . . . . .	1,089 3 9		10. Travelling allowance . . . . .	153 2 0	
11. Banks over drafts . . . . .	1,71,175 15 0		11. Furniture . . . . .	96 7 0	
			12. Hot weather charges . . . . .	13 0 9	
			13. Servants' uniform . . . . .	1,132 11 9	
			14. House-tax and Water-rate . . . . .	7,09,055 12 0	
			15. Purchase of securities and shares . . . . .	8,00,000 0 0	
			16. Purchase of landed property . . . . .		

<b>C.—MANAGEMENT OF UNIVERSITY ESTATES.</b> 1. Rents and Cesses . . . . . 7,661 8 3 2. Saver and Manorial dues . . . . . 3. Miscellaneous receipts . . . . . 100 0 0		<b>C.—MANAGEMENT OF UNIVERSITY ESTATES.</b> 1. Establishment . . . . . 2. Menial establishment . . . . . 3. Contribution to Provident Fund . . . . . 4. Revenue and cesses . . . . . 5. Stationery . . . . . 6. Postage and Telegrams . . . . . 7. Printing . . . . . 8. Travelling allowance . . . . . 9. Furniture . . . . . 10. Legal expenses . . . . . 11. Rents . . . . . 12. Miscellaneous charges . . . . .	
<b>TOTAL</b> 18,21,693 7 7		<b>TOTAL</b> 7,761 8 3	
<b>C.—MANAGEMENT OF UNIVERSITY ESTATES.</b> 1. Rents and Cesses . . . . . 2. Saver and Manorial dues . . . . . 3. Miscellaneous receipts . . . . .		<b>C.—MANAGEMENT OF UNIVERSITY ESTATES.</b> 1. Establishment . . . . . 2. Menial establishment . . . . . 3. Contribution to Provident Fund . . . . . 4. Revenue and cesses . . . . . 5. Stationery . . . . . 6. Postage and Telegrams . . . . . 7. Printing . . . . . 8. Travelling allowance . . . . . 9. Furniture . . . . . 10. Legal expenses . . . . . 11. Rents . . . . . 12. Miscellaneous charges . . . . .	
<b>TOTAL</b> 18,21,693 7 7		<b>TOTAL</b> 7,761 8 3	
<b>Carried over</b> 18,32,454 15 10		<b>Carried over</b> 18,32,454 15 10	

Heads of income.	Amount.	Remarks	Heads of expenditure.	Amount.	Remarks.
Brought forward	Rs. A. P. 18,32,454 15 10		Brought forward	Rs. A. P. 16,51,839 15 5	
E.—GARDENING AND KEEPING GROUNDS IN ORDER.			D.—COLLECTION COMMITTEE'S OFFICE.		
1. Sale proceeds of fruits and grass	...		1. Establishment	655 0 0	
2. Miscellaneous Receipts	...		2. Contribution to Provident Fund	..	
			3. Travelling allowance	1,620 8 3	
			4. District Committee's expenses	977 9 3	
			5. Miscellaneous	36 14 9	
TOTAL	...		TOTAL	2,890 0 3	
			E.—GARDENING AND KEEPING GROUNDS IN ORDER.		
			1. Establishment	189 0 0	
			2. Tools and Implements	...	
			3. Miscellaneous	...	
			TOTAL	189 0 0	
			F.—WATCH AND WARD.		
			1. Menial establishment	348 0 0	
			2. Servants' uniform	...	
			3. Miscellaneous	...	
			TOTAL	348 0 0	
			G.—MEDICAL AND SANITATION.		
			1. Medical Officer	...	
			2. Establishment	...	
			3. Medicine	...	
			4. Miscellaneous	...	
TOTAL	...		TOTAL	...	



H.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			H.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.		
1. Revenue	.	.	1,367	7	9
2. Deposits	.	.	5,623	1	0
3. Provident Fund	.	.	390	0	9
4. Cheques paid	.	.	60,896	3	6
TOTAL			68,276	13	0
J.—MISCELLANEOUS.			J.—MISCELLANEOUS.		
1. Ceremonial receipts	.	.	...		
2. Refund of Advances, etc.	.	.	5,183	1	3
3. Other refunds and recoveries	.	.	769	3	2
4. Deposits	.	.	2,703	6	3
TOTAL			8,655	10	8
Carried over			19,09,387	7	6
I.—ELECTRIC INSTALLATION FOR LIGHTS, WORKSHOP AND PUMPING WATER STATION.			I.—ELECTRIC INSTALLATION FOR LIGHTS, WORKSHOP AND PUMPING WATER STATION.		
J.—MISCELLANEOUS.			J.—MISCELLANEOUS.		
1. Ceremonials	.	.	169	5	9
2. Refunds of Deposits	.	.	2,686	13	0
TOTAL			2,856	2	9
Carried over			18,32,445	8	10

Heads of income.	Amount.	REMARKS.	Heads of expenditure.	Amount.	REMARKS.
Brought forward	Rs. A. P. 19,09,387 7 6		Brought forward	Rs. A. P. 18,32,445 8 10	
III (A)—REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.			III.—REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.		
1. Examination fees			A.—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.		
2. Miscellaneous receipts			1. Registrar		
			2. Establishment		
			3. Menial establishment		
			4. Contribution to Provident Fund		
			5. Stationery		
			6. Postage and Telegrams		
			7. Printing charges		
			8. Travelling allowance		
			9. Furniture		
			10. Hot weather charges		
			11. Servants' uniforms		
			12. Rent		
			13. Miscellaneous charges		
TOTAL			TOTAL		
B.—EXAMINATIONS.			B.—EXAMINATIONS.		
			1. Fees for setting papers		
			2. Remuneration to examiners		
			3. Confidential printing		
			4. Printing of Rolls, Diplomas and Certificates.		
			5. Invigilators and centre expenses		
			6. Printing Answer-books		
			7. Convocation expenses		
			8. Travelling expenses to Examiners		
			9. Miscellaneous charges		
			TOTAL		

E.—UNIVERSITY MAGAZINES.			
1. Subscription . . . . .	4,571 10 6		
2. Advertisement . . . . .	...		
3. Miscellaneous receipts . . . . .	...		
TOTAL	4,571 10 6		
Carried over	19,13,959 2 0		

C.—SCHOLARSHIPS.			
1. { College of Arts (C. H. C.) and College of Science . . . . .	1,678 8 0		
2. College of Oriental Learning (R. S. P.) . . . . .	45 0 0		
TOTAL	1,723 8 0		

D.—PRIZES AND MEDALS.			
1. College of Arts and Science (C. H. C.) . . . . .	556 0 0		
2. College of Oriental Learning (R. S. P.) . . . . .	96 5 0		
TOTAL	652 8 0		

E.—UNIVERSITY MAGAZINE.			
1. Editor's allowance . . . . .	700 0 0		
2. Establishment . . . . .	862 2 10		
3. Contribution to Provident Fund . . . . .	...		
4. Stationery . . . . .	11 10 6		
5. Postage and Telegrams . . . . .	905 8 9		
6. Printing . . . . .	1,637 0 0		
7. Paper . . . . .	1,536 2 0		
8. Allowance to Contributors . . . . .	...		
9. Miscellaneous charges . . . . .	30 2 6		
TOTAL	5,682 10 7		
Carried over	18,40,504 3 5		

Heads of income.	Amount.	Remarks.	Heads of expenditure.	Amount.	Remarks.
Brought forward	Rs. A. P. 19,13,959 2 0		Brought forward	Rs. A. P. 18,40,504 3 5	
F.—LIBRARY AND MUSEUM.			F.—LIBRARY AND MUSEUM.		
1. Subscription . . .	...		1. Establishment . . .	496 0 0	
2. Miscellaneous . . .	...		2. Menial establishment . . .	212 3 3	
			3. Contribution to Provident Fund . . .	15 5 0	
			4. Books and periodicals . . .	2,772 0 0	
			5. Bookbinding . . .	159 12 0	
			6. Museum account . . .	...	
			7. Miscellaneous charges . . .	133 15 9	
TOTAL	...		TOTAL	3,789 4 0	
IV.—CENTRAL HINDU COLLEGE.			IV.—CENTRAL HINDU COLLEGE.		
1. Admission fees . . .	20,626 6 0		1. Establishment . . .	51,069 14 3	
2. Fees and fines . . .	256 1 2		2. Menial establishment . . .	1,365 15 0	
3. Miscellaneous . . .	...		3. Contribution to Provident Fund . . .	1,410 1 6	
4. Common Room . . .	704 2 7		4. Laboratories—		
5. Game fees . . .	...		(i) Physical . . .	2,071 13 0	
6. Boarding House receipts—			(ii) Chemical . . .	5,222 10 10	
(a) Lodging . . .	3,523 7 3		(iii) Biological . . .	677 1 6	
(b) Establishment . . .	...		5. Stationery . . .	157 6 6	
(c) Lighting . . .	...		6. Postage and Telegrams . . .	197 4 5	
(d) Miscellaneous . . .	...		7. Printing . . .	176 11 0	
			8. Furniture . . .	797 12 4	
			9. Hot weather charges . . .	304 13 0	
			10. Servants' uniforms . . .	133 7 9	

11. Miscellaneous charges	934	1	0
12. Common Room	...		
13. Gasworks	399	14	3
14. Hostel—			
(a) Establishment	2,535	2	9
(b) Miscellaneous	295	5	6
(c) Medical	293	6	9
(d) Furniture	...		
15. Games	1,308	11	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>69,356</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>

<b>V.—RANAVIR SANSKRIT PATHSALA.</b>			
1. Salaries	7,386	11	6
2. Menial establishment	188	0	0
3. Contribution to Provident Fund	213	15	6
4. Stationery	1	12	0
5. Printing	18	12	0
6. Furniture	...		
7. Servants' uniform	58	11	0
8. Miscellaneous charges	276	15	7
9. Chatravas	...		
(a) Kashmir State	1,606	8	9
(b) Porebandar	1,508	3	0
10. Medicines	...		
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,289</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>

Carried over	19,21,939	9	7
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<b>V.—RANAVIR SANSKRIT PATHSALA. (R. S. P.)</b>			
1. Kashmir grant for R. S. P.	4,344	0	0
2. Kashmir grant for Chatravas	1,920	0	0
3. Porebandar Annakshetra	2,520	3	0
4. Other grants	...		
5. Miscellaneous	12	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,796</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>

Carried over	19,53,870	6	0
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Heads of income.	Amount.	REMARKS	Heads of expenditure.	Amount.	REMARKS.
Brought forward	19,53,870 6 0		Brought forward	19,24,939 9 7	
VI.—COLLEGE OF THEOLOGY.			VI.—COLLEGE OF THEOLOGY.		
VII.—COLLEGE OF LAW.			VII.—COLLEGE OF LAW.		
VIII.—CENTRAL HINDU COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.			VIII.—CENTRAL HINDU COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.		
1. Admission fees . . . . .	10,112 12 6		1. Salaries . . . . .	26,922 5 9	
2. Fees and fines . . . . .	...		2. Menial establishment . . . . .	825 0 0	
3. Miscellaneous receipts . . . . .	350 0 0		3. Contribution to Provident Fund . . . . .	706 13 0	
4. Game fees . . . . .	...		4. Stationery and Printing . . . . .	559 14 6	
5. Boarding House receipts—			5. Postage and Telegrams . . . . .	52 3 0	
(a) Boarding and Lodging fees . . . . .	1,189 11 6		6. Printing charges . . . . .	...	
(b) Establishment . . . . .			7. Furniture . . . . .	397 9 9	
(c) Lighting . . . . .			8. Hot weather charges . . . . .	272 15 9	
(d) Miscellaneous . . . . .			9. Servants' uniform . . . . .	79 9 9	
TOTAL	11,652 8 0		10. Miscellaneous charges . . . . .	316 8 6	
			11. Science Laboratory expenses . . . . .	189 5 0	
			12. Manual Training expenses . . . . .	376 4 0	
			13. Books and Magazine . . . . .	333 4 3	
			14. Bookbinding . . . . .	21 7 0	
			15. Prizes and Medals . . . . .	248- 7 6	
			16. Scholarship . . . . .	396 8 0	
			17. Maps and Globes . . . . .	252 12 3	
			18. New Buildings . . . . .	...	

19. Repairs to Buildings and Furniture.		Rs. A. P.	
20. Games . . . . .		Bank of Bengal, Benares . . . . .	14,309 14 0
21. Hostel--		Allahabad Bank Ltd., Allahabad . . . . .	880 11 6
(a) Establishment . . . . .		Benares Bank Ltd., Benares . . . . .	385 5 1
(b) Diet . . . . .		Cash at Office . . . . .	3,200 0 0
(c) Lighting charges . . . . .		Do. at P. W. D. Office . . . . .	2,532 5 11
(d) Medical . . . . .			
(e) Miscellaneous . . . . .			
Total	32,011 0 0		
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	19,563,950 9 7	Total	21,308 4 6
CLOSING CASH BALANCE	21,308 4 6		
GRAND TOTAL	19,78,258 14 1		
TOTAL INCOME	19,65,322 14 0		
OPENING CASH BALANCE	12,736 0 1		
GRAND TOTAL	19,78,258 14 1		

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Accountant.





<b>2. Chemical Laboratory :—</b>				
(a) Apparatus . . . . .	7,000	0	0	
(b) Chemicals . . . . .	2,533	14	9	
(c) Minerals . . . . .	350	0	0	
(d) Gas-plant and fittings . . . . .	10,000	0	0	
(e) Charts . . . . .	38	4	0	
(f) Water-tank and fittings . . . . .	1,165	0	0	
(g) Furniture . . . . .	3,354	8	0	24,441 10 0
<b>3. Biological Laboratory :—</b>				
(a) Apparatus . . . . .	3,419	14	9	
(b) Furniture . . . . .	261	0	0	3,680 14 9
<b>4. C. H. C. Library &amp; Museum :—</b>				
(a) Books and Magazines . . . . .	37,770	7	3	
(b) Museum exhibits . . . . .	3,147	0	0	40,917 7 3
<b>5. C. H. C. Sporting and Gymnasium :—</b>				
(a) Furniture at College, Boarding House, Pathshala, Pro-Vice-Chancellor's Office, etc. . . . .	18,818	3	3	
(b) Furniture at Allahabad Office . . . . .	906	3	0	19,724 6 3
<b>7. Book Depot :—</b>				
Books for sale . . . . .	...			16,419 15 0
<b>8 C. H. Collegiate School :—</b>				
(a) Science apparatus . . . . .	2,800	0	0	
(b) Manual Training . . . . .	671	3	6	
(c) Books and Magazines . . . . .	864	4	0	
(d) Furniture at School, Boarding House, etc. . . . .	16,971	14	0	21,307 5 6
<b>Live stock and Carriages.</b>				
Horse and Mare . . . . .	200	0	0	
Carriage and Harness . . . . .	341	8	0	544 8 0
<b>Advances and Suspense.</b>				
Debts considered good (advances with Collector of Benares, Treasurer, &c.). . . . .	31,655	1	8	
Debts doubtful . . . . .	Nil.			31,655 1 8
<b>Bankers' Account.</b>				
Post Office Savings Bank (Deposit of Provident Fund). . . . .				10,807 11 1
Bank of Bengal, Benares . . . . .	14,399	14	0	
Ditto Building Fund . . . . .	44,140	12	6	
Allahabad Bank, Ltd., Allahabad . . . . .	980	11	6	
Benares Bank, Ltd., Benares . . . . .	385	5	1	59,716 11 1
<b>Cash at Office . . . . .</b>				
D.O. P. W. D. Office . . . . .	3,200	0	0	
	2,532	5	11	5,732 5 11
<b>TOTAL</b>				1,11,62,089 7 2

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**TOTAL**

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## STATEMENT No. 1.

Of the Permanent Reserve Fund required by section 14 of the Benares Hindu University Act.

Properties constituting the Reserve Fund.	Capitalised value at 3½ per cent. or face-value in case of G. P. Notes.	Receipts from 1st April 1916 to 30th June 1917.	Particulars of Disbursements.	Amount from 1st April 1916 to 30th June 1917.	REMARKS.
1. Patna property purchased for Rs. 72,000 (Nurpur Suttar and Shahpur).	...	1,372 15 0	Amount transferred to the recurring expenditure of the Benares Hindu University. Do. do. ...	1,372 15 0	Vide G. I. Order, dated 1st April 1916, received with Government of India Education Department Secretary's No. 256, dated 23rd March 1916.
2. Cawnpore property given in gift in lieu of Rs. 5,000 (share in Gedha).	...	152 0 9	Do. do. ...	152 0 9	
3. Benares property for Rs. 2,500 (Kolas garden).	71,235 0 0	...	...	...	
4. Perpetual annuities granted by the following Indian Chiefs:— (a) Jodhpur Durbar, Rs. 24,000 a year. (b) Kashmir Durbar, " 12,000 " " " (c) Bikaner Durbar, " 7,800 " " " (d) Jhalawar Durbar, " 1,000 " " "	...	12,900 0 0	Do. do. ...	12,000 0 0	
	...	1,000 0 0	Do. do. ...	1,000 0 0	
	12,50,000 0 0	..	...	...	
	35,53,350 0 0	1,25,313 0 0	Do. do. ...	1,25,313 0 0	
5. Government Promissory Notes of 3½ % loans of 1854-55, 1900-01 and of 1942-43, as shewn in Statement No. 8 appended to the Audit Note.	22,919 0 0	999 10 9	Do. do. ...	999 10 9	
6. Pension Payment Order No. 509, dated 23rd March 1915, of Rs. 66-13-7 monthly (i.e., Rs. 802-3-0 per annum).	36,500 0 0	1,909 3 0	Do. do. ...	1,909 3 0	
7. Trust Securities, as shewn in Statement No. 9					
TOTAL Rs.	50,00,004 0 0	1,42,746 13 6	...	1,42,746 13 6	

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STATEMENT No. 2.

Showing Chairs endowed by the Donors of the Hindu University.

Details.	Capitalised value or face-value in case of G. P. Notes.	Receipts from 1st April 1916 to 30th June 1917.	Particulars of Disbursements.	Amount from 4th November 1916 to 30th June, 1917.	Balance.	REMARKS.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1. Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandy Bahadur, K.C.I.E., of Cosimbazar, amount endowed has been invested in Government Promissory Notes, for the "Manindra Chandra Chair of Ancient Indian History and Culture," as specified below :—						
Notes No. 173438 of 1854-55 .	Rs. 10,000					
169351 " .	" 10,000					
175419 " .	" 1,000					
172635 " .	" 1,000					
203885 of 1900-01 .	" 25,000					
203886 " .	" 25,000					
203887 " .	" 25,000					
203888 " .	" 25,000					
203889 " .	" 25,000					
203890 " .	" 25,000					
2. Hon'ble Babu Motichand, C.I.E., of Benares, amount endowed in Government Promissory Notes, for the "Motichand Chair of Chemical Technology," as specified below :—						
Notes No. 156143 of 1854-55 .	Rs. 1,00,000					
145713 " .	" 10,000					
018312 " .	" 2,000					
018320 " .	" 6,000					
017317 " .	" 1,000					
124157 " .	" 200					
	TOTAL Rs. .					
	1,72,000 0 0	1,731 6 7	Amount paid to Dr. Radha Kumud Mukerjee, M.A., Ph.D., P.R.S., Professor of History, being his salary from 4th November 1916 to 30th June 1917.	3,900 0 0	...	The interest for the half year ending 30th June 1917 was realized on the 4th and 6th July 1917. The salary has been paid in anticipation of the receipt of the interest.
	1,18,200 0 0	4,126 8 0		...	4,126 8 0	
	2,90,200 0 0	5,557 14 7		3,900 0 0	4,126 8 0	

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STATEMENT No. 3.  
Of Moneys given in Trust for establishing Scholarships, Prizes and Medals.

Of Moneys given in Trust for establishing Scholarships.														
Serial No.	Name of endowment, with the amount in cash.	Amount invested in pro-notes or lands.		Balance on 1st April 1916.		Receipts during 1916-17.		TOTAL.		Payment during 1916-17.		Balance.		REMARKS.
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	
<i>(1) Those given to the Hindu University Society or the Benares Hindu University.</i>														
1	Pandit Kachaiyalal Scholarships invested in G. P. Notes.	3,500	0 0	...	...	122	5 0	122	8 0	...	...	122	8 0	
2	Akshari Babu Prem Narayan Scholarship invested in landed property.	10,000	0 0	...	...	604	12 0	604	12 0	...	...	604	12 0	
3	Swami Madhusudanard Saraswati Matar Shanker Vedant Prize invested in G. P. Notes.	2,500	0 0	...	...	131	4 0	131	4 0	...	...	131	4 0	
4	Mahant Satish Chandra Giri Scholarships and Prizes charged upon landed estate.	1,00,000	0 0	...	...	1,750	0 0	1,750	0 0	...	...	1,750	0 0	
5	H. H. The Maharaja of Bikaner Scholarships—part of the perpetual annuity—Rs. 4,200.	1,20,000	0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
TOTAL		2,36,000	0 0	...	...	2,608	5 0	2,608	8 0	...	...	2,608	8 0	
<i>(2) Those given to the Central Hindu College.</i>														
6	Pandit Dinanath Kak Scholarship	2,000	0 0	...	...	70	0 0	70	0 0	...	...	70	0 0	
7	The Nrisinba Prasad Hari Prasad Buch Metaphysics Prize.	6,000	0 0	1,485	11 9	315	0 0	1,803	11 9	...	...	1,803	11 9	
8	The Annie Besant Prize	500	0 0	29	5 3	26	4 0	55	9 3	17	8 0	38	1 3	
9	The Mansukhram Surajram Tripathi Scholarship	850	0 0	29	1 3	44	10 0	73	11 3	...	...	73	11 3	
10	The Bhawani Shankar Prize	900	0 0	86	15 0	47	4 0	134	3 0	134	3 0	...	...	
11	The Ganga Shankar Sookbchand Scholarship	1,000	0 0	—10	10 6	52	8 0	41	18 6	42	0 0	—0	2 6	

12	Munshi Beharilal Prize . . . . .	650	0	0	25	12	6	34	2	0	62	14	6	60	7	9	2	6	9
13	Raja Udit Narayan Roy Scholarship . . . . .	2,000	0	0	36	4	0	70	0	0	106	4	0	85	0	0	21	4	0
14	The J. S. Gadgill Scholarship . . . . .	7,000	0	0	—79	9	0	367	8	0	287	1	0	310	0	0	22	1	0
15	The Hari Sukh Prize . . . . .	200	0	0	7	2	3	10	8	0	17	10	3	17	10	3	...	...	...
16	The Bhargava Medal (Rs. 33 cash paid) . . . . .	...	...	...	4	0	0	...	...	...	4	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...
17	Rai Gokul Chand Bahadur Scholarship and Medal. . . . .	2,000	0	0	23	0	0	70	0	0	93	0	0	56	8	0	36	8	0
18	Thakur Kokersay Jadabji Sanatan Dharma Scholarship. . . . .	1,000	0	0	1	1	8	52	8	0	53	9	8	45	0	0	8	9	8
19	Pandit Harikishen Scholarship . . . . .	10,000	0	0	—50	5	10	525	0	0	444	10	2	418	0	0	26	10	2
20	Kuar Dakshineswar Malia Memorial Scholarship . . . . .	5,000	0	0	—57	2	9	262	8	0	205	5	2	174	0	0	31	5	3
21	The Reid and Ultami Scholarship (remit Rs. 12 monthly for life.) . . . . .	...	...	...	—13	0	0	180	0	0	167	0	0	167	0	0	...	...	...
22	Dhani Ram Memorial Medal (remit cash) . . . . .	...	...	...	91	0	0	...	...	...	91	0	0	91	0	0	...	...	...
23	A. T. Banerjee Scholarship . . . . .	350	0	0	10	8	0	12	4	0	22	12	0	15	8	0	4	4	0
24	The Gunaria Prize . . . . .	500	0	0	61	6	0	17	8	0	78	14	0	61	6	0	17	0	0
25	Rai Bahadur Mata Prasad Medal and Prize . . . . .	500	0	0	48	4	6	17	8	0	65	12	6	4	15	0	60	15	6
26	Pandit Amarnath Trust Scholarship (remit Rs. 30 p. m.) . . . . .	...	...	...	—40	0	0	315	0	0	275	0	0	360	0	0	—85	0	0
27	Dr. Basdeo Sahai Medal . . . . .	1,500	0	0	183	12	0	78	12	0	262	8	0	134	8	0	128	0	0
28	Pandit Vishwanath Sastri Iote Prize . . . . .	1,000	0	0	105	0	0	52	8	0	157	8	0	24	0	0	133	8	0
29	Pandit Debi Prasad Agnihotri Memorial Prize . . . . .	1,000	0	0	96	4	0	55	0	0	131	4	0	...	...	...	131	4	0
30	Krishna Kumari Debi Scholarship . . . . .	...	...	...	—16	0	0	55	0	0	9	0	0	9	0	0	...	...	...
TOTAL . . . . .		43,950	0	0	2,008	12	1	2,711	4	0	4,715	0	1	2,234	8	0	2,480	8	1
(3) Those given to the Ranarir Sanskrit Pathshala. . . . .																			
31	Native Official Charity Association Port Blair Prize. . . . .	100	0	0	18	10	6	5	4	0	23	14	6	22	2	6	1	12	0
32	Basant's Bhagwat Gita Prize . . . . .	100	0	0	18	9	6	5	4	0	23	13	6	22	1	6	1	12	0
33	Ratansey Scholarship . . . . .	5,000	0	0	...	...	...	262	8	0	262	8	0	97	4	0	165	4	0
34	Babu Keshav Deo Bhargava Scholarship (cash) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	4	0	38	4	0	...	...	...	38	4	0
TOTAL . . . . .		5,200	0	0	37	4	0	311	4	0	348	8	0	141	8	0	207	0	0

Serial No.	Name of endowment, with the amount in cash.	Amount invested in pre-notes or lands.	Balance on 1st April 1916.	Receipts during 1916-17.		Total.		Payment during 1916-17.		Balance.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
(d) Those given to the Central Hindu School.											
35	Durga Janki Scholarship (remits Rs. 2 monthly).	...	...	10 0 0	0 0 0	10 0 0	0 0 0	20 0 0	0 0 0	-10 0 0	
36	Ram Chandra and Shyam Sunder Scholarship	920 0 0	-8 6 3	47 15 0	0 0 0	39 5 9	0 0 0	27 0 0	0 0 0	12 8 9	
37	Sadasiva Prize	100 0 0	23 11 9	5 4 0	0 0 0	28 15 9	0 0 0	27 15 0	0 0 0	1 0 9	
38	Girja Nath Shirapayana Scholarship	1,200 0 0	1 10 0	63 0 0	0 0 0	64 10 0	0 0 0	36 0 0	0 0 0	28 10 0	
39	Nathu Bhai Kriparam Prize	30 0 0	0 8 6	1 1 0	0 0 0	1 9 6	0 0 0	...	...	1 9 6	
40	The Pravati Prize	50 0 0	11 5 9	2 10 0	0 0 0	14 2 9	0 0 0	13 0 0	0 0 0	1 2 9	
41	The Narayan Das Kalayan Das Motiwalla Prize	200 0 0	3 11 6	10 5 0	0 0 0	14 3 6	0 0 0	13 0 0	0 0 0	1 3 6	
42	The Purshottamari Sunderjizala Prize	50 0 0	4 9 9	2 10 0	0 0 0	7 3 9	0 0 0	7 3 9	0 0 0	...	
43	The Gopal Krishna Commemoration Medal (Invested in 4 p. c. Debentures).	300 0 0	...	18 0 0	0 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	...	
44	N. Sankuni Warrayar Prize	100 0 0	18 0 6	5 4 0	0 0 0	23 4 6	0 0 0	23 4 6	0 0 0	...	
45	Pandit Bishambhar Nath Dube Scholarship	400 0 0	-1 0 0	21 0 0	0 0 0	20 0 0	0 0 0	12 0 0	0 0 0	8 0 0	
46	The Kamini Memorial Prize	100 0 0	12 0 0	5 4 0	0 0 0	17 4 0	0 0 0	17 4 0	0 0 0	...	
47	The Annada Prasad Mazumdar Memorial Prize	100 0 0	8 6 0	5 4 0	0 0 0	13 10 0	0 0 0	13 10 0	0 0 0	...	
48	Hukmat Rai Prize	100 0 0	5 11 0	5 4 0	0 0 0	10 15 0	0 0 0	10 15 0	0 0 0	...	
49	Rai Pandit Kishan Narayan Gurtu Scholarship (Rs. 7 a month).	...	-63 11 0	168 0 0	0 0 0	104 5 0	0 0 0	84 0 0	0 0 0	20 5 0	
50	The Thirlwall Prize	300 0 0	44 12 0	15 12 0	0 0 0	60 0 0	0 0 0	60 0 0	0 0 0	...	
51	Pandit Monohar Lal Kichloo Scholarship	1,700 0 0	96 8 0	40 8 0	0 0 0	177 0 0	0 0 0	58 8 0	0 0 0	118 8 0	
52	The Jugal Kishore Dharnapatni Prize	100 0 0	2 10 6	5 4 0	0 0 0	7 14 6	0 0 0	7 14 6	0 0 0	...	
53	The Shiva Dayal Scholarship	1,000 0 0	-14 0 0	52 5 0	0 0 0	38 5 0	0 0 0	36 0 0	0 0 0	2 8 0	
54	L. N. Shankhadhar Scholarship (remits Rs. 5 monthly).	...	-59 0 0	...	...	-59 0 0	0 0 0	94 0 0	0 0 0	-143 0 0	
55	Durga Prasad Memorial Scholarship (remits Rs. 2 monthly).	...	-36 0 0	...	...	-36 0 0	0 0 0	24 0 0	0 0 0	-60 0 0	
56	Motil Bai Prize	250 0 0	52 8 0	8 12 0	0 0 0	61 4 0	0 0 0	35 12 9	0 0 0	25 7 3	
57	Nandgiri Krishna Prize	500 0 0	96 4 0	17 8 0	0 0 0	113 12 0	0 0 0	...	...	113 12 0	
58	The Gajapati Rao Freeship	500 0 0	-1 4 0	26 4 0	0 0 0	25 0 0	0 0 0	15 0 0	0 0 0	10 0 0	
TOTAL		8,000 0 0	199 3 0	577 8 0	0 0 0	776 11 0	0 0 0	644 15 6	0 0 0	131 11 6	



University Scholarships and Prizes	2,36,000	0	0	...	2,608	8	0	2,608	8	0
C. H. College do.	43,950	0	0	2,003 12 1	2,711	4	0	4,715	0	1
R. S. Pathshala do.	5,200	0	0	37 4 0	311	4	0	348	8	0
C. H. C. School do.	8,000	0	0	199 3 0	577	8	0	776	11	0
GRAND TOTAL	2,93,150	0	0	2,240 8 1	6,208	8	0	8,448	11	1
								3,020	15	6
								5,427	11	7

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N. B.—Amounts invested in G. P. notes	Rs.
Do. do. Landed Properties	68,150
Perpetual annuity granted by Hikanir Durbar	1,10,000
	1,20,000
TOTAL	2,98,150

## STATEMENT No. 4.

Of properties forming part of the College, School and Ranbir Pathsala buildings, their hostels and residential quarters of the staff, also the furniture, equipment, library and other moveables appertaining to the said institutions and the stock and materials belonging to the University.

Particulars.	Estimated value.			TOTAL.					
IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. (a) Central Hindu College premises valued at .	3,87,138	2	0						
(b) Staff quarters . . . . .	16,000	0	0						
(c) Residential Houses . . . . .	7,686	0	0						
(d) Stables . . . . .	500	0	0				4,11,324	2	0
2. University Building in Progress, including materials, etc.	...						58,363	17	7
MOVEABLE PROPERTY.									
1. Physical Laboratory :—									
(a) Science apparatus . . . . .	18,817	15	9						
(b) Electric fittings . . . . .	750	0	0						
(c) Gas and Water fittings . . . . .	750	0	0						
(d) Furniture . . . . .	2,365	0	0				22,682	15	9
2. Chemical Laboratory :—									
(a) Apparatus . . . . .	7,000	0	0						
(b) Chemical . . . . .	2,533	14	0						
(c) Minerals . . . . .	350	0	0						
(d) Gas plant and fittings . . . . .	10,000	0	0						
(e) Charts . . . . .	38	4	0						
(f) Water tank and fillings . . . . .	1,165	0	0						
(g) Furniture . . . . .	3,354	8	0				24,411	10	0
3. Biological Laboratory :—									
(a) Apparatus . . . . .	3,419	11	9						
(b) Furniture . . . . .	261	0	0				3,680	14	9
4. C. H. C. Library and Museum :—									
Books and Magazines . . . . .	37,770	7	3						
Museum Exhibits . . . . .	3,147	0	0				40,917	7	3
5. C. H. C. Sporting and Gymnasium . . . . .									
	1,719	8	0				1,719	8	0
6. Furniture, etc., at College, Boarding House, Pathsala, Pro-Vice-Chancellors' Office, etc.									
	18,818	3	3				18,818	3	3
7. Furniture, etc., at Allahabad Office . . . . .									
	906	3	0				906	3	0
8. Book Depot :—									
(a) Books for sale . . . . .	16,419	15	0				16,419	15	0
9. C. H. C. Collegiate School :—									
(a) Science Apparatus . . . . .	2,800	0	0						
(b) Manual Training Apparatus . . . . .	671	3	6						
(c) Books and Magazines . . . . .	864	4	0						
(d) Furniture at School Boarding House, etc. .	10,871	14	0				21,207	5	6
10. Live Stock and Carriage :—									
(a) Horse and Mare . . . . .	200	0	0						
(b) Carriage and Harness . . . . .	344	8	0				544	8	0
TOTAL .				6,21,026	10	1	6,21,026	10	1

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**STATEMENT No. 5.**  
Of properties given for general purposes or specifically given for buildings not included in Statements Nos. 1 to 4 or not forming part of the Provident Fund.

Properties constituting the General Fund of the Benares Hindu University.	Capitalised value or face value in case of G. P. Notes.		Receipts from 1st April 1916 to 30th June 1917.		Particulars of Disbursement.		Amount from 1st April 1916 to 30th June 1917.		REMARKS.
	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.			Rs.	A. P.	
1. Gouripur property (District Mymensingh) charged by Hon'ble Babu Brajendra Kishor Rai Chaudhary, zamindar, with the payment of Rs. 4,000 annually in lieu of one lac promised.	1,00,000	0 0	3,000	0 0	Amount transferred to the recurring expenditure of the Benares Hindu University.		3,000	0 0	
2. Amawan property (district Patna) gifted by Raja Harihar Prasad Narayan Singh, yielding an income of Rs. 2,000 a year.	50,000	0 0	...	...	...		...	...	Arrangements are being made to lease the properties.
3. Aghwar property (district Mirzapur) gifted by Mahant Anand Giri, yielding a perpetual rent of Rs. 1,200.	40,000	0 0	...	...	...		...	...	
4. (a) Share certificate of Newspaper Company, Limited, Allahabad.	1,000	0 0	...	...	...		...	...	Dividend not declared.
(b) Share certificate of Broach Industrial Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ahmedabad.	200	0 0	...	...	...		...	...	In liquidation.
(c) Share certificate of Delhi Cloth and General Mills Company, Limited, Delhi.	250	0 0	22	5 0	Ditto		22	5 0	
5. Perpetual grants by H. H. Sir Jagatjit Singh Bahadur, G.C. S.I., of Kapurthala, Rs. 2,000 a year.	57,142	13 8	2,000	0 0	Ditto		2,000	0 0	
6. Perpetual grants by the Government of India of Rs. 1,00,000 a year.	28,57,142	13 9	1,50,000	0 0	Ditto		1,50,000	0 0	
7. University Mahal at Benares acquired through the Collector of Benares, vide Collector's letter No. VIII 76, dated 5th April 1917.	5,80,561	3 11	2,400	0 0	Ditto		2,400	0 0	
8. Government Promissory Notes of 3½% loan of 1842-43, 1865, 1879, 1896-97, as shown in Statement No. 8, including the amount received for building purposes, as per Statement No. 5-A.	11,37,600	0 0	45,807	11 5	Ditto		45,807	11 5	
9. Cash balance, with the Banks and Offices	65,449	1 0	...	...	...		...	...	
<b>Less—</b>									
(a) Balance carried for the next year account as shown in the Revenue statement, Rs. 2,75,711-6-2.	45,89,346	0 4	2,03,250	0 5	...		2,03,250	0 5	
(b) Amount withdrawn from the Bank of Bengal, Allahabad, Rs. 1,71,173-15-0.	4,44,887	5 2							
<b>TOTAL</b>	41,41,458	11 2							

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**STATEMENT No. 5-A.**  
Of Donations given for Building purposes.

Names of Donors.	Object of Donations.	Amount paid in cash.			REMARKS
		Rs.	A.	P.	
1. Rai Bahadur Lala Ram Charan Das, Allahabad	Amount paid for the construction of a Hostel.	50,000	0	0	
2. Bhately Shiam Behari Lal of Etawah.	For a building to be constructed and the name of his brother Bhately Shiam Sundar be engraved on a stone affixed in the building.	25,000	0	0	
3. Rani Phul Kuwari, widow of Rai Bahadur Chaudhury Ranjit Singh, of Moradabad.	Rooms to be constructed in memory of her husband Rai Bahadur Chaudhuri Ranjit Singh.	6,000	0	0	
4. Soti Krishna Swarup, B.A., LL.B.	A room to be constructed in the name of his mother.	300	0	0	
5. Pandit Prembullabh Bhatt, Naini Tal.	A room to be constructed in memory of his father.	500	0	0	
6. Lala Ramdass of Meerut.	A room to be constructed in his name in one of the Hostels.	1,000	0	0	
7. Lala Kewal Kishen of Azamgarh.	For a well*.	200	0	0	*If this amount be insufficient he promises to pay more.
TOTAL.		83,000	0	0	

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**STATEMENT No. 6.**  
Of Endowment of Provident Fund.

Endowment of Provident Fund.	Amount invested in G. P. Notes and other security.			Amount of Interest.			TOTAL.			REMARKS.
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
1. Amount invested in G. P. Note for Benares Hindu University Provident Fund—										
(a) Note No. 170768 of 1854-55.	25,900	0	0	904	0	0				
(b) Post Office Savings Bank (including interest)	10,807	11	1	...						
2. Balance of Interest carried forward during this year.	...			1,214	4	0				
TOTAL.	36,707	11	1	2,148	4	0	38,855	15	1	

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## STATEMENT No. 7.

Of the amount of Advances outstanding on the 30th June 1917.

Name of person to whom advance is made.	ADVANCE MADE.				ADVANCE RECOVERED.				Balance after each transaction.	Rs. A. P.
	Date.	Purpose.	No. of Voucher.	Amount. Rs. A. P.	TOTAL. Rs. A. P.	Date.	Whether in cash or by bill.	No. of challan or voucher No.	Amount. Rs. A. P.	TOTAL. Rs. A. P.
Pt. Rajnath, Agra.	Balance 26-5-17	For travelling expenses on 1-4-16	825	25 0 0 200 0 0	25 0 0 200 0 0	...	...	...	...	25 0 0 200 0 0
Hon'ble Pt. Madan Mohan Malaviya.	Balance on 1-4-16	Do.	...	200 0 0	200 0 0	1-6-17 16-6-17 30-6-17	Cash Do. Do.	No. 8 Vo. No. 423 No. 433	10 6 0 59 0 0 8 7 0	122 3 0
Dr. I. J. S. Taraporewala, Hd. Master, C. H. C. School.	"	Do.	...	50 0 0	50 0 0	...	...	...	...	50 0 0
Superintendent, C. H. C. Boarding House, Benares.	"	Do.	...	100 0 0	100 0 0	...	...	...	...	100 0 0
Librarian, C. H. C., Benares.	"	Do.	...	200 0 0	200 0 0	...	...	...	...	200 0 0
Hon'ble Pt. Gokarna Nath Mishra.	"	Do.	...	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	...	1 0 0
Pt. Gurdayal Tewary, Raipura.	"	Do.	...	25 0 0	25 0 0	...	...	...	...	25 0 0
Baba Gouri Shanker Prasad.	"	For land acquisition.	...	6,01,000 0 0	6,01,000 0 0	...	...	...	5,80,561 3 11	20,438 12 1
Collector of Benares for land acquisition.	1-9-16 29-9-17 30-6-17	...	273 787 933	54 10 3 4 0 0 83 3 6	54 10 3 4 0 0 83 3 6	...	...	...	...	54 10 3 4 0 0 83 3 6
V. P. Baidya, Esq., Bombay.	Balance on 1-4-16	on 1-4-16	...	125 0 0 75 12 0 2,102 3 11 1,408 14 7	125 0 0 75 12 0 2,102 3 11 1,408 14 7	1-5-16 3-2-17 5-4-16 29-5-17 6-4-16	Cash Do. Do. Do. Do.	Vo. No 86 " 283 " 402 " No. 11	75 0 0 210 12 0 476 4 0 476 4 0 0 14 5	75 0 0 210 12 0 932 8 0 0 14 5
M. Sersajuddin, Benares.	"	Do.	...	3 13 11	3 13 11	...	...	...	...	3 13 11
Mr. P. B. Adhikari, C. H. C.	"	Do.	...	50 0 0	50 0 0	...	...	...	...	50 0 0
People's Bank, Lahore.	"	Do.	...	228 10 10	228 10 10	...	...	...	...	228 10 10
India Specie Bank, Bombay.	"	Do.	...	2,000 0 0	2,000 0 0	...	...	...	...	2,000 0 0
Upper India Bank, Ltd.	"	For preparing religious text-books.	...	200 0 0	200 0 0	...	...	...	...	200 0 0
Religione and Punjab Bank, Ambala.	"	Imprest amount.	...	5,000 0 0	5,000 0 0	...	...	...	...	5,000 0 0
Babu Gokul Chandra, Calcutta.	"	...	...	6,13,578 3 4	6,13,578 3 4	...	...	...	...	6,13,578 3 4
People's Industrial Bank, Fyzabad.	8-12-16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manager, Tara Printing Works, Benares.	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
The Treasurer of the University.	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

\* Permanent advances held by the University Treasurer.

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Dated the 8th August 1917.

## Total Abstract of Capital Account of the Benares Hindu University for the fifteen months, ending 30th June 1917.

Particulars.	CAPITAL ACCOUNT.		REMARKS.
	Amount or value.	Rs. A. P.	
Permanent Reserve Fund as per Statement No. 1	.	50,00,004 0 0	.
Endowments for Chairs	No. 2	2,90,200 0 0	.
Do. for Scholarship, Prizes and Medals as per Statement No. 3	.	2,93,150 0 0	.
Moveable and Immoveable properties including Live and Dead Stock as per Statement No. 4.	.	6,21,026 10 1	.
Properties given for general purpose as per Statement No. 5	.	44,44,459 11 2	.
Provident Fund as per State ment a. 6	.	36,707 11 1	.
Advances as per Statement No. 7	.	31,655 1 8	.
TOTAL	.	1,07,17,202 2 0	.

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## STATEMENT No. S.

Showing the G. P. Notes in the possession of the Benares Hindu University.

Showing the G. P. Notes in the possession of the Bankers.							
No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS.		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS.
			1st Due.	2nd Due.			
CAPITAL ACCOUNT.							
Permanent Reserve Fund.							
		Rs.	30th June	31st December.			
140773	1854/55	50,000	Do.	Do.			
133111	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
121277	Do.	3,000	Do.	Do.			
125371	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
111209	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
137746	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
137740	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
140622	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
139024	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
139025	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
139026	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
139027	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
139028	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
139029	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
139030	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
139031	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
138015	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
138016	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
138038	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
120839	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
121482	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
137384	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
143317	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
143318	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
129085	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
129086	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
125746	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
125747	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
144454	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
144455	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
145358	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
145359	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
145276	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
145277	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
144809	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
141857	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
145534	Do.	11,500	Do.	Do.			
084357	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
084358	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
084359	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
084360	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
129733	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
145223	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
147146	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
146709	Do.	14,500	Do.	Do.			
147078	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
145864	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
147504	Do.	28,600	Do.	Do.			
147468	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
147495	Do.	20,000	Do.	Do.			
148313	Do.	6,000	Do.	Do.			
115195	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
147846	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
148088	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
148089	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
Carried over		8,29,000					

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS.		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS
		Value.	1st Due.			
Capital Account—contd.						
		Rs.				
Brought forward		8,29,000				
148090	1854/55	1,000	30th June	31st December.		
148548	Do.	500	Do.	Do.		
148505	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
148506	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
148507	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
149028	Do.	700	Do.	Do.		
147576	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.		
148619	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.		
148767	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.		
137697	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
135808	Do.	600	Do.	Do.		
148155	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.		
148795	Do.	1,500	Do.	Do.		
117353	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.		
119373	Do.	2,500	Do.	Do.		
149640	Do.	3,000	Do.	Do.		
149667	Do.	15,000	Do.	Do.		
150160	Do.	6,000	Do.	Do.		
150485	Do.	1,500	Do.	Do.		
150635	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.		
150650	Do.	6,000	Do.	Do.		
1	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
2	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
3	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
151401	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
151989	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
151482	Do.	600	Do.	Do.		
152068	Do.	1,05,000	Do.	Do.		
152281	Do.	4,500	Do.	Do.		
152707	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.		
152708	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.		
152711	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
153121	Do.	7,500	Do.	Do.		
154117	Do.	3,300	Do.	Do.		
154511	Do.	1,500	Do.	Do.		
156487	Do.	2,500	Do.	Do.		
157055	Do.	6,000	Do.	Do.		
158391	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
158341	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
120345	Do.	500	Do.	Do.		
120346	Do.	500	Do.	Do.		
141326	Do.	100	Do.	Do.		
116254	Do.	500	Do.	Do.		
125693	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
116965	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
142676	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
148304	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.		
159986	Do.	4,000	Do.	Do.		
154256	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.		
160104	Do.	3,000	Do.	Do.		
161461	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
161823	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.		
166234	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.		
166364	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.		
166565	Do.	12,000	Do.	Do.		
166558	Do.	4,800	Do.	Do.		
166195	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.		
166265	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.		
166995	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.		
166996	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.		
Carried over		11,88,600				



No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS.		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS.
			1st Due.	2nd Due.			
Capital Account—contd.							
Brought forward		Rs. 11,83,600					
166997	1854/55	25,000	30th June	31st December.			
166998	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
168265	Do.	1,00,000	Do.	Do.			
169322	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
157685	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
167533	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
167534	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
165608	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
165755	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
165594	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
170047	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
170048	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
170275	Do.	20,000	Do.	Do.			
017744	Do.	900	Do.	Do.			
018410	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
018654	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
170181	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
171627	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
171592	Do.	2,50,000	Do.	Do.			
145378	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
145181	Do.	50	Do.	Do.			
170771	Do.	700	Do.	Do.			
170770	Do.	30,700	Do.	Do.			
145896	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
		18,71,950	...	...	65,854 4 0		
149599	1900/01	1,000	Do.	Do.			
115964	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
149578	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
150080	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
150202	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
150203	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
150204	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
158582 to 158604	} Do.	5,75,000	Do.	Do.			
159012	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
162355	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
148736	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
148737	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
168317	Do.	6,000	Do.	Do.			
157748 to 157767	} Do.	2,00,000	Do.	Do.			
045379	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
043844	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.			
155991	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
157853	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
158004	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
158005	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
170188	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
170189	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
171950	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
167143	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
173126	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
172659	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
172660	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
61	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
62	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
168604	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
Carried over		9,32,900	...	...			

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS.
			1st Due.	2nd Due.			
Capital Account—contd.							
		Rs.					
Brought forward		9,32,900					
168605	1900/01	1,000	30th June	31st December			
168606	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
168607	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
172863	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
174090	Do.	15,000	Do.	Do.			
180867	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
181166	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
181591	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
152995	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.			
182527	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
182528	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
182529	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
182530	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
182575	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
182705	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
6	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
7	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
8	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
175239	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
185174	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
185206	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
189187	Do.	3,200	Do.	Do.			
183171	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
191991	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
191995	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
191996	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
191997	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
190840	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
190931	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
190932	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
190933	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
190934	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
194550	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
128921	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
200015	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
200016	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
125857	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
206233	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
4	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
5	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
6	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
7	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
8	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
9	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
206240	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
206816	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
206677	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
206678	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
206679	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
189197	Do.	300	Do.	Do.			
206350	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
206351	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
082422	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
211258	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
211259	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
211260	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
211261	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
211269	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
210286	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
065188	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
065213	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
Carried over		15,84,900					

## PART II] THE GAZETTE OF INDIA, DECEMBER 15, 1917.

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS.		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS.
			1st Due.	2nd Due			
Capital Account—concluded.							
Brought forward		Rs. 5,84,900					
051991	1900/01	1,000	30th June	31st December			
051992	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
051993	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
051994	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
051995	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
051996	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
051997	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
051998	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
195518	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
208474	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
21057	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
21707	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
210285	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
		16,63,900			58,091 4 0		
120975	1842/43	25,000	1st August	1st February.			
138458	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
138585	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
135260	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
144691	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.			
146512	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
110275	Do.	500	Do.	Do.	1,867 8 0		
		53,500					
Loan of	1854/55	18,71,950	...	...	65,354 4 0		
Do.	1900/01	16,63,900	...	...	58,091 4 0		
Do.	1842/43	53,500	...	...	1,867 8 0		
		35,89,350	...	...	1,25,313 0 0		

**Special Chairs.**

- (1) The Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandi Bahadur, K.C.I.E., of Cossim Bazar. Amount endowed in Government Promissory Notes for the Manindra Chandra Chair of Ancient Indian History and Culture as specified below :—

173138	1851/55	10,100	30th June	31st December.
169351	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.
175419	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.
172635	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.
203885	1900/1	25,000	Do.	Do.
203886	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.
203887	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.
203888	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.
203889	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.
203890	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.

Rs. . 1,72,000

1,72,000

3,112-2-0

Out of this  
Rs. 1,410-11  
-5 invested  
in G. P.  
Notes for  
Rs. 2,000.

- (2) The Hon'ble Babu Moti Chand Sahab, C.I.E., of Benares. Amount endowed in Government Promissory Notes for the Chair of Chemical Technology as specified below :—

156449	1854/55	1,00,000	1st August	1st February.
145713	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.
018312	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.
018320	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.
017317	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.
124157	Do.	200	Do.	Do.

Rs. . 1,18,200

1,18,200

4,126-8-0

Total Rs. . 2,90,200

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS.		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS.
			1st Due.	2nd Due.			
Scholarships, Prizes and Medals.							
170769	1854/55	Rs. 50,200	30th June	31st December			
116245	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
164851	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
170630	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
147122	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
145182	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
145181	Do.	950	Do.	Do.			
272177	1865	5,000	1st May	1st November			
270618	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
225655	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
236551	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
Total		63,150	...	...	3,087 8 0		
Provident Fund Account.							
170768	1854/55	25,900	30th June	31st December	904 0 0		
Total		25,900					
Building Account.							
128842	1842/43	25,000	1st August	1st February			
131357	Do	10,000	Do.	Do.			
138826	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
140585	Do.	9,000	Do.	Do.			
140978	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
125450	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.			
122985	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
122991	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
Total		83,000	...	...	2,905 0 0		
General Purposes.							
239183	1865	10,000	1st May	1st November			
239182	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
242174	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
242445	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
244640	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
236330	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
243472	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
243473	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
247474	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
152534	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
152535	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
166797	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
166798	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
166799	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
184566	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
248344	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
217532	Do.	4,000	Do.	Do.			
247917	Do.	4,000	Do.	Do.			
248059	Do.	4,000	Do.	Do.			
247491	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
248610	Do.	6,500	Do.	Do.			
248471	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
247198	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
248639	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
Carried over		1,39,200					

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS.		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS.
			1st Due.	2nd Due.			
General Purposes—contd.							
Brought forward		Rs. 1,39,200					
249795	1805	1,500	1st May	1st November			
249913	Do	10,000	Do.	Do.			
249954	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
249955.	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
252289	Do.	3,000	Do.	Do.			
90	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
76	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
191216	Do	2,000	Do.	Do.			
250546	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
252495	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
250975	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
253594	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
253597	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
254057	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
254071	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
254236	Do	1,000	Do.	Do.			
254336	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
257332	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
3	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
4	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
5	Do	1,000	Do	Do.			
244951	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
241501	Do	500	Do.	Do.			
244588	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
9	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
90	Do	1,099	Do.	Do.			
1	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
252917	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
258549	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do			
199106	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
199230	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
235812	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
224624	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
260254	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
260255	Do	1,000	Do	Do.			
262158	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
163047	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
163048	Do.	500	Do.	Do			
242548	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
211442	Do	1,000	Do	Do			
211443	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
210700	Do.	1,500	Do	Do.			
263885	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
263886	Do	25,000	Do.	Do			
263887	Do	10,000	Do.	Do			
263888	Do.	7,000	Do.	Do			
263883	Do	10,000	Do.	Do.			
263889	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
263884	Do	4,500	Do.	Do.			
221333	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
277379	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
276866	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
276509	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
278325	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
278196	Do.	4,000	Do.	Do.			
278019	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
278020	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
273383	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
273384	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
Carried over		4,66,300					

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATE OF INSTALMENTS		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS
			1st Due	2nd Due			
General Purposes—contd.							
		Rs.					
Brought forward		4,66,300					
273193	1865	25,000	1st May	1st November			
277812	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
277972	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
277973	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
276952	Do.	400	Do.	Do.			
273924	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
273925	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
273926	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
273710	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
277772	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
277773	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
278002	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
278003	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
278805	Do.	900	Do.	Do.			
278030	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
272308	Do.	400	Do.	Do.			
245638	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
024956	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
243141	Do.	4,000	Do.	Do.			
276391	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
267501	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
276976	Do.	900	Do.	Do.			
276912	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
273571	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
273735	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
273120	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
262393	Do.	25,000	Do.	Do.			
276125	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
213903	Do.	2,68,600	Do.	Do.			
Total		9,83,900			40,279 14 5		
023665	1879	100	15th July	15th January			
023943	Do.	1,200	Do.	Do.			
011026	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
022187	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
021008	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
025158	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.			
Total		10,100			352 8 0		
069557	1896-97	100	29th June	30th December			
069569	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
069570	Do.	200	Do.	Do.			
040393	Do.	1,000	Do	Do.			
Total		1,500			208 13 0		Rs. 164-9-0 last year's due, cre- dited dur- ing this, by the Bank.

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains.	Value.	DATES OF INSTALMENTS.		Amount of Interest.	Object of Investment.	REMARKS.
			1st Due.	2nd Due			
General Purposes—concl'd.							
		Rs.	1st August	1st February.			
140575	1842/43	10,000	Do.	Do.			
111087	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
143234	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
143235	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
135060	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
121589	Do.	100	Do.	Do.			
14992	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
101078	Do.	500	Do.	Do.			
154493	Do.	10,000	Do.	Do.			
122992	Do.	1,000	Do.	Do.			
157908	Do.	5,000	Do.	Do.			
157942	Do.	2,000	Do.	Do.	2,061 8 0		
	Total	59,100					
Loans of	1865	9,83,900			40,279 14 5		
Do.	1879	10,100			352 8 0		
Do.	1896/97	1,500			208 13 0		
Do.	1842/43	59,100			2,061 8 0		
	Total	10,54,600			42,902 11 5		

### Total Abstract of Government Promissory Notes.

			Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Government Promissory Notes for Permanent Reserve Fund, <i>vide</i> pages No. 55 to 58 .		85,89,350	0	0
2.	Ditto for Special Chairs, <i>vide</i> page No. 58 .		2,90,200	0	0
3.	Ditto for Scholarships, prizes and medals, <i>vide</i> page No. 59 .		63,150	0	0
4.	Ditto for Provident Fund, prizes and medals, <i>vide</i> page No. 59		25,900	0	0
5.	Ditto for Building Account, prizes and medals, <i>vide</i> page No. 59		83,000	0	0
6.	Ditto for General Purposes, prizes and medals, <i>vide</i> pages No. 59 to 61 .		10,54,600	0	0
	<b>Total</b>		<b>51,06,200</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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BANK OF BENGAL,  
 Benares, 5th September 1917.  
 No. 5641/81.

THE VICE-CHANCELLOR,  
 BENARES HINDU UNIVERSITY,  
 Allahabad.

I hereby certify that the balance of Securities and Debentures standing at the credit of the account of The Benares Hindu University with the Bank of Bengal, Benares, at the close of business on the 30th June, 1917 was Rs. 4,51,100 (Rupees four lacs fifty-one thousand one hundred only).

Account Benares Hindu University . . . . .	Rs.
" " " Provident Fund . . . . .	3,44,300
" " " Scholarships . . . . .	25,900
" " " Ranavira Sanskrit Pathshala . . . . .	50,200
	30,700
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,51,100</b>

Yours faithfully.

(Sd.)

Agent.

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BANK OF BENGAL,  
Allahabad, 8th September 1917.  
No. 50/9054.

THE VICE-CHANCELLOR,  
BENARES HINDU UNIVERSITY,  
Allahabad.

DEAR SIR,

With reference to your letter No. 1636 of the 7th instant, I beg to inform you that the following securities were held by the Bank in safe custody on your account on the 30th June last.

	Rs.
3½ per cent. G. P. Notes . . . . .	45,14,600
3 " " " " . . . . .	1,500
4 " " Bombay Municipal Debentures 1890-1900 . . . . .	1,500
4 " " Bombay Port Trust Debentures 1914 . . . . .	2,000
Total . . . . .	48,19,000

Account Manindra Chandra Chair.

3½ " " G. P. Notes . . . . .	1,72,000
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Yours faithfully,  
(Sd.) G. B. PINDER,  
Agent.

STATEMENT No. 9.  
Of Municipal and Port Trust and other Debentures.

No. of securities.	Year to which the loan appertains or when repayable.	Value.	Dates of Instalments.	Amount of Interest realised.	Object of Investment	REMARKS.
4% Bombay Municipal Debentures.						
5848	1902	500	1st May, 1st Nov.		Permanent Reserve Fund.	
00048	1908	500	" "			
511,597,786	1949	1,500	" "			
224,225	1949	2,000	" "			
00037 to 40	1949	2,000	" "			
00384	Repayable on 1-5-20	500	" "			
00162	1909	500	1st June, 1st Dec.			
00574, 00948	Repayable on 1-6-1940	2,000	" "			
2951	1914	1,000	1st April, 1st Oct.			
2952	1914	1,000	" "			
253 to 257	1934	2,500	1st Feb, 1st Aug.			
4493	1905	500	" "			
1515	1903	500	1st July, 1st Jan.			
531 to 537	1903	7,000	" "			
4556	1903	500	" "			
2094 to 2100	1904	7,000	" "			
3404	1904	500	" "			
5% Bombay Municipal Debentures.						
14,162-72	1933	6,000				
10163	1933	500				
Total		36,500		1,909 3 0		

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Accountant	Officer-in-charge.	Auditor.	Vice-Chancellor.



STATEMENT No. 10.  
Of the amount of Perpetual Annuities granted by the Government of India and Indian States.

Name of Donor.	Number and date of the letter of Authority.	Capitalized value of the Perpetual Grants calculated at 3 per cent.		Perpetual grants per annum.		PAYMENT RECEIVED.		REMARKS.
						Date.	Amount.	
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
1. The Government of India grant of one lac a year.	Government of India, Department of Education letter No. 2002, dated the 31st December 1915.	28,57,142	13 9	1,00,000	0 0	...	1,50,000 0 0	
2. His Highness Raj Rajeshwar Maharajadhiraja Shri Sumner Singhji Bahadur of Jodhpur.	Finance Member of Council letter No. 277/J. D.-31, dated the 7th February 1913, forwarding copy of proceeding of the Meeting of Council of Regency Marwari State, dated the 4th February 1913.	6,85,714	4 6½	24,000	0 0	...	...	For a chair of Technology to be called Jodhpur-Hard in ge-Chair and annuity accepted by the Government, <i>vide</i> Education D.O. No. 40, dated 2-2-1911.
3. Major-General His Highness Maharaja Sir Partab Singhji Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., of Kashmir.	Chief Minister's Office letter No. 5602/G. 37-11, dated the 14th October 1912.	3,42,557	2 3½	12,000	0 0	8-8-1916	12,000 0 0	Rs. 12,000 yearly, less Rs. 4,200 earmarked for scholarship.
4. Colonel H. H. Raj Rajeshwar Narendra Shrimoni Shri Maharajadhiraj Sir Ganga Singh Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., LL.D., A.-D.-C. of Bikaner.	Office of the Home Member of Council of Bikaner State D. O. No. 250, dated the 25th September, 1913, forwarding the terms.	3,42,557	2 3½	12,000	0 0	"	...	
5. H. H. Raj Rana Sir Bhawani Singh Bahadur, K.C.S.I., of Jhalwar.	Foreign Member letter No. 67/1916, dated the 17th January 1916.	28,571	6 10½	1,000	0 0	1-2-1917	1,000 0 0	
6. H. H. Sir Jagatjit Singh Bahadur, G.C.S.I., of Kapurthala.	His letter, dated the 25th January 1915, addressed to the Maharaja of Darbhanga.	57,142	13 8	2,000	0 0	5-6-1917	2,000 0 0	
	Total.	13,14,285	11 5	1,51,000	0 0		1,65,000 0 0	

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Vice-Chancellor.

## STATEMENT No. 11.

Of the amount of Annuities granted by the Ruling Chiefs for a limited number of years.

Name of Donor.	Number and date of the letter of Authority.	Capitalized value of the annuity for the period promised.	PAYMENT RECEIVED.		Balance, if any due up to 30th June 1917.	REMARKS.
			Date.	Amount.		
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1. H. H. Maharawal Shri Sir Bijoy Singhji Sahab, K.C.I.E., of Dongerpur.	Diwan's Office letter No. XI/861. dated the 20th June 1917.	10,000 0 0	19-6-1917	3,000 0 0	7,000 0 0	Rs. 1,000 per annum for 10 years.
2. Major-General H. H. Maharaja Sri Sir Krishnaraja Wadivar Bahadur, G.C.I.E., of Mysore.	Order No. F. L. 56-3-5/G.F. 203-15-3, Bangalore, dated the 29th April 1916.	1,20,000 0 0	19-6-1916	12,000 0 0	1,08,000 0 0	Rs. 12,000 per annum for 10 years.
3. H. H. Sawai Maharaja Sir Jai Singhji Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., of Alwar.	Announced in the meeting, held on 7th February 1915 at the time of the foundation-laying ceremony.	60,000 0 0	...	...	60,000 0 0	Rs. 12,000 per annum for five years.
TOTAL		1,90,000 0 0	...	15,000 0 0	1,75,000 0 0	

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## STATEMENT No. 12.

Abstract statement showing the total amount of Donations, promised and paid, excluding Perpetual Annuities granted by Ruling Chiefs.

Description.	Amount promised.			Amount paid.			Balance.			REMARKS.
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Total of District Donations as per Statement No. 12A.	82,35,093	8	8½	48,01,688	4	6½	34,33,410	4	2	
Total of Annuities for a limited period as per Statement No. 11.	1,90,000	0	0	15,000	0	0	1,75,000	0	0	
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>84,25,093</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8½</b>	<b>48,16,688</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6½</b>	<b>36,08,410</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	

## STATEMENT No. 12A.

Statement showing the total amount of Donations, promised and paid, to the Benares Hindu University up till 30th June 1917.

Serial number.	District or Station.	Amount promised.			Amount paid.			Balance.			Percentage of collection.
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
1	Agra	60,510	13	7	14,579	13	5	45,931	0	2	23
2	Ajmer	40,480	1	3	15,654	7	3	24,825	10	0	38
3	Aligarh	2,129	6	0	1,679	6	0	450	0	0	76
4	Allahabad	3,39,155	1	4½	2,01,127	2	10½	1,38,027	14	6	59
5	Alwar	2,25,000	0	0	2,02,250	0	0	22,750	0	0	89
6	Ambala	19,138	8	0	3,811	8	0	15,327	0	0	19
7	Amritsar	60,254	2	9	13,812	0	9	46,442	2	0	22
8	Amroha	6,999	15	9	3,010	4	6	3,989	11	3	43
9	Azamgarh	4,248	4	3	4,248	4	3	...			100
10	Bahraich	33,891	4	0	16,318	12	0	17,562	8	0	48
11	Ballia	351	4	0	351	4	0	...			100
12	Banda	82	0	0	82	0	0	...			100
13	Bankhera	21	0	0	21	0	0	...			100
14	Bankipur	50,552	4	6	25,813	4	6	24,739	0	0	51
15	Barabanki	866	8	0	866	8	0	...			100
16	Baregaon	85	7	0	85	7	0	...			100
17	Bareilly	86,585	14	9	37,911	1	9	48,674	13	0	43
18	Baroda	1,01,500	0	0	1,01,500	0	0	...			100
19	Basti	503	14	0	503	14	0	...			100
20	Benares	1,86,799	4	0	1,41,621	5	8	45,177	14	4	75
21	Bhagalpore	2,19,751	8	4½	70,350	12	4½	1,49,400	12	0	31
22	Bijnor	363	2	0	363	2	0	...			100
23	Bikaner	1,27,694	0	0	1,26,296	0	0	1,398	0	0	98
24	Bilaspur	1,123	0	0	1,123	0	0	...			100
25	Bombay	2,88,920	12	1	56,363	12	1	2,32,557	0	0	19
26	Budaun	5,722	12	0	1,694	12	0	4,028	0	0	28
27	Bulandshahar	537	0	0	537	0	0	...			100
28	Burmah	3,800	0	0	3,500	0	0	300	0	0	92
29	Calcutta	11,78,846	4	3	8,26,966	4	3	3,51,880	0	0	70
30	Cawnpore	1,37,569	0	3	67,352	3	6	70,216	12	9	48
31	Chandausi	10,598	0	0	6,427	0	0	4,171	0	0	60
32	Chapra	19,949	5	9	748	12	9	19,200	9	0	3
33	Darbhanga	5,50,210	5	0	4,39,146	7	0	1,11,063	14	0	79
34	Dattia	10,000	0	0	2,000	0	0	8,000	0	0	20
35	Dehra Dun	29,915	7	0	23,737	15	0	6,177	8	0	79
36	Pelhi	6,683	3	6	6,183	3	6	500	0	0	92
37	Dholepur	5,000	0	0	...			5,000	0	0	
Carried over		47,84,822	15	2	28,42,860	5	5	19,41,962	9	9	

Serial num- ber.	District of Station.	Amount promised			Amount paid.			Balance.			Percentage of collec- tion.
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
	Brought forward .	47,84,822	15	2	28,12,860	5	5	19,41,962	9	9	
38	Dongerpur .	10,000	0	0				10,000	0	0	79
39	Etawah .	1,15,230	8	0	91,248	5	0	23,982	3	0	100
40	Fatehgarh .	146	0	0	146	0	0				40
41	Fyzabad .	98,355	15	6	39,456	11	9	58,899	3	9	100
42	Garhwal .	135	0	0	135	0	0				20
43	Gwalior .	5,01,420	0	0	1,01,120	0	0	4,00,300	0	0	48
44	Gaya .	24,043	0	0	11,628	0	0	12,415	0	0	100
45	Ghazipur .	1	0	0	1	0	0	...			100
46	Gidhaur .	15,000	0	0	15,000	0	0	...			92
47	Gonda .	1,35,855	0	0	1,25,563	0	0	10,292	0	0	58
48	Gorakhpur .	68,572	10	3	40,289	8	3	28,283	2	0	100
49	Gurudaspur .	235	0	0	235	0	0	...			100
50	Guzerat .	5	0	0	5	0	0	...			100
51	Hamirpur .	138	7	0	138	7	0	...			1
52	Hardoi .	16,162	0	0	307	0	0	15,855	0	0	100
53	Hathras .	5,100	0	0	5,100	0	0	...			92
54	Indore .	5,51,917	2	0	5,09,917	0	0	42,000	2	0	40
55	Jaipur .	5,00,060	0	0	2,00,010	0	0	3,00,050	0	0	27
56	Jaunpur .	11,387	8	0	3,123	0	0	8,264	8	0	100
57	Jhansi .	56	0	0	56	0	0	...			89
58	Jodhpur .	2,44,853	10	3	2,19,017	1	9	25,836	8	6	100
59	Kalka .	53	0	0	53	0	0	...			...
60	Kanauj .	1,275	0	0	...			1,275	0	0	97
61	Kapurthala .	4,325	4	0	4,225	4	0	100	0	0	28
62	Kashmir .	19,680	9	0	5,541	15	0	14,138	10	0	61
63	Kheri .	57,733	1	0	35,449	9	3	22,283	7	9	47
64	Khurja .	2,171	8	0	1,095	14	0	1,075	10	0	20
65	Kishengarh .	50,000	0	0	10,000	0	0	40,000	0	0	100
66	Kotah .	1,00,156	3	3	1,00,156	3	3	...			13
67	Lahore .	97,712	10	0	13,276	13	0	84,435	13	0	60
68	Lucknow .	1,80,984	2	0	1,09,985	12	11	70,998	5	1	23
69	Madras .	82,115	1	0	19,165	1	0	62,950	0	0	21
70	Malda .	3,765	0	0	824	0	0	2,941	0	0	39
71	Meerut .	1,20,946	12	0	48,064	3	9	72,882	8	3	73
72	Mirzapur .	67,255	5	3	53,156	8	3	14,098	13	0	45
73	Moradabad .	1,38,864	0	7½	63,813	8	7½	75,050	8	0	45
74	Muzaffarnagar .	29,918	0	0	13,728	0	0	16,190	0	0	12
75	Muzaffarpur .	63,860	14	6	8,191	9	2	55,669	5	4	20
76	Mysore .	2,00,000	0	0	40,000	0	0	1,60,000	0	0	100
77	Nabha .	1,00,000	0	0	1,00,000	0	0	...			28
78	Nahan .	3,542	14	3	1,029	14	0	2,513	0	3	15
79	Nainital .	47,540	0	9	7,301	12	9	40,238	4	0	100
80	Nagpur .	63	0	0	63	0	0	...			25
81	Pertabgarh .	460	0	0	100	0	0	360	0	0	17
82	Rai Bareli .	226,074	9	3	39,183	12	0	1,86,890	13	3	19
83	Rawalpindi .	13,477	0	0	2,629	0	0	10,848	0	0	54
84	Saharanpur .	26,047	2	6	14,167	7	6	11,879	11	0	100
85	Sahwal .	225	0	0	225	0	0	...			62
86	Saugor .	9,309	0	0	5,865	11	6	3,443	4	6	5
87	Sahahjahanpur .	14,752	8	0	894	8	0	13,858	0	0	84
88	Sikandrabad .	3,875	10	0	3,276	7	0	599	3	0	86
89	Simla .	7,255	0	0	6,255	0	0	1,000	0	0	73
90	Sitapur .	1,77,493	8	2	1,30,759	5	8	46,734	2	6	96
91	Sultanpur .	5,201	5	0	5,001	5	0	200	0	0	100
92	Surat .	1,000	0	0	1,000	0	0	...			100
93	Udaipur .	1,51,240	0	0	1,51,240	0	0	...			20
94	Unao .	95,805	14	6	20,117	13	6	75,688	1	0	32
95	Miscellaneous .	16,416	15	3	5,316	15	3	11,100	0	0	58
	TOTAL .	82,35,098	8	8½	48,01,688	4	6½	34,33,410	4	2	

B. P. MUKHERJEE,  
Accountant.B. M. MEHROTRA,  
Officer-in-charge.MAHADEO PRASAD ACHARYA,  
Auditor.SUNDARLAL,  
Vice-Chancellor.

## DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th December 1917.

## RESERVE.

RESERVE.															
TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.				COIN AND BULLION.				SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).				REMARKS.			
In Reserve Treasuries.		Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	In India.		In England.		In His Majesty's Dominions.		In Transit between India, England and H. M.'s Dominions.			Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12				
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta .	1,39,58,000	94,40,90,398	35,80,48,993	7,62,15,410	9,84,87,535	43,87,838	1,42,51,000	35,33,353	52,77,000	...	9,99,99,946	51,47,94,607	81,68,95,679	(a) Nominal value— ₹10,20,81,500.	
Cannore .	...	2,97,70,410	2,97,70,410	1,87,41,782	58,83,252	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,41,25,084	(b) Nominal value— ₹188,08,91,571.	
Lahore .	...	7,42,52,945	7,42,52,945	1,00,82,597	21,92,138	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,22,74,435	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Act XIX of 1917 at a cost of ₹42 crores.	
Bombay .	78,12,655	49,24,85,656	44,02,98,811	5,32,05,265	13,40,18,382	11,93,319	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,84,16,966		
Karachi .	...	3,92,09,035	3,92,09,035	60,21,165	26,32,568	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86,53,733		
Madras .	15,47,010	12,14,55,591	12,30,02,601	3,59,00,122	51,75,045	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,10,75,167		
Rangoon .	...	6,10,30,185	6,10,30,185	2,38,01,466	48,65,820	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,81,67,286		
	2,33,17,665	1,10,22,93,630	1,12,56,11,285	22,34,67,507	25,37,54,730	55,31,157	1,42,50,000	35,83,853	52,77,000	...	9,99,99,946	51,47,94,607	1,11,96,08,370		
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue . . . . .														4,00,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION H . . . . .														1,11,92,08,370	
Deduct—Amount due on T. Ts. drawn by one Circle on another . . . . .														4,00,000	
TOTAL RESERVE H . . . . .														1,11,92,08,370	

There was no transfer between the Paper Currency Reserve and the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th December 1917.  
There was no gold in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve on the 7th December 1917.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,  
Controller of Currency.

**BANK OF BENGAL.**

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 10th December 1917.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up . . . . .	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government Securities . . . . .	6,37,81,784	0 0
Reserve Fund <sup>Rs. A. P.</sup> 2,17,50,000 0 0			Other authorized Investments . . . . .	1,35,66,940	0 0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, <i>see below</i> . . . . . 67,50,000 0 0			Loans on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	5,00,59,586	15 0
	1,50,00,000	0 0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	4,88,62,732	0 7
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments . . . . . 67,50,000 0 0			Bills discounted and purchased . . . . .	3,54,49,961	4 8
Public Deposits at Head Office 2,13,01,260 9 11			Balances with other Banks . . . . .	58,89,633	3 8
Public Deposits at Branches 1,51,54,570 0 6	3,64,55,830	10 5	Bullion . . . . .	.. ..	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . . . . 30,40,37,723 10 8			Dead Stock . . . . .	28,88,795	3 3
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . . . 14,97,801 14 0			Stamps . . . . .	12,577	0 2
Sundries . . . . . 17,18,483 15 2			Sundries . . . . .	3,71,236	14 6
<b>RUPES</b> . . . . . <b>38,54,59,840 2 3</b>			<b>Rs. A. P.</b> <b>22,08,83,196 10 7</b>		
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* 11,39,72,596 3 10	16,45,76,643	7 8
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† 5,06,04,047 3 10		
			<b>RUPES</b> . . . . . <b>38,54,59,840 2 3</b>		

\* Includes Sovs. &amp; ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,78,247 8 0

† Do. do. do. .. 5,79,547 8 0

Rs. 9,57,795 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; }  
 Calcutta, 13th December 1917.

H. MITCHELL,  
 Chief Accountant.  
 Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.  
 Percentage 47·88.

N. H. Y. WARREN,  
 Secretary & Treasurer.

**BANK OF BENGAL.****NOTICES.**

Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.

No. B-574.—The Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment :—

Mr. E. J. Lapsley on return from special duty to resume charge of Clive Street Branch as from 1st December 1917.

Mr. M. G. Stuart on return from short leave to resume charge of Burra Bazar Branch as from 30th November 1917.

By order of the Directors,

N. H. Y. WARREN,  
 Secretary & Treasurer.

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**NOTICE.****DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.****INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.****Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.**

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

**G. F. ADAMS,**Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.

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**ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.****NOTIFICATION.****FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.****Bombay, the 5th December 1917.**

**No. 38.**—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India on Medical Certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names.

Temporary Lieutenant W. J. Singleton, R.I.M., 6 months with effect from 1st December 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant A. Polson, R.I.M., 12 months with effect from 4th December 1917.

**B. H. JONES,**

for Offg. Director, Royal Indian Marine.

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**STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD  
FROM 1ST DECEMBER TO 7TH DECEMBER 1917.**

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.																		
NAME OF MINTS.	RECEIPTS.			COINAGE.				BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.						COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.		SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS GOVERNMENT.		
	Pur- chased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasures, etc.	Native State coins.	TOTAL.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasures or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	TOTAL.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Govern- ment Bullion.	With- drawn and un- current coins.	TOTAL.	Receipt of Bullion for transfer- red from currency balance.	Pur- chased and paid over.	Closing balance of Bul- lion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta . . .	32	2	...	34	30	..	36	...	(a) 67	1	6	74	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay . . .	10	...	...	10	17	...	17	...	(b) 25	6	4	35	-	2	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 87 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

(b) Exclusive of 14 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;

Calcutta, the December 1917.

A. MCCORMICK, Lt.-COLONEL, R.E.,

Master of the Mint.



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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL  
IN CENTRAL INDIA.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Central India Agency, Indore, the 5th December 1917.

**No. 5420-B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Wild Birds and Animals Protection Act, 1912 (VIII of 1912), as applied to railway lands in Central India by Notification No. 262-I. B., dated the 10th February 1913, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India is pleased to declare that the period from the 1st April to the 30th September shall be a close time throughout the said lands for the following kinds of wild birds, namely :—

Bustards, florican, jungle fowl, partridges, quails, sandgrouse, spur fowl, herons, egrets rollers and kingfishers.

The 11th December 1917.

**No. 3669-D.**—The following temporary promotions are hereby made in the Malwa Bhil Corps, with effect from the 1st December 1917 :—

Jemadar Parsansing to be Subedar *vice* temporary Subedar Mania resigned.

Jemadar Roomal to be Subedar.

Havildar Bhilia to be Jemadar *vice* Jemadar Parsansing.

Havildar Gobria to be Jemadar *vice* Jemadar Roomal.

Havildar Phoolji to be Jemadar.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the  
Governor-General in Central India.

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**THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH  
BALUCHISTAN.**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Quetta, the 4th December 1917.

**No. 3417-R.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24, sub-section (1), of the Exoise Regulation, 1915 (I of 1915), the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to direct that, on and from the 1st April 1918, the duties imposed by his Notification No. 253-R., dated the 25th January 1916, on charas or any preparation or admixture thereof imported into British Baluchistan from another province of British India, or from Foreign territory, shall be raised from Rs. 14 and Rs. 28 to Rs. 18 and Rs. 36 per seer respectively.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH, Major,  
Secretary.

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**CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Delhi, the 6th December 1917.

**No. 10219-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him in this behalf the Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that any order passed by the Collector in the Delhi Province, under the Mining Rules published with the Resolution of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7552—7581-121, dated the 15th September 1913, as subsequently amended, shall be subject to one appeal only which will lie to the Chief Commissioner of Delhi.

The 8th December 1917.

**No. 10269-C. & I.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3(e) of the Indian Factories Act (XII of 1911), the Chief Commissioner hereby extends the provisions of the said Act to the whole of the premises of the undertaking known as the Imperial Oil and General Mills including the foundry, situated in the city of Delhi.

The 11th December 1917.

No. 10334-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 30th November 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.
	Srs. Chts.		Srs. Chts.
Wheat, white . . . . .	8 10	Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked) . . . . .	11 8
Barley . . . . .	11 12	Maize . . . . .	13 0
Rice { Best sort . . . . .	3 0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál) . . . . .	11 0
{ Common sort . . . . .	6 0	Firewood . . . . .	35 40
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum) . . . . .	11 0	Salt { Wholesale . . . . .	...
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum). De- crease is due to heavy rain.	9 12	{ Retail . . . . .	8 2
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana) . . . . .	...	Gur . . . . .	6 0
Kangni (Setaria Italica) . . . . .	...	Cotton (unginned) . . . . .	3 8
		Bejhar . . . . .	11 12

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 30th November 1917. (Vide paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82½ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
Rice, unhusked . . . . .	...	Cotton seed . . . . .	3 13 0
„ husked . . . . .	6 4 0	Ghi . . . . .	63 0 0
Wheat, white . . . . .	4 10 0	Flour (Wheat) . . . . .	5 6 0
Barley . . . . .	3 4 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry) . . . . .	8 0 0
Oats . . . . .	...	Turmeric (unground) . . . . .	21 0 0
Jowar . . . . .	3 8 0	Salt Sambhar . . . . .	4 15 9
Bajra. Increase is due to heavy rain . . . . .	3 15 6	Raw Hides (Cow) . . . . .	90 0 0
Maize . . . . .	3 0 0	Bran . . . . .	1 12 0
Gram . . . . .	3 5 0	Grass (dry) . . . . .	1 4 0
Arhar Dál . . . . .	3 8 0	Bhusa (white) . . . . .	1 10 0
Linseed . . . . .	5 8 0	Jowar Stalks . . . . .	1 8 6
Rapeseed (Sarshaf) . . . . .	5 4 0	Bengal Coal . . . . .	0 12 0
Poppy-seed . . . . .	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand). Victoria brand	2 9 3
Til (jinjili seed) . . . . .	7 8 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair . . . . .	250 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur . . . . .	6 8 0	Sheep, per score . . . . .	80 0 0
Cotton (cleaned) . . . . .	37 8 0	Bejhar . . . . .	3 4 0

**No. 10336-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 1st December 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.								Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum	
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.			Total.
	Delhi .	225,471	144	141	285	86	87	173	..	..	..	58	9	71	..	85	..	24	24	48	65.73	39.90
	Notified Area	3,678	8	...	8	1	...	1	..	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	.	1	...	...
	Total	229,144	147	141	288	87	87	174	...	...	...	59	9	71	...	85	...	25	24	49	65.35	39.44

**No. 10337-Home.**—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half-month ending the 30th November 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half month.	Total in present half month.	Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
P. S. Alipur . . . . .	72	78	..	..	..	43	1	26	..	..	3	1	16	11	27	
Nangloi . . . . .	70	52	..	..	..	36	1	21	..	..	..	..	14	8	22	
Najafgarh . . . . .	81	152	..	..	..	102	..	47	..	..	3	1	22	21	43	
Subsimundi . . . . .	3	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	
Paharganj . . . . .	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	
Mehrauli . . . . .	64	56	..	..	..	27	2	25	..	..	2	..	6	7	13	
Raisina . . . . .	4	28	..	..	..	20	..	8	..	..	..	..	4	5	9	
Shahdara . . . . .	25	20	..	1	..	9	1	8	1	..	..	..	4	4	8	
New Cantonment . . . . .	29	33	..	..	..	17	3	13	..	..	..	..	5	5	10	
Total of the District . . . . .	348	410	..	1	..	253	8	148	1	..	8	2	74	63	136	

W. M. HAILEY,

Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND  
CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

Quetta, the 29th November 1917.

**No. 3550.**—It is hereby notified that the holidays to be observed in the Public offices in Baluchistan Agency territories and British Baluchistan during 1918 which are specified in the schedule below, are public holidays within the meaning of section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act XXVI of 1881.

2. The holidays specified in the schedule should be given to all Government servants subject to the single condition that it is open to the head of an office to stop a holiday in the case of any person guilty of idleness or inattention to duty unless the day in question is deemed especially sacred by the members of the religion which the offender professes.

3. Holidays may be granted by heads of offices on the following festivals not specified in the schedule to members of the communities which hold them sacred provided that the punctual despatch of public business will not be impeded thereby :—

- Sikhs.*
1. Guru Nanak's Birthday . . . . . Monday, 18th November 1918.
  2. Gurm Golind Singh's Birthday . . . . . Saturday, 19th January 1918.
- Parsees.*
1. Navroz . . . . . Tuesday, 10th September 1918.
  2. Pateti . . . . . Wednesday 11th September 1918.
- Muhammadans.*
1. Akhri Chahar Shamba . . . . . Wednesday, 4th December 1918.
  2. Juma-ul-Wida . . . . . Friday, 5th July 1918.

4. Local holidays for the Annual Horse Fairs and holiday on the last Saturday of the month may be granted at the discretion of the heads of offices subject to the condition that there are no arrears of work.

**SCHEDULE.**

*List of Holidays for Public Offices, during the year 1918.*

Names of holidays.	Dates on which they fall.	Day or days of the week.	No of days.	REMARKS.
<i>Genral holidays.</i>				
All Sundays . . . . .	...	...	52	
Proclamation Day . . . . .	1st January . . . . .	Tuesday . . . . .	1	
King Emperor's Birthday* . . . . .	...	...	1	
<i>Christian holidays.</i>				
Good Friday . . . . .	29th March . . . . .	Friday . . . . .	1	
Saturday before Easter . . . . .	30th March . . . . .	Saturday . . . . .	1	
Easter Monday . . . . .	1st April . . . . .	Monday . . . . .	1	
Christmas Vacation . . . . .	24th to 31st Dec.	Tuesday to Tuesday . . . . .	7	Excluding Sunday.
<i>Hindu holidays.</i>				
Basant Panchami . . . . .	15th February . . . . .	Friday . . . . .	1	
Sheoratri . . . . .	11th March . . . . .	Monday . . . . .	1	
Holi . . . . .	27th March . . . . .	Wednesday . . . . .	1	
Baisakhi . . . . .	13th April . . . . .	Saturday . . . . .	1	
Solono . . . . .	22nd August . . . . .	Thursday . . . . .	1	
Janam Ashtami . . . . .	29th August . . . . .	Thursday . . . . .	1	
Dussehra . . . . .	11th to 14th Octr.	Friday to Monday . . . . .	3	Excluding Sunday.
Dewali . . . . .	2nd November . . . . .	Saturday . . . . .	1	
<i>Muhammadan holidays.</i>				
Shab-i-Barat . . . . .	25th May . . . . .	Saturday . . . . .	1	} †Subject to the appearance of the Moon.
Id-ul-Fitar† . . . . .	11th and 12th July . . . . .	Thursday and Friday . . . . .	2	
Id-ul-Zuhar† . . . . .	17th and 18th Sept.	Tuesday and Wednesday . . . . .	2	
Muharram . . . . .	14th to 16th Oct.	Monday to Wednesday . . . . .	3	
Barawafat . . . . .	17th December . . . . .	Tuesday . . . . .	1	

\* NOTE.—The day fixed for the celebration of the King Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately hereafter.

The 5th December 1917.

**No. 3643.**—Mr. J. G. Acheson, I.C.S., (United Provinces) took over charge of the office of the Cantonment Magistrate, Quetta, from Mr. C. H. Gidney, I.C.S., (United Provinces) on the afternoon of the 28th November 1917.

The 6th December 1917.

**No. 3672.**—The Reverend F. R. Gillospy is appointed Assistant Chaplain of Quetta, with effect from the 16th October 1917.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

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## MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 12th December 1917.

**No. 476-G.-Camp.**—Mr. A. G. N. Clark, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), attached to the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Bombay, reverted to his substantive appointment in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 10th November 1917 (afternoon).

**No. 477-G.-Camp.**—Mr. H. Hardingham, Accountant, 1st grade, Office of the Accountant General, Burma, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the Military Accounts Department, with effect from the 10th November 1917 (afternoon), *vice* Mr. A. G. N. Clark, reverted.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,

Military Accountant-General.

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## GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB.

### NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1917.

**No. 22286.**—It is hereby notified that the holidays to be observed in public offices under the Punjab Government during the year 1918, which are specified in the schedule hereto annexed, are public holidays within the meaning of section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. These holidays should be given to all Government servants, subject to the single condition that it should be open to the head of an office to stop a holiday notified under the Act in the case of any individual guilty of idleness or inattention to duty, unless the day in question is deemed specially sacred by the members of the religion which the offender professes.

2. In addition to the holidays specified in the schedule all Government offices will be closed from Saturday the 28th to Monday the 30th December 1918.

Local holidays will be given on—

Guru Gobind Singh's birthday, Saturday, 19th January 1918.

Hola Mohalla, Thursday, 28th March 1918.

Guru Nanak's birthday, Monday, 18th November 1918.

These local holidays are confined to the districts of Ambála, Ludhiána, Jullundur, Hoshiarpur, Ferozepore, Lahore, Amritsar, Gurdáspur, Siálkot, Gujranwála and Lyallpur. Guru Nanak's birthday is also allowed in the Ráwalpindi District and Guru Nanak's and Guru Gobind Singh's birthdays in the Montgomery District.

3. Local holidays for great festivals or fairs peculiar to particular places may be granted at the discretion of heads of offices, provided always that there are no arrears of work. The maximum number of such holidays that may be given by district officers is seven. This number should not be exceeded, and district officers should themselves fix each year the local holidays to be observed in their districts up to or within the prescribed maximum of seven, without previous reference to Commissioner of the Division, to whom, however, a copy

of the list of holidays fixed should be sent for information. Heads of offices may also, subject to the condition that there are no arrears of work, permit the last Saturday of every month to be observed as a holiday in the English and Vernacular offices. In such cases all establishments should be allowed, subject to the condition laid down in the case of public holidays under the Negotiable Instruments Act, to take full advantage of the holiday.

4. This notification does not apply to holidays to be observed in Civil Courts.

Punjab Government Notification No. 21108, dated 14th November 1917, is hereby cancelled.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### *List of holidays for public offices during the year 1918.*

Names of holidays.	Date on which they fall.	Day or days of the week.	Number of days.	REMARKS.
<i>General holidays.</i>				
All Sundays . . . .	...	...	52	
Proclamation Day . . .	1st January .	Tuesday . . .	1	
*King-Emperor's Birthday .	...	...	1	
<i>Christian holidays.</i>				
Easter holidays . . . .	29th and 30th March and 1st April.	Friday, Saturday and Monday.	3	(4 days including Sunday..)
Christmas Vacation . . .	24th to 27th and 31st December.	Tuesday to Friday and Tuesday.	5	
<i>Hindu holidays.</i>				
Basant Panchmi . . . .	15th February .	Friday . . .	1	
Sheoratri . . . . .	11th March . .	Monday . . .	1	
Holi . . . . .	27th March . .	Wednesday . .	1	
Baisakhi . . . . .	13th April . . .	Saturday . . .	1	
Solono . . . . .	22nd August . .	Thursday . . .	1	
Janam Ashtami . . . .	29th August . .	Do. . . . .	1	
Dussehra . . . . .	11th to 14th October.	Friday to Monday.	4	
Diwali . . . . .	2nd November .	Saturday . . .	1	
<i>Muhammadian holidays.</i>				
Shab-i-barat . . . . .	25th May . . .	Saturday . . .	1	
'Id-ul-Fitr . . . . .	10th or 11th July	Wednesday or Thursday.	1	Subject to the appearance of the moon.
'Id-uz-Zuha . . . . .	16th or 17th September.	Monday or Tuesday.	1	Ditto.
Muharram . . . . .	14th, 15th and 16th October.	Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.	3	Ditto.
Bara Wafat . . . . .	17th December .	Tuesday . . .	1	

\* The day fixed for the celebration of the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately hereafter.

By order,

J. P. THOMPSON, .

Chief Secretary to Government, Punjab.

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
603—1917	Naranlal Papatlal Rathod	Hindu	3rd Koombharwada	Lately Blacksmith and now Servant in the employ of Goolamhusein Shaik Abdool Kayan.	3rd	December	1917	3rd	December	1917.
603—1917	Bhikaji Yesoo Mayakar, Ganpat Yesoo Mayakar and Laxumon Yesoo Mayakar.	"	Dadar	1st Debtor extra carpenter and the 2nd and 3rd debtors labourers in the Kastar chand Mills Ltd.	"	"	"	"	"	"
603—1917	Shankar Rama Chawan	"	Curry Road	Assistant Jobber in the Century Mills, Ltd., Lower Parel.	4th	"	"	4th	"	"
604—1917	Tatis Nana Dhumal	"	2nd Farnaswadi	Hamal	3rd	"	"	5th	"	"
603—1917	Kanji Kara Khoja	"	Musjid Gulli, Goppitha	Lately petty dealer in spices, etc., and now Servant in the employ of Hassem Kassam.	6th	"	"	6th	"	"
607—1917	Gangaram Dhondoo Gurao and Tukaram Bhawoo Gujbal.	"	Near B. B. & C. I. Railway Dadar Station and Tardeo respectively.	Lately doing business in partnership as money lenders and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
595—1917	Nurmahomed Peerbhai Khoja	Mahomedan	Elphinstone Road	Lately dealer in sweet oil and now unemployed.	26th	November	"	26th	November	"
608—1917	Alex Sayen Fonseca	Goanese	Matunga, Vadala Road	Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway, Matunga (fitting shop).	7th	December	"	7th	December	"
609—1917	Ganpatrao Ramchandra Kole	Hindu	Sunder Gulli, Dalisle Road, Byculla.	Formerly Iron Founder in the name of the Counanight Iron Works in partnership with Varjiwandas Horkisondas and latterly a partner in the Kalika machinery mart in partnership with Laxumon Gangaram and now unemployed.	8th	"	"	8th	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 10th day of December 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.
632—1915	<i>Re</i> Christopher Hinks . . .	Eurasian . . .	Dadar Road . . . . .	A Sub-Inspector in the Drainage Department Bombay Municipality.	5th	October	1915
646—1915	„ Anandrao Narayen Sane . . .	Hindu . . .	Gandevi, Damarlane . . . . .	A Clerk in the Bombay United Mills . . .	9th	„	„
671—1915	„ Shanker Sunder Samel . . .	„ . . .	Kendavadi . . . . .	Latelý a Turner in the employ of Bombay Arsenal and now unemployed.	21st	„	„
764—1915	„ Raphael Aaron Tulkar <i>alias</i> Rupoo Aronji Jalkar.	Beni-Israel . . .	No. 11, Bellasis Road . . . . .	Latelý a petty-dealer in Coal and now unemployed	14th	December	„

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, BOMBAY.  
Bombay, this 4th day of December 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.



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**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.**  
**Insolvency Jurisdiction.**

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**CASE No. 215 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 21st November 1917.

In the matter of Chatter Singh, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chatter Singh, Aerated Water Seller, No. 11, 60th Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chatter Singh.

**CASE No. 216 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Nawab Khan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Nawab Khan, clerk, General Post Office, Rangoon, on the 21st day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Nawab Khan.

**CASE No. 217 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 22nd November 1917.

In the matter of S. Sangiah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by S. Sangiah, Dhoby, residing at Dhoby Line, Rangoon, on the 21st day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said S. Sangiah.

**CASE No. 218 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Walter Burton Reynolds, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Walter Burton Reynolds, Telegraph Master, No. 19, 37th Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Walter Burton Reynolds.

**CASE No. 219 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Shaik Ebrahim, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shaik Ebrahim, trader of No. 265, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Ebrahim.

**CASE No. 220 OF 1917.**

Rangoon, the 26th November 1917.

In the matter of Ebrahim Mulla, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ebrahim Mulla, Leather Shop Assistant of No. 5, 55th Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ebrahim Mulla.

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CASE No. 221 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th November 1917.

In the matter of Mohammed Abdul Razack, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mohammed Abdul Razack, trader of No. 81, Fraser Street, Rangoon, on the 27th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mohammed Abdul Razack.

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CASE No. 222 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of Mazheruddin Ahmed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mazheruddin Ahmed, of No. 86, 30th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mazheruddin Ahmed.

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CASE No. 223 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of Maung Thet, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thet, Fish Broker, of No. 73, 12th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thet.

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CASE No. 224 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of K. M. Katoo Bawa, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. M. Katoo Bawa, cooly Maistry, of No. 43, Maung Tanlay Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. M. Katoo Bawa.

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CASE No. 225 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of K. M. Aliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. M. Aliar, cooly Maistry, of No. 43, Tseokai Maung Tanlay Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of November 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. M. Aliar.

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CASE No. 107 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of A. J. Hyam, of Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. J. Hyam an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1917.

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CASE No. 148 of 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1917.

In the matter of Burjoo Pande, of No. 32, 62nd Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Burjoo Pande an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 146 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th November 1917.

In the matter of O. Meyan Rowther, Trader of Nos. 71 and 72, Edward Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said O. Meyan Rowther an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 29th day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 162 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th November 1917.

In the matter of Venkatarmier of Kala Busthi, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Venkatarmier an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 29th day of November 1917.

## CASE No. 226 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 4th December 1917.

In the matter of Alexander Jacobs, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Alexander Jacobs of No. 22, Dufferin Street, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Alexander Jacobs.

## CASE No. 227 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 5th December 1917.

In the matter of Mambakam Balakrishna Moodaliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mambakam Balakrishna Moodaliar, Compositor of No. 125, 122nd Street, Rangoon, on the 4th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mambakam Balakrishna Moodaliar.

## CASE No. 228 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th December 1917.

In the matter of Murugasa Moodaliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Murugasa Moodaliar, Printer of No. 50, 51st Street, Rangoon, on the 5th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Murugasa Moodaliar.

## CASE No. 229 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th December 1917.

In the matter of Daniel Bowdalli, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Daniel Bowdalli, Engine Driver, Fire Brigade, Lanmadaw, Rangoon, on the 5th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Daniel Bowdalli.

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Offg. Registrar.

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM,  
IN BENGAL.  
In Insolvency.**

No. 112 of 1918.

Dated the 10th December 1917.

*Re* Akshoy Kumar Addy and another.

*Ex parte* the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that Akshoy Kumar Addy, one of the debtors having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of February 1918 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

**Summary Case.**

No. 72 of 1916.

Dated the 10th December 1917.

*Re* Charles Frederick Graves.

*Ex parte* the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of February 1918 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

**Notice of Adjudication Order.**

No. 167 of 1917.

Dated the 13th December 1917.

*Re* Ramanath Sircar, lately residing at No. 1, Mohan Bagan Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business as an attorney at No. 6, Old Post Office Street, in Calcutta, and now residing at No. 53, Wellington Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, and carrying on the said business at No. 10, Old Post Office Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid.

*Ex parte* the Debtor. Debtor—In Person.

On the 26th day of November 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,  
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

**IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.**

FORM No. 3.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.**

SECTION 12.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES, DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 10 of 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Kanahia Lal to Cantonment Magistrate.

Whereas Kanahia Lal has applied to this Court by a petition dated 17th February of 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907 and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 5th January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented on the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:—

The insolvent has refused to file fresh list of creditors in accordance with the account books filed by him.

TOPAN RAM,  
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

### In Insolvency.

Notice is hereby given that orders have been made by this Court adjudging the persons hereunder mentioned Insolvents and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvents in the Official Assignee of this Court, and all persons indebted to the said Insolvents, or who have any of their estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

No. of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication	Date of Public Examination.
112 of 1917.	9th July 1917.	H. Mahomed Habibullah Badsha Sahib, residing at No. 18, Vallabha Agraharam, Triplicane, Madras.	10th July 1917.	1st February 1918.
221 „ „.	16th November 1917.	V. P. Chelvaraja Mudelli, residing at No. 1-3, Konnoor Road, Votary, Perambore Barracks, Madras.	16th November 1917.	4th „ „.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE,  
Madras, 7th December 1917. }

J. R. ATKINSON,  
Deputy Registrar.

## REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter from the 7th Mule Corps of Nur Ahmed, dated at Karachi, this 14th day of November 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—A56, Saddler Nur Ahmed.  
Age—35 years.  
Height—5 feet 8 inches.  
Colour of—Complexion, fair; hair, black; eyes, black.  
Trade—Saddler.  
Date of enlistment—August 1916.

Place of enlistment—Not known.  
Parish and County in which born—Not known.  
Date of Desertion—14th November 1917.  
Place of Desertion—Karachi.  
No other information can be given as I am not in possession of this man's sheet roll.

B. MOSELEY, Lieut. and Adjut. for Lieut-Colonel,  
Commanding 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Deccan British War Hospital, dated at Poona, this 10th day of December 1917.

Number, Rank and Name—51295, Acting Corporal Lovitt, Stanley Robert.  
Age—23 years 8 months.  
Height—About 5 feet 10½ inches.  
Build—Slim.  
Complexion—Fair.  
Hair—Brown.  
Eyes—? brown—wearing slight brown moustache.

Marks—Gunshot wound scar on left lower leg.  
Dress when last seen—Serge uniform, brown boots, service dress cap.  
Able to ride motor cycle well.  
Ambling gait when walking.  
Believed to be in possession of a fair amount of borrowed money.

H. E. WINTER, Lt.-Colonel, R.A.M.C.,  
Commanding Deccan British War Hospital.

# ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

## NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 8th December 1917.

**No. 2328—65-III.**—It is hereby notified that the Courts and Offices under the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara will be closed on the days named in the list below as public holidays in the year 1918.

Classification of holidays.	Name of holidays.	Dates.	Days of week.	No. of days.
All creeds . . .	New year's day . . .	1st January 1918 . . .	Tuesday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Shivratri . . .	11th March 1918 . . .	Monday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Holi . . .	27th and 28th March 1918	Wednesday and Thursday.	2
Christian . . .	Good Friday . . .	29th March 1918 . . .	Friday . . .	1
Christian . . .	Monday after Easter . . .	1st April 1918 . . .	Monday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Silsaptmi . . .	4th April 1918 . . .	Thursday . . .	1
Muhammadan . . .	Urs Khwaja Sahib . . .	17th and 18th April 1918	Wednesday and Thursday.	2
Hindu . . .	Baisakhi Fair . . .	25th May 1918 . . .	Saturday . . .	1
Muhammadan . . .	Shabebarat . . .	25th May 1918 . . .	Do. . .	1
All creeds . . .	King Emperor's Birth day . . .	June 1918 . . .	... . .	1
Muhammadan . . .	Idul Fitar . . .	10th July 1918 . . .	Wednesday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Raksha Bandhan . . .	22nd August 1918 . . .	Thursday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Janam Ahtmi . . .	29th August 1918 . . .	Thursday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Savitri Fair . . .	13th September 1918 . . .	Friday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Jaljhulni Ekadashi . . .	16th September 1918 . . .	Monday . . .	1
Muhammadan . . .	Idulzuha . . .	17th September 1918 . . .	Tuesday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Desehra . . .	13th to 15th October 1918	Sunday to Tuesday . . .	3
Muhammadan . . .	Moharram . . .	14th, 15th and 16th October 1918.	Monday to Wednesday . . .	3
Hindu . . .	Dipmalika . . .	3rd and 4th November 1918.	Sunday and Monday . . .	2
Hindu . . .	Yamduj . . .	5th November 1918 . . .	Tuesday . . .	1
Hindu . . .	Pushkr Fair . . .	14th to 19th November 1918.	Thursday to Tuesday . . .	6
Muhammadan . . .	Barawafat . . .	17th December 1918 . . .	Tuesday . . .	1
Christian . . .	Christmas . . .	24th to 31st December 1918.	Tuesday to Tuesday . . .	8
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**NOTE.**—In English and Vernacular Offices when there are no arrears of work, the last Saturday in the month may be observed as a holiday.

- (2) The last day of every month will be observed as a holiday in the Treasury Office, Ajmer, instead of the last Saturday.
- (3) Muhammadan holidays depend on the moon being visible and fall on the day following such event.
- (4) Local holidays may be granted for great festivals and fairs at the discretion of the Commissioner when there are no arrears of work.
- (5) Civil Court vacations commence from the 1st August 1918 and continue till the 30th September 1918. No fresh suits shall during the time be instituted unless they be of an urgent character, but the Courts will be open for the purpose of clearing up cases instituted before the 15th July 1918 and for the disposal of any urgent work.
- (6) The day which may be fixed for the celebration of the King Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately in due course.
- (7) Chehlasm will be observed as local holiday for Shias only.
- (8) There will be a Lunar Eclipse during the year viz., on the 17th December and the holiday will be observed on the 18th December 1918.

Mt. Abu, the 8th December 1917.

**No. 2830 -65-III.**—Under Section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to declare the following holidays to be public holidays during the year 1918 :—

Classification of holidays.	Name of holidays.	Dates.	Days of week.	No. of days
All creeds	New year's day	1st January 1918	Tuesday	1
Hindu	Shivratri	11th March 1918	Monday	1
Hindu	Holi	27th and 28th March 1918	Wednesday and Thursday.	2
Christian	Good Friday	29th March 1918	Friday	1
Christian	Monday after Easter	1st April 1918	Monday	1
Hindu	Silseptmi	4th April 1918	Thursday	1
Muhammadian	Urs Khwaja Sahib	17th and 18th April 1918	Wednesday and Thursday.	2
Hindu	Baisakhi Fair	25th May 1918	Saturday	1
Muhammadian	Shabebarat	Do.	Do.	1
All creeds	King-Emperor's Birthday.	June 1918	...	1
Muhammadian	Idul Fitar	10th July 1918	Wednesday	1
Hindu	Raksha Bandan	22nd August 1918	Thursday	1
Hindu	Janam Ashtmi	29th August 1918	Do.	1
Hindu	Savitri Fair	18th September 1918	Friday	1
Hindu	Jajbhulni Ekadashi.	16th September 1918	Monday	1
Muhammadian	Idulzuha	17th September 1918	Tuesday	1
Hindu	Dasehra	13th to 15th October 1918	Sunday to Tuesday	3
Muhammadian	Moharrau	14th, 15th, and 16th October 1918.	Monday to Wednesday	3
Hindu	Dipmalika	3rd and 4th November 1918.	Sunday and Monday	2
Hindu	Yamduj	5th November 1918.	Tuesday	1
Hindu	Pushkar Fair	14th to 19th November 1918.	Thursday to Tuesday	6
Muhammadian	Barawafat	17th December 1918	Tuesday	1
Christian	Christmas	24th to 31st December 1918.	Tuesday to Tuesday	8
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By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana and Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

Camp, the 8th December 1917.

**No. 1445-C.**—In accordance with the provisions of Section 25 of the Ajmer Municipalities Regulation V of 1886, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to notify that at a bye-election held on the 19th November 1917, the Revd. A. McLeish was elected a member of the Ajmer Municipal Committee for the Suburban Ward *vice* Pandit Fateh Chaud Mehta, deceased.

Camp Ajmer, the 9th December 1917.

**No. 1456-C.—908.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Excise Regulation I of 1915, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased, in supersession of all previous orders on the subject, to impose a duty of Rs. 18 a seer on charas imported for consumption in Ajmer-Merwara, with effect from the 1st April 1918.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY, I.C.S.,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

## HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL SIDE.

### NOTIFICATION.

Dated the 4th December 1917.

It is ordered that Rule 62 of Chapter I "The Rules of the High Court, 1914" be repealed and that the following Rule be passed in substitution therefor with effect from the examination held in August 1917.

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## DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

### NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th December 1917.

**No. 21.**—4th Class Assistant Surgeon F. H. Johnson, I.S.M.D., is appointed to the X-Ray Department, Ripon Hospital, Simla, with effect from the 15th November 1917.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,

for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.



**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(POST OFFICE.)

**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 11th December 1917.

**No. 3083s-4p.**—Khan Bahadur D. M. Kalapesi, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, and Personal Assistant to the Postmaster-General, Bombay, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 15th December 1917 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. D. F. Kamdin, Inspector of post offices, pay Rs. 100, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Khan Bahadur D. M. Kalapesi, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Camp Lahore, the 6th December 1917.

**No. 477c-E-E.**—Mr. K. C. Menon, Assistant Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 20th November 1917.

**No. 480c-E-E.**—The following officiating promotion in the Upper Subordinate Establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. F. Sebastian . . . .	Inspecting Telegraphist.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, officiating.	9th November 1917.

**No. 483c-E-E.**—The following officiating promotions in the Upper Subordinate Establishment (Engineering Branch) are sanctioned with effect from the dates specified :—

Names	From	To	With effect from
Mr. F. Parr . . . . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, officiating.	13th October 1917 to 12th February 1918.
Mr. C. Osborne . . . . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, officiating.	Ditto.

The promotion of Mr. S. H. Holding to Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, officiating, notified in this Department Notification No. 2749s-E.-E., dated 18th October 1917, is hereby cancelled.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
**(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)****NOTIFICATIONS.**

The 7th December 1917.

**No. 6420-T.**—Mr. R. T. E. Culpeper, Officiating Superintendent of post offices, Traffic, Bombay Circle, reverted to his substantive rank of Telegraph Master, with effect from the 1st December 1917.

Mr. R. J. Keys, who was officiating in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch, *vice* Mr. V. A. Hughes, continues to officiate from the 1st December 1917, *vice* Mr. A. G. Moore, on field service.

The 8th December 1917.

**No. 6425-T.**—The following promotion is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name	RANK		Nature of appointment.	Date.
	From	To		
Mr. P. J. DeMello	Telegraph Master and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Permanent (on probation).	18th November 1917.

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## **PART III.**

**Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.**

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### **LOST.**

The allotment letter No. 2463 U. P.-F 1 of the 5½ per cent. loan of 1920 for Rs. 200 originally issued in the name of Qazi Fazl Husain, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above allotment letter and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

**Treasury Officer, Azamgarh.**

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### **Estate Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Austin, I.A., Retd. deceased.**

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Edmund Austin a retired Lieutenant-Colonel in the Indian Army, of 23, Beaufort Road, Clifton, Bristol, who died on 6th December 1916 at No. 23, Beaufort Road, Clifton, Bristol, England, Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to Joseph Carstairs Roberts Johnston of Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, are required to send in the same on or before 12th January next to the said Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claims sent in subsequently will be recognized.

**J. C. R. JOHNSTON.**

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**LOST.**

The Government Promissory Note No. B048786 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 500 (Rupees five hundred only) originally standing in the name of the Alliance Bank of Simla, Limited, and last endorsed to Girdharlal Madhavrai Dholakia the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—GIRDHARLAL MADHAVRAI,

Residence—Junagadh.

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**Estate H. F. Campbell, deceased.**

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Henry Fiellerup Campbell, of 28, Netherton Road, St. Margarets, Twickenham, Middlesex, who died 11th July 1917 at that address. Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to Joseph Carstairs Roberts Johnston of Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, are required to send in the same on or before 23rd January next to the said Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claims sent in subsequently will be recognized.

J. C. R. JOHNSTON.

Calcutta, the 8th December 1917.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

## Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	IN THE EIGHT MONTHS, APRIL TO NOVEMBER, OF									
	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
<b>SEA CUSTOMS—IMPORTS</b>										
Special Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	3,40	3,31	3,29	3,17	4,08	4,34	3,89	3,77	5,20 <sup>a</sup>	3,51 <sup>a</sup>
Coal, coke, and patent fuel (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	10
Liquors										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	3,26	3,27	5,17	5,09	5,63	5,28	4,75	3,45	4,95	3,05
Spirits and liqueurs	61,01	61,03	69,14	71,33	69,71	74,58	72,81	66,46	71,87	67,29
Wines	2,48	2,40	3,04	3,68	3,46	3,68	2,81	2,91	3,99	3,90
Opium	2	2	4	4	5	5	3	3	5	2
Petroleum	35,35	30,56	33,97	48,14	44,36	40,36	54,87	45,17	35,98 <sup>†</sup>	26,44 <sup>†</sup>
Silver—										
Silver bullion and coin (b)	49,52	37,18	1,21,32	74,96	77,62	53,61	92,59	68,75	12,38	16,96
„ manufactures (c)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,43	2,26
Sugar, all sorts (d)	34,79	39,45	42,24	39,47	47,29	63,84	29,87	35,65	51,79 <sup>‡</sup>	82,59 <sup>‡</sup>
Tobacco (b)	2,32	2,98	19,84	17,62	17,84	19,51	17,08	17,49	3,214	41,08
Duty at 2½ per cent	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Machinery (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7,68	6,22
Metals—Iron and Steel	7,09	6,00	6,30	6,86	7,16	10,17	7,96	6,29	12,57	11,44
Railway plant and rolling stock (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,11	99
Other articles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,80	2,43
Duty at 7½ per cent	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar and vinegar) (e)	17,25	15,54	16,27	16,97	18,61	19,69	17,42	20,20	34,96	33,1
Raw materials and articles mainly unmanufactured (f)	12,06	10,46	10,51	10,53	13,17	10,52	10,49	10,31	25,57	28,24
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—										
Cutlery, hardware, implements and instruments	15,57	14,46	16,57	18,04	19,76	24,15	19,96	15,76	29,14	23,67
Metals, other than Iron and Steel	14,50	12,57	15,80	14,07	10,89	18,64	16,98	7,16	7,22	10,37
Cotton manufactures—										
Piecegoods, grey	30,06	39,95	37,39	44,38	57,13	58,70	53,44	42,61	39,96	63,81
„ white	19,78	14,98	20,16	24,68	28,96	32,84	27,83	24,00	30,24	79,79
„ coloured	25,29	18,65	23,90	29,51	32,90	45,03	28,91	18,46	34,44	94,39
Other goods	4,60	4,44	5,89	6,23	6,61	9,49	4,96	3,03	6,07	10,14
Yarn and textile fabrics (other than cotton manufactures) (g)	26,04	19,31	25,06	28,11	30,83	33,52	20,95	19,33	41,99	35,78
All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured (h)	41,10	43,30	52,59	56,11	59,18	71,21	54,09	57,75	1,18,98	1,15,98
Miscellaneous (i)	3,65	3,81	5,68	5,96	7,71	6,29	5,48	4,21	16,78	11,25
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>4,15,04</b>	<b>3,88,66</b>	<b>5,39,29</b>	<b>5,24,83</b>	<b>5,62,95</b>	<b>6,05,50</b>	<b>5,46,17</b>	<b>4,73,39</b>	<b>6,53,79</b>	<b>7,94,61</b>
<b>SEA CUSTOMS—EXPORTS</b>										
Jute (a)—										
Raw	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34,26	
Manufactured	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	31,36	
Rice	38,68	48,48	64,77	69,84	80,60	69,85	50,10	38,56	52,41	
Tea (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29,63	
<b>TOTAL EXPORTS</b>	<b>38,68</b>	<b>48,48</b>	<b>64,77</b>	<b>69,84</b>	<b>80,60</b>	<b>69,85</b>	<b>50,10</b>	<b>38,56</b>	<b>1,47,66</b>	<b>1,85,73</b>
<b>SEA CUSTOMS—MISCELLANEOUS (j)</b>										
LAND CUSTOMS (k)	5,85	6,58	6,46	7,55	8,54	8,90	9,92	8,84	5,10	6,29
EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON MANUFACTURES	19,05	20,93	22,13	27,99	28,99	29,35	29,33	23,61	26,08	36,92
„ „ ON MOTOR SPIRIT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17,12
WAREHOUSE AND WHARF RENTS (l)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	17
MISCELLANEOUS (j)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,17	2,21
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>4,78,62</b>	<b>4,59,65</b>	<b>6,32,65</b>	<b>6,30,21</b>	<b>6,81,08</b>	<b>7,13,60</b>	<b>6,35,52</b>	<b>5,44,40</b>	<b>8,37,32</b>	<b>10,48,00</b>
<b>Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports</b>										
Bengal	1,32,49	1,37,38	1,67,20	1,83,58	1,92,40	2,19,13	1,95,12	1,69,34	2,37,39	3,08,38
Exports	3,50	7,16	11,27	13,99	17,36	11,37	6,97	2,14	94,23	1,28,55
Bihar and Orissa	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Exports	—	—	—	—	64	70	14	—	—	—
Bombay	1,57,81	1,40,28	2,43,75	2,01,19	2,21,41	2,18,05	2,11,21	1,79,70	2,40,60	2,22,25
Exports	1,35	2,05	1,31	89	1,09	1,45	1,53	1,63	3,92	5,37
Sind	41,76	35,84	46,79	51,80	54,55	59,13	45,98	45,07	56,74	73,47
Exports	1,18	1,54	1,38	1,33	1,28	2,08	1,66	1,86	3,07	3,49
Madras	37,61	32,66	38,37	42,30	43,30	49,14	45,44	38,06	59,80	69,50
Exports	6,85	4,30	3,84	5,82	4,14	5,52	6,44	8,59	9,44	7,30
Burma	45,37	37,30	42,58	46,46	51,29	60,05	45,42	41,22	58,26	61,01
Exports	25,80	33,43	47,02	48,41	56,09	48,73	33,36	24,34	37,00	41,02

(a) Not subject to duty prior to March, 1916

(b) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff

(c) Figures prior to March, 1916, are included with "All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured"

(d) Figures prior to March, 1916, were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff

(e) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include vinegar

(f) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 are exclusive of raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax, which are included with "Yarn and textile fabrics"

(g) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax but exclude haberdashery and millinery

(h) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include haberdashery and millinery and coral

(i) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 represent articles imported by post only

(j) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 are included under "Land Customs"

(k) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 represent the old combined head "Land Customs and miscellaneous"

† Exclude the duty collected on explosives, namely, blasting gun powder, etc., at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*‡ Exclude the duty collected on petroleum which has its flashing point at or above 180°F. or 200°F. at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*§ Exclude the duty collected on confectionery at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*

¶ The publication of the detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,  
Director of Statistics

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

**HOME DEPARTMENT.**

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

*Delhi, the 17th December 1917.*

**No. 932-C.**—With reference to the Home Department notification no. 958, dated the 22nd September 1917, the Governor General is pleased under the authority vested in him by sub-section (1) of section 54 of the Government of India Act, 1915, (5 and 6 Geo. 5, ch. 61) and with the approval of His Majesty, to appoint Sir Reginald Henry Craddock, K.C.S.I., to officiate as Lieutenant Governor of Burma during the remainder of the absence of the Honourable Sir Harcourt Butler, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., on leave.

The Honourable Sir Reginald Craddock assumed charge of the office of Lieutenant Governor of Burma on the afternoon of the 17th December 1917.

**S. R. HIGNELL,**

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*





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#### NOTIFICATIONS.

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*Delhi, the 17th December 1917.*

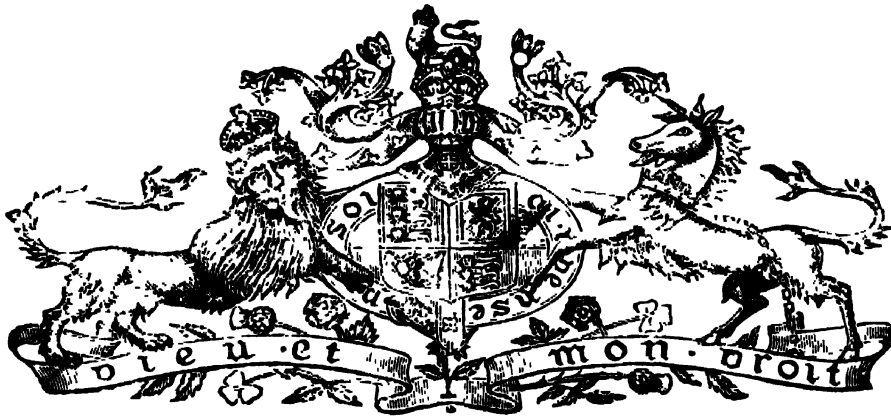
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*Simla, the 17th December 1917.*

**No. 397.**—The Reverend G. A. Hubback and the Reverend F. H. Bettison, temporary chaplains on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, are permitted to resign the service with effect from the 1st January 1918.

*The 18th December 1917.*

**No. 395.**—The Reverend S. F. Streatfeild is appointed to be a temporary chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment. His services are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

*The 20th December 1917.*

**No. 401.**—The services of the Reverend J. H. H. McNeill, Senior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces with effect from the 21st July 1917.

### SANITARY.

*Delhi the 17th December 1917.*

**No. 549.**—In modification of the Education Department notification no. 255, dated the 1st June 1917, Major F. Norman White, C.I.E., M.D., I.M.S., Assistant Director General, Indian Medical Service (Sanitary), is appointed to officiate as Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India in addition to his own duties with effect from the 1st December 1917, and until further orders.

### ARCHÆOLOGY AND EPIGRAPHY.

*The 18th December 1917.*

**No. 62-C.**—Dr. V. S. Sukthankar, officiating Assistant Superintendent, Archæological Survey, Western Circle, was appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Archæological Survey in that Circle, in addition to his own duties with effect from the afternoon of the 12th July 1917 to the forenoon of the 6th August 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

### HOME DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATIONS.

#### MEDICAL.

*Delhi, the 19th December 1917.*

**No. 967-C.**—Lieutenant-Colonel R. Bird, M.V.O., C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.S., V.H.S., I.M.S., Professor of Surgery, Medical College, Calcutta, and Surgeon to the College Hospital is granted privilege leave for three months, with furlough for nine months in continuation, with effect from the date on which he makes over charge of his duties.

**No. 968-C.**—Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Stevens, M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., is appointed to officiate as Professor of Surgery, Medical College, Calcutta, and Surgeon to the College Hospital, during the absence on leave of Lieutenant-Colonel R. Bird, M.V.O., C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.S., V.H.S., I.M.S., until further orders.

*The 21st December 1917.*

**No. 1002-C.**—Surgeon-General W. R. Edwards, C.B., C.M.G., M.D., K.H.P. I.M.S., Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal, is appointed to be Director-General of the Indian Medical Service with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of that office.

## PUBLIC.

*The 17th December 1917.*

**No. 910-C.**—The following Royal Warrant is published for general information :—

GEORGE R. I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, to all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting !

WHEREAS Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, being desirous of distinguishing by some mark of Her Royal Favour the many heroic acts performed by Mariners and others who endanger their own lives in saving or endeavouring to save the lives of others from shipwrecks and other perils of the sea ; and the many heroic acts performed on land by those who endanger their own lives in saving or endeavouring to save the lives of others from accidents in mines, on railways and at fires, or other perils within Her Dominions, other than perils of the sea, did, by Warrants under the Royal Sign Manual bearing date respectively the 7th March, 1866, the 12th April, 1867, and the 30th April, 1877, for Herself, Her Heirs and Successors, institute and create as a mark of Royal Approbation of such heroic acts, new Decorations styled respectively "The Albert Medal of the First Class" and "The Albert Medal of the Second Class," which Decorations Her Majesty was desirous should be highly prized and eagerly sought after :

And whereas the said Warrants were subsequently amended and all the Warrants relating to these Decorations were consolidated by a Warrant under the Sign Manual bearing date the 5th June, 1905 :

And whereas it is Our Pleasure to amend the style of the said Decorations :

We are graciously pleased to make, ordain and establish the following Rules and Ordinances for the government of the Decorations :—

I. It is ordained that the Decoration in each case shall be styled "The Albert Medal" ; but when it is awarded for acts of such extreme and heroic daring as to merit a special degree of recognition, it shall be styled "The Albert Medal in Gold."

II. It is ordained that the Albert Medal shall consist of a bronze oval-shaped Badge or Decoration, having in the centre a Monogram composed of the letters V. and A. erect upon an enamelled background, surrounded by a Garter inscribed in raised letters "For Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea," or "For Gallantry in Saving Life on Land," as the case may be, and surmounted by a representation of the Crown of His Royal Highness the lamented Prince Consort ; but where the Medal conferred is "The Albert Medal in Gold," it shall consist of a gold oval-shaped Badge or Decoration having in the centre a Monogram composed of the letters V. and A. erect in gold upon an enamelled background, surrounded by a Garter in bronze inscribed in raised letters of gold, "For Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea," or "For Gallantry in Saving Life on Land," as the case may be, and surmounted by a representation in gold of the Crown of His Royal Highness the lamented Prince Consort. When the Medal is given for gallantry in saving life at sea, the letters V. and A. shall be interlaced with an anchor erect in bronze or gold, as the case may be.

The Medal shall be suspended from a riband of an inch and three-eighths in width, having two white longitudinal stripes ; in the case of the "Albert Medal in Gold" the riband shall have four white longitudinal stripes.

The colour of the enamel and riband shall be dark blue when the Medal is conferred for gallantry in saving life at sea, and crimson when it is conferred for gallantry in saving life on land.

III. It is ordained that the Medal shall only be awarded to those of Our faithful subjects who, in saving or endeavouring to save the lives of others from perils of the sea, or from perils on land, have endangered their own lives, and that such award shall be made only on a recommendation to Us by Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department.

Provided always that where the Medal is conferred for gallantry in saving life at sea, the preliminary steps and enquiry shall, if the award be to anyone belonging to the Royal Navy or the Royal Marines, be with the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and in other cases with the President of the Board of Trade.

IV. It is ordained that the names of those persons upon whom We may be pleased to confer the Medal shall be published in the *London Gazette*. Where the Medal is conferred for gallantry in saving life on land a Register of such names shall be kept in the Office of Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department. Where the Medal is conferred for gallantry in saving life at sea, a Register of the names of such of these persons as belong to the Royal Navy or the Royal Marines shall be kept in the Office of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and a Register of the names of such of these persons as do not belong to the Royal Navy or the Royal Marines shall be kept in the Office of the Board of Trade.

V. It is ordained that the Medal shall be worn suspended from the left breast.

VI. It is ordained that any act of gallantry which is worthy of recognition by the award of the Albert Medal, but is performed by one upon whom the Decoration has already been conferred, may, on a recommendation to Us by Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, be recorded by a bar attached to the riband by which the Medal is suspended; and for every such additional act an additional bar may be added.

VII. In order to make such additional provision as shall effectually preserve pure these most honourable Decorations, it is ordained that if any person on whom any of such Decorations is conferred be guilty of any crime or disgraceful conduct which in Our judgment disqualifies him for the same, his name shall, by an especial Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual, be forthwith erased from the Register of those upon whom the said Decoration shall have been conferred, and his Medal shall be forfeited. And every person to whom the said Medal is given shall before receiving the same enter into an engagement to return the same if his name shall be so erased as aforesaid under this Regulation. It is hereby further declared that We, Our Heirs and Successors, shall be the sole judges of the circumstances demanding such expulsion. Moreover, We shall at all times have power to order that any person who may at any time have been expelled shall be restored to the enjoyment of the Decoration.

VIII. The Warrant of the 5th June, 1905, is hereby revoked.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*,  
this twenty-eighth day of *August*,  
One thousand nine hundred and  
seventeen, in the Eighth year of  
Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

*GEO. CAVE.*

S. R. HIGNELL,

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Delhi, the 19th December 1917.*

**No. 53.**—The services of Mr. F. G. Rowland, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bihar and Orissa, with effect from the 23rd December 1917.]

*The 20th December 1917.*

**No. 54.**—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Sir Verney Lovett, K.C.S.I., of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

**No. 55.**—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Mr. John Stratheden Campbell, C.S.I., C.I.E., being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

H. M. SMITH,

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.****FORESTS.**

*Delhi, the 17th December 1917.*

**No. 104-C.**—The services of Mr. F. T. Dalton, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests on the Burma cadre, are placed at the disposal of the Superintendent, Port Blair, for employment in the Andamans Forest Department, *vice* Mr. A. R. Brown, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, transferred to Burma.

Mr. Dalton assumed charge of his duties on the afternoon of the 14th November 1917.

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**METEOROLOGY.**

*The 21st December 1917.*

**No. 111-C.**—The services of Dr. T. Royds, Assistant Director, Kodaikanal Observatory, are placed at the disposal of the Army Department for employment in the office of the Director of Ordnance Factories, Calcutta, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd October 1917.

2. From the same date Mr. S. Sitaramaiyar, First Assistant, Kodaikanal Observatory, is appointed Assistant Director, Kodaikanal Observatory, substantive *pro tempore*, during the absence of Dr. T. Royds on deputation or until further orders.

R. A. MANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Delhi, the 18th December 1917.*

**No. 2251-Est. A.**—The undermentioned officers are confirmed in the Political Department of the Government of India :—

Mr. G. Cunningham, Indian Civil Service (Punjab).

Mr. H. A. F. Metcalfe, Indian Civil Service (Punjab).

**No. 2254-Est. A.**—Mr. C. P. Skrine, I.C.S., temporarily officiating in the Political Department, and Assistant and His Britannic Majesty's Vice-Consul, Kerman, was granted privilege leave for one month and 18 days, with effect from the 27th June 1917.

*The 19th December 1917.*

**No. 2258-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912 (II of 1912), as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 2848-I. B., dated the 6th December 1917, the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the stamp duty with which, under any law for the time being in force in the said station, instruments executed by or on behalf of any Co-operative Society for the time being registered under that Act, or instruments executed by any officer or member of any such Society, and relating to the business of the Society, are respectively chargeable.

*The 20th December 1917.*

**No. 2266-Est. A.**—The leave without pay granted to Maharaj Akhai Singh, Attache to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Rajputana, in notification No. 590-Est. A., dated the 1st April 1915, and subsequently extended by two years in notifications No. 1845-Est. A., dated the 19th August 1915, and No. 1799-Est. A., dated the 22nd August 1916, is extended for a further period of one year.

**No. 2269-Est. A.**—Mr. C. Latimer, I.C.S., of the Political Department, Assistant Commissioner, Thal, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Deputy Commissioner, Kohat, in addition to his ordinary duties, with effect from the 29th November 1917.

**No. 2270-Est. A.**—Major R. Garratt, of the Political Department, is posted as Political Agent, Tochi, with effect from the 4th December 1917.

**No. 281-G. S.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Bangalore Arms Rules, 1912, published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 8-G., dated the 5th January 1912, namely:—

“In schedule II annexed to the said rules, after entry (9) the following entry shall be added, namely:—

“(10) Kirpans possessed or carried by Sikhs / Do.”

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

*The 18th December 1917.*

**No. 2249-Est. B.**—Captain S. P. Williams, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force), Adjutant (Infantry), Zhob Militia, is appointed 2nd-in-Command (Infantry) of the same Corps, with effect from the 16th July 1917.

*The 20th December 1917.*

**No. 2274-Est. B.**—Lieutenant G. Hales, I.A.R.O., attached 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles), is appointed 2nd-in-Command, Mekran Levy Corps, with effect from the 23rd November 1917.

**No. 1935-G.**—With reference to notification No. 1100-G., dated the 31st July 1917, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Senhor Benito d'Alpoim Torresano Moreno as Consul-General for Portugal at Bombay has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

**No. 1938-G.**—Subject to the confirmation of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. K. Kuwashima as Consul for Japan at Bombay.

**No. 1941-G.**—Subject to the confirmation of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. N. Sakenoue as Consul-General for Japan at Calcutta.

A. H. GRANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

## LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

*Delhi, the 19th December 1917.*

**No. 1400-F. E.**—Mr. W. J. Jones has been posted as Assistant Accountant General and Examiner of Local Fund Accounts, Bombay, with effect from the 3rd December 1917.

**No. 1401-F. E.**—Mr. V. S. Sundaram has been posted as Assistant Accountant General and Examiner of Local Fund Accounts, Bihar and Orissa, with effect from the 30th November 1917.

H. F. HOWARD,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

## ERRATA.

*Delhi, the 22nd December 1917.*

**No. 1767-D.**—In the schedule annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 1547-D., dated the 15th December 1917, and published on pages 1971 to 1986 of the *Gazette of India*, Part I, of the same date, the following should be substituted for item No. 83 "Iron and Steel":—

83 IRON OR STEEL—			
ANCHORS AND CABLES	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ per cent.
BEAMS, JOISTS, pillars, girders, screw-piles, bridge work and other such descriptions of iron or steel imported exclusively for building purposes; including also ridging, guttering and continuous roofing.	...	"	2½ " "
BOLTS and nuts, including hook bolts and nuts for roofing.	...	"	2½ " "
HOOPS AND STRIPS—			
Hoops, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	ton	900 0	2½ " "
" other than Best Yorkshire or Swedish, if galvanised, tinned, or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
" other kinds	ton	550 0	2½ " "
Strips, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	"	900 0	2½ " "
" if galvanised, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
" other kinds	ton	500 0	2½ " "
NAILS, RIVETS AND WASHERS, ALL SORTS—			
Iron or steel nails, rose, wire and flat-headed	cwt.	25 0	2½ " "
" " " other kinds, including galvanised, tinned or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
Rivets and Washers, iron or steel	...	"	2½ " "
PIPPS AND TUBES, and fittings therefor, such as bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges and the like.	...	"	2½ " "
RAILS, CHAIRS, sleepers, bearing and fish plates, spikes (commonly known as dog spikes), switches, and crossings, other than those described in No. 94, also lever boxes, clips, and tie-bars.	...	"	2½ " "
SHEETS AND PLATES, all sorts, excluding discs and circles which are dutiable under No. 85.			
Sheets and plates, Best Yorkshire and similar qualities.	ton	1,200 0	2½ " "
" " Swedish and charcoal	"	1,000 0	2½ " "
" " Swedish and charcoal, if galvanised, tinned, or lead coated.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
Plates, other kinds, above ½ inch thick	ton	700 0	2½ " "
Sheets " " up to ½ " "	"	700 0	2½ " "
Sheets (other than corrugated) and plates, other kinds, if galvanised, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "
• Sheets, corrugated, galvanised or black	ton	550 0	2½ " "
WIRE, including fencing wire and wire rope, but excluding wire-netting (which is dutiable under No. 85).	...	<i>Ad valorem</i>	2½ " "

## NOTIFICATIONS.

*The 22nd December 1917.*

**No. 1709-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business carried on in Bombay by Messrs. Leon Menasche and Company, a hostile firm within the meaning of the said Act, and in pursuance of Rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (winding up) Order, 1916, he is further pleased to direct that all proceedings connected with the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of Bombay.

**No. 1710-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business carried on in Rangoon by Messrs. Leon Menasche and Company, a hostile firm within the meaning of the said Act, and in pursuance of Rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (winding up) Order, 1916, he is further pleased to direct that all proceedings connected with the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of Burma.

**No. 1720-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

*Additions.*

China Industrial Supply Company,	Shanghai.
Dong Sing Wo,	Shanghai.
Mackenzie Stewart and Company, (Manchester) Limited, (J. Scotson).	
Pao Kee, Kuan Yin Ssu,	Peking.
Poo Yuen Kung,	Shanghai.
Shanghai Marine Insurance Company, Limited.	
Willits and Patterson,	Shanghai.
Yut Sac Chang and Company,	Shanghai.

*Alterations.*

Canadian Pacific Ocean Services *should read* Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Limited  
 Canton Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company *should read* Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company.  
 Joseph, J. H., *should read* Joseph, J. M.

**No. 1721-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that "Union Dispensary, Bangkok," shall be added to the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2981-C. W., dated the 24th March 1917, as subsequently amended.

**No. 1794-D.**—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 13 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that all goods imported from, or exported to, the ports of Junagadh, Porbandar, Navanagar and Morvi into or from any customs-port in British India shall, with effect from the 1st January 1918, be treated as regards the levy of customs duties and the payment of drawbacks under the said Act, as goods imported from, or exported to, a customs-port, as the case may be.

**No. 1828-D.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India of any copy of the book entitled "Young India" by Lajpat Rai, as republished in London by the Home Rule League, with a foreword by J. C. Wedgwood, M.P.

**No. 1832-D.**—Mr. J. F. Connolly, I.C.S., Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue, was granted privilege leave for 3 months in continuation with furlough for 8 days, with effect from the 15th August 1917.

Mr. J. C. Fergusson, I.C.S., officiated as Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue, during the absence on leave of Mr. J. F. Connolly.

Notifications Nos. 8901 and 10612, dated the 4th August and 8th September 1917, respectively, are hereby cancelled.

## INDUSTRIES.

*The 22nd December 1917.*

**No. 14077.**—The following statement of the accounts of the Indian Tea Cess Committee for the year ending 31st March 1917, is published in the *Gazette of India*, in accordance with rule XIII of the rules promulgated in the Notification in the Finance and Commerce Department No. 6479-S. R., dated the 12th October 1904.



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INDIAN TEA CESS COMMITTEE.

Statement of accounts for the year ended 31st March 1917.

INCOME.		EXPENDITURE.	
Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
To Balance 1916-17	...	By Office rent and establishment.	
			Bengal Chamber of Commerce—
			12 months at Rs. 750 per month
			Promoting the sale and increasing the consumption of Tea in India. Advertising in India.
			Amount expended by Mr. Harold W. Newby—
			Office Expenses
			Commissioner's Salary
			Travelling Expenses
			Posters, Hand Bills, etc.
			Tea Samples and Utensils.
			Special Exhibition at fairs
			Sundry Advertising and other Expenses
			Less interest
			Promoting the Sale and increasing the consumption of Tea in other countries. Advertising in North America.
			Amount expended by Mr. R. Blechynden—
			Advertising
			Specialty work
			R. Blechynden's Salary
			Ditto Travelling Expenses.
			Office Salaries and Expenses
			Expense Miscellaneous
			Postage
			Advertising Expenses at Calcutta
			Carried over



Brought forward	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	...	5,85,320 14 8	3,568 13 3	59,529 15 0	1,73,442 12 3	1,74,942 10 7	2,31,396 2 9
			Less difference of Exchange	336 8 6	59,893 6 6	2,31,396 2 9	
			<i>Miscellaneous.</i>				
			Indian Tea Association, London, for—	£ s. d.			
			Office Expenses	25 0 0	372 13 1		
			Travelling Expenses of Cess Committee Members	.	1,144 0 0		
			Printing and Stationery	.	462 2 3		
			Supervision of Accounts	.	300 0 0		
			Photographs and Cinematograph film	.	20 4 0		
			Sundry Expenses	.	576 2 11		
			<i>Balance.</i>			2,877 6 3	
			Current Account in Bank of Bengal	...	50,926 8 1		
			Cash in hand	...	30 8 11		
			Cash with Mr. Harold W. Newby	...	821 1 6		
			Cash with Customs Officers	...	30,086 10 1		
			Cash with Mr. R. Blechynden	\$12,977.05	38,769 10 0		
				£ s. d.			
			Cash with Secretary, Indian Tea Association, London, for Europe Account	183 17 1	2,757 13 0		
			Cash with Secretary, Indian Tea Association, London, for Belgian Troops	81 17 0	...		
			Cash with Secretary, Indian Tea Association, London, for short remittance in July 1915, £801	1 0 0	...		
				82 17 0	1,242 12 0		
			Cash with Secretary, Indian Tea Association, London, for United Kingdom	1,255 18 3	18,838 11 0		
			Cash with Secretary, Indian Tea Association, London, for French Troops	783 1 11	11,746 7 0		
			Indian Tea Association, London, (Europe) account, for Treasury Bills and 6 per cent. Exchequer Bonds	1,472 14 7	22,080 15 0		
			Less Liabilities	...	1,146 5 6	1,76,164 11 1	
GRAND TOTAL	...	5,85,320 14 8		GRAND TOTAL	...	5,85,320 14 8	

We have examined the above account with the Calcutta books and vouchers and with the audited returns submitted by the Secretary, Indian Tea Association, London, and Mr. R. Blechynden, and we hereby certify it to be correct and in accordance with the vouchers and returns submitted.

CALCUTTA:  
The 12th October 1917.

LOVELOCK & LEWES,  
Chartered Accountants.

D. K. CUNNISON,  
Assistant Secretary.

A. D. GORDON,  
Chairman.

## MERCHANT SHIPPING

*The 22nd December 1917.*

**No. 14095.**—In continuation of the Notification in this Department No. 12498, dated the 20th October 1917, the following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE,

The 23rd day of October, 1917.

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

Lord President.

Mr. Secretary Long.

Lord Steward.

Sir Frederick Ponsonby.

WHEREAS by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, it is enacted as follows :—

“ Where the Legislature of any British Possession provides for the survey of, and grant of Certificates for, Passenger Steamers, and the Board of Trade report to Her Majesty the Queen that they are satisfied that the Certificates are to the like effect, and are granted after a like survey, and in such manner as to be equally efficient with the Certificates granted for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under this Act, Her Majesty in Council may :—

- (1) declare that the Certificates granted in the said British Possession shall be of the same force as if granted under this Act ; and
- (2) declare that all or any of the provisions of this Part of this Act which relate to Passenger Steamers' Certificates shall, either without modification or with such modifications as to Her Majesty may seem necessary, apply to the Certificates granted in the said British Possession ; and
- (3) impose such conditions and make such regulations with respect to the Certificates, and to the use, delivery, and cancellation thereof, as to Her Majesty may seem fit, and impose fines not exceeding £50 for the breach of those conditions and regulations :

AND WHEREAS by Orders in Council dated respectively the 26th day of June, 1884, and the 17th day of October, 1884, Her late Majesty was pleased to direct that, subject to the modifications contained in such Orders, Certificates granted by the Governments of Bombay and Bengal respectively should be of the same force as if they had been granted for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping :

AND WHEREAS it is made to appear expedient to His Majesty that during the present War the modifications contained in the above recited Orders in Council, dated respectively the 26th day of June, 1884, and the 17th day of October, 1884, should be suspended :

AND WHEREAS the provisions of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, have been complied with :

NOW THEREFORE, His Majesty, in virtue of the powers vested in Him by the above-recited provision, and by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to direct that during the continuance of the present War :—

1. The Certificates granted by the Governments of Bombay and Bengal respectively for Passenger Steamers shall be of the same force as if they had been granted for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under the provisions of the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping.

2. That all the provisions of the said Acts which relate to Certificates granted for Passenger Steamers under those Acts shall apply to the Certificates referred to in this Order without modification, and that during the continuance of the present War the modifications in the above-recited Orders in Council dated the 26th day of June, 1884, and 17th day of October, 1884, be, and the same are hereby, suspended.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

## POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

*The 22nd December 1917.*

**No. 14055.**—Mr. C. D. Rae, Postmaster, Simla, pay Rs. 500—20—600, is appointed temporary Assistant Director-General of the Post Office with effect from the 1st December 1917 and until further orders. He will draw pay at Rs. 800 a month with a duty allowance of Rs. 150 a month from that date.

**No. 14057.**—Babu Kali Prasanna Sen, Superintendent of Post Offices, 1st grade, is placed on special duty on his own pay for the period from the 22nd November to the 31st December 1917, inclusive, in connection with the formation of the new office of the Deputy Postmaster-General at Dacca.

A. H. LEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## ARMY DEPARTMENT.

*Delhi, the 21st December 1917.*

### APPOINTMENTS.

**No. 2168.**—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding appointments graded as General Staff Officers, 3rd grade :—

Lieutenant H. P. W. Hutson, D.S.O., M.C., Royal Engineers. Dated 25th June 1917.  
Lieutenant H. C. Hony, Special List. Dated 16th July 1917.

**No. 2169.**—Lieutenant P. S. Hamilton, 2-4th Battalion, The Border Regiment, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of General Staff Officer, 3rd grade. Dated 29th November 1917.

**No. 2170.**—Second-Lieutenant G. H. Allen, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Staff Captain. Dated 5th December 1917.

**No. 2171.**—Second-Lieutenant G. D. M. Gwynne-Griffith, R.E., is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain while commanding a field company. Dated 8th December 1917.

**No. 2172.**—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain, while holding appointments as Platoon Commanders at a School of Instruction for Officers :—

Lieutenant G. T. Gill, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated 31st October 1917.

Lieutenant W. W. Wooding, 1st Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry. Dated 3rd November 1917.

Second-Lieutenant E. W. Ketley, 1st Garrison Battalion, The Royal Scots Fusiliers. Dated 10th October 1917.

**No. 2173.**—Second-Lieutenant C. W. Jimby, 2nd Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain but with the pay and allowances of a Lieutenant, while holding an appointment as Adjutant of a School of Instruction for Officers. Dated 3rd August 1917.

**No. 2174.**—Lieutenant R. J. D. Teague, 1st Battalion, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment), is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain but with pay and allowances of a Lieutenant, while holding the appointment of Adjutant of a Bombing School. Dated 1st December 1917.

**No. 2175.**—Second-Lieutenant Joseph Henry Dobson, The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), is granted the acting rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant of an Indian Defence Force Battalion. Dated 14th November 1917.

**No. 2176.**—Second-Lieutenant Ernest Harrop, The King's (Liverpool Regiment), is granted the acting rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant of an Indian Defence Force Battalion. Dated 20th November 1917.

**No. 2177.**—Second-Lieutenant George Darby, The Cheshire Regiment, is granted the acting rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant of an Indian Defence Force Battalion. Dated 20th November 1917.

**No. 2178.**—The services of Major A. K. Heyland, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department for a period of two years, for employment as Executive Commissariat Officer at Port Blair, from the date on which he assumes such duties.

**No. 2179.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second-Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

No. 20730 Serjeant William Whiteman. Dated 4th December 1917.

**No. 2180.**—The undermentioned warrant officer to be Second-Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.*

*Royal Field Artillery.*

No. 5529 Battery Serjeant Major William James Lewis. Dated 28th November 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

**No. 2181.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, with effect from the dates specified:—

Jaideva Varma	.	.	.	.	.	.	30th June 1917.
Ram Narain Sud	.	.	.	.	.	.	1st July 1917.
Umrao Singh Gupta	.	.	.	.	.	.	29th July 1917.
Rankim Chandra Sengupta	.	.	.	.	.	.	21st August 1917.
Jogendra Nath Basu	.	.	.	.	.	.	27th August 1917.
Harendra Nath Bose	.	.	.	.	.	.	27th August 1917.
Sobha Ram Puri	.	.	.	.	.	.	4th September 1917.
Shanker Narain Dojiba Gore	.	.	.	.	.	.	24th September 1917.
Joseph Lawrence Saldanha	.	.	.	.	.	.	25th September 1917.
Chiman Lall Dhingra	.	.	.	.	.	.	30th September 1917.
Ram Nath Sharma	.	.	.	.	.	.	8th October 1917.
Ganga Bishan	.	.	.	.	.	.	11th October 1917.
Yashvant Prabhakar Gupte	.	.	.	.	.	.	16th October 1917.
Jiwan Mal Chopra	.	.	.	.	.	.	19th October 1917.
Padamji Ardeshir Dastoor	.	.	.	.	.	.	21st October 1917.
Kandathel Eapen Pothan	.	.	.	.	.	.	21st October 1917.
Pattathil Balakrishna Menon	.	.	.	.	.	.	27th October 1917.
Muhammad Sulaiman Ashraf	.	.	.	.	.	.	31st October 1917.
Kandathil Mathulla Mathew	.	.	.	.	.	.	5th November 1917.
Chakkingal Krishna Menon	.	.	.	.	.	.	13th November 1917.
Govindarajapuram Rama Pattar Parasuram	.	.	.	.	.	.	19th November 1917.
Daivasi Kawany Iyer Kanka Sabhesan	.	.	.	.	.	.	22nd November 1917.
Suresh Chandra Banerji	.	.	.	.	.	.	23rd November 1917.
Subbaraya Kumaraswami Pillai	.	.	.	.	.	.	25th November 1917.

**No. 2182.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1767, dated the 19th October 1917, for "Yashman Vaman Modak" read "Yeshwant Vaman Modak".

**No. 2183.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be honorary temporary Lieutenant with effect from the date specified, for the period of his honorary service in Bombay:—

Behram Pestonjee Sabawala . . . . . 19th July 1917.

**No. 2184.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1414, dated the 31st August 1917, against the name of "Dabir Uddin Ahmad" for "9th August 1917" read "2nd August 1917."

**No. 2185.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1663, dated the 25th September 1917, against the name of Vithaldas Jioraj Doshi *for* 26th August 1917 *read* 25th August 1917.

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

**No. 2186.**—In Army Department Notification No. 854, dated the 1st June 1917, under the heading "Assistant Embarkation Staff Officers (Graded as Staff Captains)," *for* "Lieutenant H. H. Morgan, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers," *read* "Lieutenant H. H. Morgan, The Manchester Regiment."

#### INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2187.**—The following are appointed to the Indian Army on probation, subject to His Majesty's approval, with a view to permanent appointment, with effect from the dates specified :—

##### *To be Lieutenants.*

Captain Ian Stewart, 4th Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), attached 38th Dogras. Dated 23rd November 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Walter Laurence Cartler, 1-8th Battalion, The Worcestershire Regiment, attached 1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Richard Boyd Hedward, 1-8th Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment, attached 38th Dogras. Dated 29th August 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Thomas Smythe Emery, M. C., 4th Battalion, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), attached 67th Punjabis. Dated 31st July 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Lieutenant Henry Youle Huthwaite, M. C., 4th Battalion, The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), attached 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Kenneth Cuthbert Johnson Davies, Army Service Corps, attached 122nd Rajputana Infantry. Dated 30th November 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Arthur Llewelyn Evans, 1st Battalion, The Monmouthshire Regiment, attached 1st Battalion, 9th Bhopal Infantry. Dated 24th November 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Lieutenant Reginald Wallace Copland, 5th Battalion, The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), attached 3rd Battalion, 1st Gurkha Rifles. Dated 16th September 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Walter Stanley Smith, 7th (City of London) Battalion, The London Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 19th Punjabis. Dated 29th July 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Lieutenant William Thomas Forshaw, V. C., 9th Battalion, The Manchester Regiment, attached 76th Punjabis. Dated 25th November 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Richard Daunteshy Colnett, 3th (Cyclist) Battalion, The Essex Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 89th Punjabis. Dated 22nd November 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Captain Ralph Lenox Herring, 4th (City of London) Battalion, The London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers), attached 1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 22nd October 1917 but to rank from the 5th May 1916.

Lieutenant Montague Harford-Jones, 5th Battalion, The Worcestershire Regiment, attached 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry. Dated 23rd July 1917 but to rank from the 15th May 1916.

Lieutenant Leslie Vernon Fitzpatrick, 3rd Battalion, The South Staffordshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 19th Punjabis. Dated 28th July 1917 but to rank from the 15th May 1916.

Captain Alexander Granville Blake, 3rd Battalion, The Essex Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own, Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917, but to rank from the 15th May 1916.

Lieutenant Frank White, 7th Battalion, The Cheshire Regiment, attached 25th Punjabis. Dated 9th August 1917, but to rank from the 20th May 1916.

Lieutenant Ronald Mark Eaton King, 1-7th Battalion, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), attached 2nd Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles. Dated 16th September 1917, but to rank from the 5th June 1916.

Lieutenant Henry Pattinson, 8th Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment, attached 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 28th July 1917, but to rank from the 19th June 1916.

Lieutenant George Cecil Ballentine, 5th Battalion, The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, attached 66th Punjabis. Dated 1st July 1917, but to rank from the 19th June 1916.

Lieutenant Alfred Cecil Elliott, 9th Battalion, The Border Regiment (Pioneers), attached 95th Russell's Infantry. Dated 9th August 1917, but to rank from the 22nd June 1916.

Lieutenant Alfred Kammeyer Hillman, 9th Battalion, The Border Regiment (Pioneers), attached 111th Mahars. Dated 22nd November 1917, but to rank from the 22nd June 1916.

Lieutenant Dudley Russell, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), attached 2nd Battalion, 97th Deccan Infantry. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 22nd June 1916.

Lieutenant Edward Clennell Fenwicke-Clennell, M.C., 7th Battalion, The Northumberland Fusiliers, attached 2nd Battalion, 107th Pioneers. Dated 22nd November 1917, but to rank from the 8th July 1916.

Captain Thomas Francis John Eales, 8th Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, attached 97th Deccan Infantry. Dated 14th November 1917, but to rank from the 13th July 1916.

Captain Harold Christopher Watts, 11th Battalion, The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), attached 108th Infantry. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 14th July 1916.

Lieutenant Roland Cecil Grey, 11th Battalion (Cambridgeshire), The Suffolk Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 28th July 1916.

Captain Randall Evelyn Hunt, Army Service Corps, attached 31st Punjabis. Dated 22nd November 1917, but to rank from the 3rd August 1916.

Lieutenant Michael Gordon, 3rd Battalion, The Border Regiment, attached 76th Punjabis. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 9th August 1916.

Lieutenant Richard Narcissus Nunn, M.C., 7th Battalion, The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), attached 66th Punjabis. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 16th August 1916.

Lieutenant John Andrew Theodore Seed, 26th Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), attached 110th Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 18th August 1916.

Lieutenant Nial Creagh O'Morehoe, 5th Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), attached 29th Punjabis. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 24th August 1916.

Captain John Keane Jones, 11th Battalion, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, attached 3rd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 20th August 1917, but to rank from the 28th August 1916.

Lieutenant Robert Malcolm Hewitt, 18th Battalion, The King's (Liverpool Regiment), attached 3rd Battalion, 2nd Gurkha Rifles. Dated 16th September 1917, but to rank from the 15th September 1916.

Lieutenant Dickson James Beaton, 8th Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), attached 8th Rajputs. Dated 23rd November 1917, but to rank from the 18th September 1916.

Second-Lieutenant Brian Lincey Tankard, 3rd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), attached 116th Mahrattas. Dated 29th November 1917, but to rank from the 9th October 1916.

Lieutenant Frederick Harold Charnley, 8th Battalion, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, attached 3rd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 10th September 1917, but to rank from the 10th December 1916.

Lieutenant Allan Hodgson Booth, 18th Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), attached 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 11th December 1916.

Lieutenant Gordon Thomas Rogers Uff, Machine Gun Corps, attached 1st Battalion, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 22nd November 1917, but to rank from the 13th December 1916.

Second-Lieutenant Frederick Sidney Bassett, 3rd Battalion, The East Yorkshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 67th Punjabis. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 20th December 1916.

Lieutenant Reginald Blaxland Clarabut, 3rd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), attached 2nd Battalion, 67th Punjabis. Dated 25th November 1917 but to rank from the 27th December 1916.

Captain James Leonard Woollam, General List, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers. Dated 31st July 1917, but to rank from the 3rd January 1917.

Lieutenant Hamilton Samuel John Lloyd, Machine Gun Corps, attached 3rd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 16th September 1917, but to rank from the 4th January 1917.



● Lieutenant Alan Victor Dagg, 6th Battalion, The Leicestershire Regiment, attached 66th Punjab. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 6th January 1917.

Lieutenant Walter de Bois Maclaren, 2nd Battalion, The Highland Light Infantry, attached 2nd Battalion, 112th Infantry. Dated 24th September 1917, but to rank from the 13th January 1917.

Lieutenant George Macness Whiteway Johnson, 4th Battalion, The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, attached 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 23rd January 1917.

**No. 2188.**—The undermentioned to be temporary Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

John Frederick Stone.

Dated 20th December 1917.

**No. 2189.**—The name of Lieutenant William Bruce Bletsoe is as now stated and not as published in Army Department Notification No. 1795, dated the 26th October 1917.

● **No. 2190.**—Army Department Notification No. 1795, dated the 26th October 1917, so far as it relates to temporary Second Lieutenant Walter West Shearman, 14th Battalion, The South Wales Borderers, attached 3rd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles, is cancelled.

#### ARMY RESERVES.

**No. 2191.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

##### *Infantry Branch.*

##### *To be Lieutenants.*

Alister Esme Buchan Forbes.

Dated 3rd December 1917.

Walter Blackett.

Dated 13th December 1917.

##### *To be Second Lieutenants.*

William John Madden.

Dated 24th October 1917.

Ernest Raymond Allen.

Edward Gibson Fleming.

Edwin Bruce.

George Robinson Cockman.

Stephen Patrick Toomey.

John Poinfret Rushton.

Samuel Lesser.

John Patrick Thomas McAuliffe.

Percy Edward Perry.

Aldworth Marnock Walker.

George Frederick Byles.

Harold Coster Stevens.

George Elliott.

Dated 19th November 1917.

Dated 20th November 1917.

Dated 4th December 1917.

Dated 7th December 1917.

Dated 8th December 1917.

Dated 10th December 1917.

Dated 11th December 1917.

Dated 15th December 1917.

##### *Veterinary Branch.*

##### *To be Lieutenant.*

Sidney George Middleton Hickey.

Dated 13th December 1917.

**No. 2192.**—Edward Joseph Marc (Second Lieutenant, 1st Garrison Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry) to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 30th April 1917, but to rank from the 10th June 1916.

**No. 2193.**—Lieutenant Alister Esme Buchan Forbes, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Major, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Deputy Superintendent of Recruitment. Dated 3rd December 1917.

**No. 2194.**—Second Lieutenant Aldworth Marnock Walker, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Superintendent, Government Farms Department. Dated 10th December 1917.

**No. 2195.**—Lieutenant David Patrick Copeland, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while commanding a depot of a Labour Corps. Dated 19th April 1917.

**No. 2196.**—Lieutenant (temporary Captain) J. K. Williams, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Major while holding an appointment as Assistant Director of Works. Dated 1st August 1917.

**No. 2197.**—Lieutenant Henry Benjamin Bennett, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Assistant to the Deputy Superintendent of Recruitment, Bombay, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

**No. 2198.**—The undermentioned Lieutenants of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain (without pay and allowances of that rank), subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Assistant Recruiting Officers:—

8th December 1917.

William James O'Grady.

10th December 1917.

Humphrey Cyprian Beverly Jollye.

**No. 2199.**—Lieutenant Stanley Lewin Nathan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain (without pay and allowances of that rank), subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed in the Military Accounts Department, with effect from the 21st December 1917.

**No. 2200.**—Lieutenant William Evelyn Joseph Dobbs, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while specially employed, with effect from the 21st December 1917.

**No. 2201.**—The undermentioned Second-Lieutenants of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain (without pay and allowances of that rank), subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Assistant Recruiting Officers, with effect from the 4th December 1917:—

William Ramsay Corson Callander.

Cyril Edgar Jones.

**No. 2202.**—In Army Department Notification No. 892, dated the 8th June 1917, for "G. H. H. Forbes" read "G. H. N. Forbes".

#### LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 2203.**—The following extracts are published for general information:—

*London Gazette dated the 2nd October 1917, pages 10179 and 10182.*

*India Office,  
2nd October, 1917.*

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The KING has approved the retirement of the following officer of the Indian Army:—  
Lieutenant Ralph Ashenhurst Mackean (in consequence of ill-health). Dated 19th September 1917.

*Second Supplement dated the 22nd October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 19th October 1917, pages 10841, 10842 and 10843.*

*War Office,  
22nd October, 1917.*

#### REGULAR FORCES.

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#### ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing.*—The undermentioned appts. are made:—

*Flying Officers.*

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20th August 1917.

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2nd-Lt. D. B. Cumming, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

*Third Supplement dated the 22nd October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 19th October 1917, pages 10861, 10862, 10863, 10864, 10865, 10866 and 10869.*

*War Office,  
22nd October, 1917.*

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award a Bar to the Distinguished Conduct Medal, and the Distinguished Conduct Medal, respectively, to the undermentioned warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men.

The acts of gallantry for which the decorations have been conferred will be published in the London Gazette next month if practicable :—

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*Awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.*

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8 Cpl. J. Dunning, Ind. Unattd. List.

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65390 A./Bombr. E. G. Hewes, R.F.A (Madras, India).

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13623 B.S.M. G. Low, R.F.A. (Bangalore, India).

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3rd Class Asst. Surg. R. H. F. Parkinson, I.S.M.D.

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His Majesty the KING-EMPEROR has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards to non commissioned officers and men of the Indian Army :—

*Awarded the Indian Order of Merit, 2nd Class.*

2505 Havildar Habib-Ur-Rahman Khan, Infy. (30th June, 1917).

*Awarded a Bar to the Indian Distinguished Service Medal.*

2475 Daf. Jot Ram, Ind. Cav.

(I.D.S.M. gazetted 4th June, 1917.)

*Awarded the Indian Distinguished Service Medal.*

Subadar Amar Singh, Ind. Inf.

Subadar Asst. Surg. Indar Singh, I.S.M.D.

438 Havildar Mandhoj Lama, Ind. Inf.

3769 Sepoy Mustafa Khan, Ind. Inf.

1041 Naik Natha Singh, Mountain By.

1000 L./Naik Payanda Khan, Mountain By.

504 Gnr. Ram Singh, Mountain By. (F. F).

2357 L./Naik Rustam Khan, Ind. Infy.

692 Havildar Sakhi Zaman, Ind. Inf.

3067 Daf. Sant Singh, Cav.

2532 Daf. Siri Ram, Cav.

*Fourth Supplement dated the 23rd October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 19th October 1917, pages 10871, 10872 and 10878.*

War Office,  
23rd October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl) —

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Lt.-Col. E. R. Morton, ret pay, Ind. Army. 1st Oct., 1917.

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## ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing.*—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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*Flying Officers (Observers)* —Lt. J. S. Owden, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 6th Aug., 1917, with seniority from 29th March 1917.

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Lt. H. B. H. Dickinson, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 6th Aug. 1917, with seniority from 14th April, 1917.

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## INFANTRY.

*Training Reserve.*

Bt.-Col. M. E. O'Donoghue (ret., Ind. Army) to comd. a Bn. 4th October, 1917.

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## VOLUNTEER FORCE.

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*City of London Volunteer Regt.*

Group "A."—John Edward Carey (Maj., Punjabis, Indian Army) to be temp. Capt. and Group Adj. 5th Oct. 1917.

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*Supplement dated the 24th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 23rd October 1917, pages 10958 and 10959.*

War Office,  
24th October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

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## ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

*Mil. Wing.*—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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The undermentioned to be temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.) :—

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19th October 1917.

Frederic Arthur de Vere Robertson, late Lt., Ind. Army Res. of Off.

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*Third Supplement dated the 25th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 23rd October 1917, pages 10987 and 10990.*

War Office,  
25th October, 1917.

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## MEMORANDA

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The undermentioned Officers, Ind. Army, to be Cols. :—

Lt.-Col. G. L'H. Sanders, Supply and Trans. Corps. 9th Oct. 1916.

1st January 1917.

Bt. Col. H. E. Lewis.

Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) L. N. Younghusband, C.B., Cav.

Bt. Col. W. W. Chitty.

Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) A. B. H. Drew

Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) C. E. de M. Norie, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.

Lt.-Col. A. J. Campbell.

Lt.-Col. E. G. Wright.

Lt.-Col. T. Y. Seddon.

Bt. Col. H. C. Tytler. 3rd May 1917.

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*Fourth Supplement dated the 26th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 26th October 1917, pages 1100 and 11018*

War Office,  
26th October, 1917

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## MEMORANDA

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Bt. Col. E. H. Boome, C.M.G., Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Genl. whilst comdg. a Garrison. 26th September 1917.

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*Supplement dated the 27th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 26th October 1917, page 11091.*

War Office,  
27th October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

## MILITARY SECRETARY'S STAFF.

*Asst. Mslg. Sec.*—(Graded for purposes of pay as an A. A. G.)—Bt. Lt.-Col. L. G. Williams, D.S.O., Ind. Cav. 1st September 1917.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.)—

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10th October 1917.

Lt.-Col. H. W. Johnston, Ind. Army.

Lt.-Col. G. T. Widdicombe, C.B., Ind. Army.

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*Second Supplement dated the 27th October 1917 to the London Gazette of the 26th October 1917, pages 11107 and 11111.*

*War Office,  
27th October, 1917.*

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#### AMENDMENTS.

Page 1146. London Gazette, dated 1st Feb. 1917.

*Awarded the Second Class of the Indian Order of Merit.*

*Faridkot Imperial Sappers and Miners.*

*For Subadar-Maj. and Hon. Capt. Nand Singh, Sardar Bahadur (ret.) read Col. Nand Singh, Bahadur.*

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#### PROMOTIONS.

**No. 2204.**—In Army Department Notification No. 2088, dated the 8th December 1917, insert the heading "No. 3 Wireless Signal Squadron".

**No. 2205.**—The following acting promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

##### *Royal Garrison Artillery.*

Second Lieutenant G. H. Wateridge to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of British Mountain Artillery from 17th February 1917 to 19th October 1917, *vice* Captain H. M. J. McIntyre, extra regimentally employed.

**No. 2206.**—Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. Bates relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to perform the duties of Adjutant of a brigade of Heavy Artillery. Dated 31st October 1917.

**No. 2207.**—The name of Lieutenant G. F. Willcox is as now described and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1910, dated the 9th November 1917.

##### *Territorial Force.*

**No. 2208.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

##### *Royal Field Artillery.*

Second Lieutenant J. C. J. Nicol to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 26th August 1917, *vice* Captain W. G. Harrison, promoted with effect from 26th August 1917.

Lieutenant R. F. Woodhouse to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 27th August 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. B. Wilson, transferred with effect from 27th August 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. B. Edmunds to be acting Major while commanding a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 14th September 1917, *vice* Major C. R. Riekeard, vacated with effect from 30th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant R. H. Dark to be acting Captain while performing the duties of Captain of a battery of Royal Field Artillery. Dated 14th September 1917, *vice* Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. B. Edmunds, promoted with effect from 14th September 1917.

##### *Infantry.*

**No. 2209.**—The following temporary and acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

##### *1-1st Kent Battalion.*

Second Lieutenant T. A. Fuller to be temporary Lieutenant while acting as Adjutant. Dated 30th May 1917 to 2nd August 1917, *vice* Captain R. T. W. Smith, vacated.

Second Lieutenant T. A. Fuller to be acting Captain while acting as Adjutant, but with pay and allowances as for Lieutenant. Dated 3rd August 1917.

## INDIAN ARMY.

● **No. 2210.**—The undermentioned General Officers, who were promoted to their present rank for distinguished service, are absorbed into the establishment of Lieutenant-Generals of the Indian Army in existing vacancies, under the provisions of paragraph 319-D., Army Regulations, India, Volume II :—

Lieutenant-General Sir F. Campbell, K.C.B., D.S.O., Indian Army. Dated the 7th June 1917.

Lieutenant-General Sir W. R. Birdwood, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army. Dated the 30th June 1917.

**No. 2211.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

28th October 1917.

Wilfrid James Mitchell, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

5th December 1917.

Brevet Colonel Herbert Jose Pierson Browne, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert William Jackson, 90th Punjabis.

Brevet Colonel Andrew Skeen, C.M.G., A.D.C., 24th Punjabis.

Arthur Manson Houston, 64th Punjabis.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Wilfrid Bickford, C.I.E., 107th Pioneers.

*Captains to be Majors.*

17th October 1917.

Eric Sortain Hancock, 90th Punjabis.

19th October 1917.

Brian Maurice Carroll, 87th Punjabis.

22nd October 1917.

Hon'ble Michael William Robert De Courcy, D.S.O., 32nd Sikh Pioneers.

Herbert Bowater Vernon, M.C., 27th Punjabis.

Alan Sauer Auret, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.

Thomas Owen Wilkinson, 91st Punjabis, (Light Infantry).

William Kenneth Pollexfen Wilson, 30th Punjabis.

12th December 1917.

Herbert Gillies, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

**No. 2212.**—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) B. H. Wiles, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a squadron. Dated 9th November 1917.

*23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) N. E. Marriott, 25th Cavalry, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a squadron. Dated 29th October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 6th Jat Light Infantry.*

Major G. E. Hardie, 123rd Outram's Rifles, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 24th November 1917.

*24th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant C. H. K. Phillips, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 5th October 1917 to 14th November 1917, inclusive.

*36th Sikhs.*

Lieutenant W. Milburne, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 12th November 1917.

*3rd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.*

Major C. G. Stansfeld, 8th Gurkha Rifles, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 16th November 1917, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. McK. T. Hogg, appointed Commandant, 2nd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles, with effect from 1st November 1917.

*43rd Erinpura Regiment.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) W. G. H. Templeton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 14th November 1917.

*49th Bengalie.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) S. G. Taylor, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 26th October 1917.

Lieutenant G. G. Pearse, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 10th November 1917.

*56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) V. H. Raynor, 87th Punjabis, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 3rd November 1917.

*59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. H. Burne, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 6th November 1917.

*63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant D. D. M. Urquhart, British Service (General List), attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 13th September 1917, *vice* Second Lieutenant H. N. Digges La Touche, vacated, with effect from 29th August 1917.

*82nd Punjabis.*

Lieutenant C. W. Toovey, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 8th November 1917.

*83rd Wallejabad Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. E. Greenhouse to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 11th October 1917.

Lieutenant J. A. Robinson, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 11th October 1917.

*84th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. O. F. Maurice, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 30th October 1917.

Lieutenant E. D. Cant, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 14th November 1917.

*92nd Punjabis.*

Lieutenant E. L. C. Hasell-Wright, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 26th October 1917.

*97th Deccan Infantry.*

Captain W. G. K. Broome, 89th Punjabis, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 30th October 1917.

*116th Mahrattas.*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) A. E. J. McConnell-McDowell, Civil Employ, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion. Dated 2nd November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) F. K. Ward, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 2nd November 1917.

Major C. W. A. Holmes to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 17th November 1917.



*2nd Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles.*

● Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. Ashton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a wing. Dated 12th October 1917.

Lieutenant H. J. Twynam, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a wing. Dated 27th October 1917, *vice* Lieutenant A. Ashton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated with effect from 12th October 1917.

*125th Napier's Rifles.*

Lieutenant H. S. M. McEntire, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 24th October 1917.

*1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).*

Captain H. D. Minchinton to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 30th October 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

◀ Captain (acting Major) W. G. Harington, D. S. O., (since deceased), relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 13th July 1917.

Captain A. Neville Rolfe to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 21st July 1917.

Captain (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) A. Neville Rolfe reverts to acting Major on ceasing to command a battalion and while second-in-command. Dated 29th July 1917.

Captain (acting Major) A. Neville Rolfe to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 14th October 1917.

Captain W. G. Harington, D. S. O., (since deceased), to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion. Dated 13th August 1917 to 28th August 1917, inclusive.

Captain H. A. Wellesley, M. C., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 14th October 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding companies :—

Lieutenant G. A. Maconchy, attached. Dated 28th June 1917.

Lieutenant A. C. Gladstone, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached. Dated 21st July 1917 to 28th July 1917, inclusive, and from 14th October 1917 to 16th October 1917, inclusive.

Lieutenant A. U. M. Spottiswoode. Dated 1st November 1917.

*Army Department Notification No. 1428, dated the 31st August 1917, so far as it concerns Lieutenant G. A. Maconchy, is cancelled.*

*1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) C. G. Crawford, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 16th November 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Captain (acting Major) T. C. E. Barstow relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 15th November 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.*

Captain (acting Major) S. S. Whitaker, M. C., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in command of a battalion. Dated 28th April 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) W. R. B. Williams relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company. Dated 28th April 1917.

Captain S. S. Whitaker, M.C., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion. Dated 30th October 1917.

Lieutenant W. R. B. Williams to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 30th October 1917.

**No. 2213.**—The following amendment is made to Army Department Notification No. 1972, dated the 17th November 1917 :—

*3rd Sappers and Miners.*

◊ For "Temporary 2nd Lieutenant H. Fitzgerald, R. E." read "Temporary 2nd Lieutenant W. R. Fitzgerald, R. E."

## ARMY RESERVES.

**No. 2214.**—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

*Lieutenant to be Captain.*

1st November 1917.

Ralph Neild.

*Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.*

24th February 1916.

Charles Russell (since deceased).

13th March 1917.

Temporary Captain Alexander Edwin Baird.

**No. 2215.**—The promotion to his present rank of Lieutenant Charles Morden Collett, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is antedated to the 9th September 1915.

## CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

**No. 2216.**—Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Peck, Indian Army, Supernumerary List, is granted increased staff pay at the rate of Rs 500 per mensem, with effect from 19th May 1917.

## INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

*Sub-Assistant Surgeon Branch—Bengal Establishment.*

**No. 2217.**—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon to be 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 22nd October 1917:—

No 990 Narayan-das.

## NATIVE ARMY.

## APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

**No. 2218.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Alam Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, I.O.M., Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumaden's). Dated 1st November 1917.

**No. 2219.**—The following promotions are made:—

*4th Cavalry.*

Kot-Dafadar Wajid Ali Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*7th Haryana Lancers.*

Kot-Dafadar Harnam Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*8th Cavalry.*

Kot-Dafadar Fazal Ali Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th April 1917, *vice* Hayat Muhammad Khan, deceased, and to remain seconded. Kot-Dafadar Raghbir Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th November 1917, and to be seconded with a Syce Corps.

Kot-Dafadars Nur Muhammad Khan, Dhanpat Singh and Ibrahim Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 17th November 1917; to complete the establishment of a Remount Squadron.

*21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).*

Jemadar Jahangir Beg, I. O. M., to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

*39th King George's Own Central India Horse.*

Ressaidar Bachan Singh to be Risaldar, Jemadars Bachittar Singh and Malik Sher Muhammad Khan to be Ressaidars, Kot-Dafadars Makhan Singh and Ratan Singh and Dafadar Sanwal Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 22nd September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*34th (Reserve) Mountain Battery.*

Subadar Sundar Singh to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 1st June 1917, *vice* Nur Alam, *Sardar Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

*Royal Artillery Depot, Dinapore.*

Havildar Bahadur Khan [No. 60 (Heavy) Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery], to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*Royal Artillery Depot, Subbulpore.*

Havildar Puran Singh [No. 68 (Heavy) Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery], to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners*

Jemadar Bo Pan Bu to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st August 1917, Havildar Bo Sugay to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th June 1917, and Havildar Bo Sugyee to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*School of Signalling, Lucknow.*

Havildar Dwarka Singh (8th Rajputs) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*No. 15 (Divisional Signal) Company.*

Colour-Havildar Narainsami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd August 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*Machine Gun Corps.*

Havildars Abbas Ali Khan (No. 8 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), Jetha Singh (No. 6 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), Sawan Singh (No. 3 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), Sant Singh (No. 1 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), and Fateh Khan (No. 1 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), to be Jemadars, with effect from the 30th September 1917, and Havildar Khanda Singh, (30th Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.*

Havildar Bharath Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.*

Jemadar Ramparshad Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Jaswant Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th September 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*8th Rajputs.*

Havildar Mahipal Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st December 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).*

Jemadars Radha Singh, Labh Singh and Nihala to be Subadars, Colour-Havildars Udmi and Thakur Singh and Havildars U'dai Singh, Ramji Lal and Jai Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 6th June 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).*

Colour-Havildars Abdul Ghafur Khan and Umrao Ali Khan and Havildars Nur Din Khan, Yusuf Khan, Arshad Khan, Bhagu Khan and Shankar Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 21st Punjabis.*

Jemadar Achhar Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 25th November 1917, Havildar Ram Kishan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd October 1917 and Havildar Kirpa Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st December 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*31st Punjabis.*

Jemadar Narayan Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th June 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 34th Sikh Pioneers.*

Jemadar Sohawa Singh (32nd Sikh Pioneers) to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th September 1917, Jemadar Asa Singh (32nd Sikh Pioneers) to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th September 1917, Havildar Gurdit Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th September 1917, Havildar Sundar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th September 1917, and Havildar Phumman Singh (23rd Sikh Pioneers), to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th September 1917; to complete the establishment.

*44th Merwara Infantry.*

Colour-Havildar Hira to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*92nd Punjabis.*

Jemadar Allahdad to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

*98th Infantry.*

Colour-Havildar Puran Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th June 1917, to complete the establishment.

*105th Mahratta Light Infantry*

Colour-Havildar Ramji Garud to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th August 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 113th Infantry*

Colour-Havildar Rasal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*3rd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.*

Naik Hamidullah Khan (Punjab Brigade Signal Section) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th November 1917; to complete the establishment

*1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.*

Havildar Randhoj Gurang to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1917; to complete the establishment.

*10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).*

**No. 2220.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1979, dated the 16th November 1917, for "12th July 1917" read "12th July 1916."

## ARMY REMOUNT DEPARTMENT.

**No. 2221.**—The following promotion is made:—

Ressaidar Muhammad Ali Khan to be Risaldar, 3rd Class; with effect from the 7th November 1917.

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**RESIGNATIONS**

## INDIAN ARMY.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 2222.**—Lieutenant George Percy Andrew, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached 70th Burma Rifles, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 29th November 1917.

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**RETIREMENTS.**

## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2223.**—The services of temporary Lieutenant Edward Charles Graham, Indian Army, are dispensed with on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 30th November 1917.

## ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

**No. 2224.**—Conductor Alfred Charles Tinkler, Ordnance Department, Southern Army, has been transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 13th November 1917.

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**REWARDS.**

**No. 2225.**—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned warrant officer of the Supply and Transport Corps, in recognition of his services in the field during the war :—

Sub-Conductor Henry Frank Edgerley to be Conductor; with effect from the 31st October 1917.

**INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.**

**No. 2226.**—The following amendments are made to Army Department Notification No. 1360, dated 17th August 1917 :—

*For* " No. 2085 Sepoy Kishan Singh, Sikhs " *read* " No. 2084 Sepoy Kishan Singh, Sikhs ".

*For* " No. 1335 Naik Tail Singh, Sikhs " *read* " No. 1337 Naik Tabil Singh, Sikhs ".

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**CANTONMENTS—REGULATIONS.**

**No. 2227.**—In Army Department Notification No. 2054, dated the 30th November 1917, the following amendments should be made to the new section 171-C of the Cantonment Code, 1912 :—

*For* " Sections 158-K and 158-L " *substitute* " Sections 238-A and 238-B."

*For* " Section 158-B " *substitute* " Section 171-A".

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**RESOLUTION.**

**No. 2228.**—In Military Department Notification No. 718, dated the 17th July 1903, the approval of the Government of India was accorded to the adoption of the system detailed below for the promulgation of Government and other orders to the Army in India :—

- (1) The system of publishing orders to the Army in G. G. Os G. Os. C. C., or India Army Circulars to be discontinued.
- (2) All orders or notifications to the Army to appear either in the *Gazette of India*, or in orders published by the Adjutant-General's Department styled "India Army Orders."
- (3) All such commissions, appointments, promotions, retirements, rewards, legal notifications, despatches connected with field operations, or other notifications to be published in the *Gazette of India* which it is usual or expedient to publish therein.
- (4) Changes in organisation, etc., and rewards of a minor description, such as the grant of meritorious service medals, to be notified only in India Army Orders, as a rule.
- (5) India Army Orders to commence with the notification of all Royal Warrants and Regulations or orders promulgated under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, or the Governor-General in Council, and to be prefaced accordingly. Such notifications to be followed by orders which had hitherto appeared only in G. O. C. C.
- (6) A quarterly appendix to the India Army Orders to be published in the place of India Army Circulars, to contain only corrections to the India Army Regulations, and to be printed separately so as to facilitate the correction of books of regulations.

2. The Government of India have had under consideration a proposal to modify the system under which the decisions of Government and the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief are communicated through the medium of Army Department letters and India Army Orders, respectively. Under the existing system, Army Department letters are generally addressed to the administrative Branch of Army Headquarters to which the subject-matter pertains, or to the General Officer Commanding Division or Independent Brigade, or Controller of Military Accounts concerned. They seldom reach the smaller formations and staffs without great delay and duplication of work and many never reach units at all. India Army Orders frequently contain much matter which is not proper to them.

3. In modification of the orders contained in the notification quoted in paragraph 1 above, the Government of India have decided that the procedure detailed below shall be adopted, with effect from the 1st January 1918, for the promulgation of decisions of Government and orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief to the Army in India :—

(a) *Army Department letters* conveying the sanction of the Government of India to proposals emanating from Army Headquarters or elsewhere will in future be restricted to cases of individual or of special application, and will not convey decisions which will form precedents for the Army as a whole. They will also deal with confidential matters, even of general importance, which cannot properly be published in India Army Orders.

(b) Decisions not within the powers of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India and which convey the orders of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India or the Governor-General in Council on matters affecting the Army as a whole will in future be issued simultaneously to all authorities in a form analogous to the British Army Council Instructions. The form of communication will be designated "Army Instructions (India)."

(c) The Army Instructions (India) will be printed over the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department, and will appear on separate sheets numbered consecutively. They will be issued regularly once a week, to all authorities, civil and military, from the Government Press: the distribution list corresponding approximately to that of India Army Orders.

A bound copy of these instructions will be issued monthly with an index.

(d) India Army Orders will in future be restricted to the promulgation of orders in which His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India is the deciding authority and to the republication of such War Office Army Orders as are deemed applicable to the Army in India.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, ordered also that it should be communicated to the several Departments of the Government of India; the Financial Adviser, Military Finance; all local Governments and Administrations; Heads of Branches of Army Headquarters; the Director, Royal Indian Marine, and all Controllers of Military Accounts.

## INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

### APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

#### *United Provinces Horse.*

##### *2nd (Northern) Regiment.*

**No. 2229.**—Lieutenant Arthur Edward Singleton Hobbs resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers.*

**No. 2230.**—Lieutenant John Milne Thorburn (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Simla Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2231.**—Lieutenant-Colonel William Daniel Henry, C.I.E., V.D., A.D.C., is granted the rank of Honorary Colonel. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.*

**No. 2232.**—Captain James Henry Harford resigns his commission, and is permitted to retain his rank on retirement. Dated the 31st March 1917.

#### *Poona Rifles.*

**No. 2233.**—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted temporary commissions, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

##### *To be Second Lieutenants.*

Robert Benson Ewbank. Dated 30th October 1917.

Francis William Marrs. Dated 13th October 1917.

#### *Calcutta Scottish Volunteers.*

**No. 2234.**—Captain John Black Ross (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

## RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

## NOTIFICATIONS.

*Simla, the 19th December 1917.*

**No. 308-E.—17.**—Mr. T. A. Hurst, Sub-Engineer, 2nd grade, is appointed to the Provincial Engineer Establishment of State Railways as an Assistant Engineer with effect from the 1st September 1917 and posted to the Eastern Bengal Railway.

**No. 1406-E.**—With reference to Railway Board's notification No. 1406-2-E., dated the 2nd October 1917, Mr. I. S. Cameron, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways with effect from the 15th November 1917.

**No. 1759-E.**—Mr. B. C. L. Bean, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, in class III, grade I, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Kalka-Simla Railway, in class II of that Establishment, during the absence of Mr. A. I. Sleight, on military training, with effect from the 10th November 1917.

*The 20th December 1917.*

**No. 1215-E.—17.**—With reference to notification No. 1503-E.—17, dated 8th November 1917, Mr. R. McLean, Officiating Assistant Secretary, Railway Board, reverted to his appointment as Executive Engineer on special duty with the Railway Board, with effect from the 12th December 1917.

**No. 1215-1-E.—17.**—With reference to notifications No. 1503-1-E.—17, dated 8th November 1917, and No. 1215-E.—17, dated 20th December 1917, Mr. F. S. Bond, Executive Engineer on special duty with the Railway Board, reverted to his appointment as Executive Engineer, Garhwal District Railway Survey, with effect from the 12th December 1917.

**No. 1606-E.**—Captain C. C. Phipps, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, State Railways (on military duty), is promoted from grade 2 to grade 1 of class III of the Superior Revenue Establishment, with effect from the 4th November 1917.

**No. 1781-1-E.**—Mr. D. L. McPherson, District Locomotive Superintendent, in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways (on special duty) officiated in the rank of Deputy Locomotive Superintendent in class I (supernumerary) of that Establishment from the 3rd to the 17th November 1917.

**No. 1781-2-E.**—Mr. A. C. Robertson, District Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in class II, grade 4, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways officiated as a Deputy Locomotive Superintendent in class I of that Establishment from the 3rd to the 17th November 1917.

**No. 1781-3-E.**—Mr. G. M. Wells, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern-Bengal Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways officiated as a District Locomotive Superintendent in class II of that Establishment from the 3rd to the 17th November 1917.

*Delhi, the 19th December 1917.*

**No. 544-T.—17.**—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1916, namely :—

After Rule 11 E of the said Rules the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

“ 11 F. Where in the opinion of the Governor General in Council there is reason to

Power to control the issue of railway tickets to intending pilgrims. apprehend that the holding of any fair will impede or delay the production, repair or transport of war material or the transport of troops, the Governor

General in Council may, by order in writing, restrict or prohibit for such period as may be specified in the order the issue of tickets by any railway administration for any destination therein named to persons intending or believed to be intending to take part in such fair. ”

F. A. HADOW,  
Secretary, Railway Board.





GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 20th December 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

1. There was no rainfall of importance till the end of the week when a winter depression entered north-west India, and gave fairly widespread precipitation in the North-West Frontier Province, Kashmir, the north-west Punjab, and the United Provinces.

2. *Burma, including the Bay Islands*.—Rain fell in the Andamans and at Mergui.

*North-east India, including Orissa*.—Patna reported a light fall of rain.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces*.—Rain fell locally in the United Provinces, and there were a few falls in Central India East and the Central Provinces.

*North-west India*.—There was nearly general rain in the east and north Punjab on the 18th. Local precipitation was reported from the North-West Frontier Province, Kashmir, south-west Rajputana and lower Sind.

*The Peninsula*.—A few falls of rain occurred in south Madras.

3. The chief amounts of precipitation reported were as follows :—

December 14th. Tinnevely 1·25".

" 15th. Port Blair 2·13" and Mergui 1·17".

" 17th. Port Blair 1·30".

" 18th. Rawalpindi 1·27" and Murree 1·50".

" 19th. Roorkee 0·47", Dehra Dun and Mukteswar each 0·96", Mussooree 1·34", Chakrata 1·50", Satna 0·66", Jubbulpore 0·83", Ambala 0·65", Rawalpindi 1·56", Simla 0·50", Dharampore 1·72", Murree 1·80 and Sonamarg 1·20".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in excess in the Bay Islands, the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, Sind and Central India East; and was 20 per cent. or more in defect in Burma, Assam, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, Kashmir, the Punjab South-west, Baluchistan, Rajputana East, Berar, the Central Provinces East, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad South, Mysore and the Madras Presidency. It was within 20 per cent. of the normal in the North-West Frontier Province, Rajputana West and the Central Provinces West. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 30th November to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province and Sind; and is 20 per cent. or more in defect in Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, Kashmir, the Punjab South-west, Rajputana, Central India West, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, Madras South-east and the Madras Deccan. The absence of rainfall is a normal feature of the weather at this season of the year in Bihar, Gujarat and the Konkan; in the remaining divisions rainfall differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 20TH DECEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 20TH NOVEMBER TO 20TH DECEMBER 1917.					C.
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to- date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.		
							This week.	Last week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Bay Islands . . . . .	4.0	1.4	+2.6	6.2	5.7	+0.6	+11	-47	
Lower Burma . . . . .	0.1	0.2	-0.1	0.5	0.6	-0.1	-17	0	
Upper Burma . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.4	-0.4	-100	-100	
Assam . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.3	-0.1	-33	0	
Bengal . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.3	-0.3	-100	-100	
Orissa . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.3	-0.3	-100	-100	
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100	
Bihar . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0.2	0.1	+0.1	0.2	0.1	+0.1	+100	0	
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0.3	0.1	+0.2	0.3	0.2	+0.1	+50	-100	
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0.6	0.1	+0.5	0.7	0.2	+0.5	+250	0	
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100	
Kashmir . . . . .	0.4	0.5	-0.1	0.5	0.9	-0.4	-44	-75	
N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0.1	0.1	0	0.5	0.2	+0.3	+150	+300	
Baluchistan . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0.7	0.6	+0.1	+17	+75	
Sind . . . . .	0.1	0	+0.1	0.1	0	+0.1	—	0	
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0.1	0.1	0	0.1	0.2	-0.1	-50	-100	
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100	
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	-100	
Central India, East . . . . .	0.3	0.2	+0.1	0.3	0.3	0	0	-100	
Berar . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0	0.3	-0.3	-100	-100	
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0.2	0.2	0	0.2	0.3	-0.1	-33	-100	
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100	
Konkan . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100	
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	-100	
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0	
Mysore . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.4	-0.4	-100	-100	
Malabar . . . . .	0.1	0.3	-0.2	1.2	1.1	+0.1	+9	+37	
Madras, South-East . . . . .	0.3	1.1	-0.8	2.6	3.6	-0.9	-26	-4	
Madras Deccan . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.4	-0.3	-75	-67	
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	0	0.3	-0.3	1.4	1.2	+0.2	+17	+53	

GILBERT T. WALKER,  
Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 20th December 1917.

R. A. MANT,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday,  
15th December 1917.

**Burma.**—The week was practically rainless. Reaping of winter rice is general in Upper Burma. Sowing of miscellaneous and island crops is nearing completion. Harvesting of cotton, groundnut, late sesamum and other miscellaneous winter crops is proceeding. Standing crops are good. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon is stationary but high. The market for white rice is weak at Rupees 250 for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather was seasonable. Plucking and manufacture of tea and sowing of mustard are nearly finished. Harvesting of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Prospects of winter rice, sugarcane and cotton are good and those of mustard fair to good. Cattle disease is reported from one district. Price of common rice has fallen slightly.

**Bengal.**—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting of winter paddy is in full swing. Spring sowings are fast approaching completion. Preparatory tillage for the next season's autumn crops has commenced in eastern Bengal. The present outlook of the spring crops is generally fair. Cattle disease is reported from parts of the Murshidabad, Burdwan, Bankura, Hooghly, Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, Malda and Bakarganj districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 2 per cent. below that of the preceding week.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—There was practically no rain during the week. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane continue. Sowing of spring crops is nearing completion. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has fallen in four districts, risen in three and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. Cattle disease is reported from ten districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

**United Provinces.**—No rain fell during the week. Irrigation and weeding of *ragi*, sugarcane and poppy and pressing of cane continue. Threshing and harvesting of late rice, picking of cotton and sowings of *ragi* and poppy are almost complete. Standing crops are good. Prospects are favourable. Agricultural stock is doing well. Little cattle disease is reported. Fodder is still dear in parts. Prices are tending to rise generally.

**Punjab.**—The weather was dry. Picking of cotton and pressing of sugarcane continue. The yield of the former is below normal, and that of the latter is normal to good. Sowings of wheat and barley are in progress in some districts, the area sown being normal or good. Standing spring crops are generally in good condition. Cattle are healthy. Fodder is getting scarce in a few districts. Prices are rising and range between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat :—Ferozepore  $7\frac{1}{2}$ , Lahore, Rawalpindi and Lyallpur 8 and Ambala  $8\frac{1}{2}$  seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—The week was rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops is proceeding normally. The putturn is average. Prospects of spring crops are good. Prices of wheat :—Peshawar  $8\frac{1}{8}$  and Dera Ismail Khan  $9\frac{1}{8}$  seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—Rain fell in some parts. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 14 and maize from 14 to 28 seers per rupee. Condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in Ramban tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—Report not received.

**Rajputana.**—The weather was cool. Spring sowings continue. Autumn prospects and agricultural stock are fair. Prices are steady.

**Central India.**—No rain fell during the week. The weather was cloudy and cool. Autumn crops are being harvested in Gwalior and Bhopal. Cotton is being picked in Gwalior and Indore. Spring crops are being sown everywhere. Standing crops and probable outturn are fair to good. Agricultural stock is generally good. Prices are high everywhere particularly in Malwa with no signs of falling.

**Central Provinces.**—The weather has been clear and cool. Reaping and threshing of autumn crops and picking of cotton are well advanced. Spring seedlings are thriving and prospects are favourable. Price of rice has fallen while that of *juar* and wheat is still rising slightly.

**Feudatory States:**—Crops are in a satisfactory condition.

**Bombay.**—Standing crops are good. Autumn harvesting and spring sowings continue. Picking of cotton continues in Thar and Parkar, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Kathiawar. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Prices of food grains have slightly risen in parts of Deccan and Karnatak generally but are steady elsewhere.

**Hyderabad.**—No rain fell during the week. Autumn crops are being harvested. They suffered from excessive rain. Early rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested but has been damaged by blight in parts of Medak, Nalgonda and Karimnagar districts. Spring crops are generally fair to good and are being weeded. Lands are being prepared for late rice. Prices of grains are high and steady.

**Mysore.**—The week was generally rainless. Standing crops are good. Harvesting of wet crops is proceeding. Outturn is fair. Cattle are generally healthy. Prices are generally stationary.

**Coorg.**—The weather was cold. Rice is in good condition. Picking of coffee and cardamoms continues. Cattle are healthy. Prices of food grains are high.

**Madras.**—The rainfall during the week was general except in Circars and the Deccan. Standing crops are fair to good generally. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. Condition of cattle is generally good. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 20th December 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 15th December 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SINDH.	...	.....	...	...
	Northern	Bombay City	11	7
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	287	242
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	691	475
		Kaira District . . . . .	695	417
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	44	43
		Surat District . . . . .	85	52
		Broach Port . . . . .	4	1
		Broach District . . . . .	104	77
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	1	1
		Thana District . . . . .	6	6
	Central	Ahmednagar District	184	148
		East Khandesh District	242	148
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	289	203
		Poona Town . . . . .	139	109
		Poona District . . . . .	136	121
		Nasik District . . . . .	648	467
		Satara District . . . . .	906	639
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	39	28
	Southern	Sholapur District . . . . .	169	130
		Kolaba District . . . . .	1	1
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	3	3
		Belgaum District . . . . .	71	59
		Hullid Town . . . . .	11 (a)	10 (a)
		Dharwar District . . . . .	508 (a)	335 (a)
	Sind	Bijapur District . . . . .	354	264
		Karachi Town and Port . . . . .	6	2
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	806	590
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	7	3
		Junu Port . . . . .	5	5
		Mandvi Port . . . . .	1	...
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	35	30
		Cutch State . . . . .	33	29
		Mahuva Port . . . . .	7	5
		Kathiawar Agency . . . . .	187	163
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	428	368
		Akalkot State . . . . .	26	17
		Bhor State . . . . .	9	1
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	39	35
		Satara Agency . . . . .	89	70
		Surat Agency . . . . .	11	9
		Palanpur Agency . . . . .	23	8
TOTAL			7,538	5,305

(a) For two weeks.

The following additions should be made :—

Week ending 8th December 1917	Hyderabad District	add 19 cases, 14 deaths
	Sukkur District	" 74 " 31 "
	Shikarpur City	" 29 " 14 "
	Mahi Kantha Agency	" 19 " 15 "
	Cutch State	" 34 " 34 "
	Junu Port	" 1 case, 1 death.

For weeks ending 1st and 8th December 1917, add Upper Sind Frontier District 2 cases, 1 death.  
For weeks ending 24th November to 8th December 1917, add Palanpur Agency 34 cases, 19 deaths

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.		Anantapur District . . . . .	303 (a)	266 (b)
		North Arcot District . . . . .	37	25
		Bellary District . . . . .	909 (c)	655 (b)
		Chittoor District . . . . .	1	1
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	173 (c)	95 (d)
		Mangalore Port . . . . .	2	2
		Kurnool District . . . . .	2 (e)	2 (e)
		Malabar District . . . . .	1 (e)	...
		Salem Town . . . . .	55	44
		Salem District . . . . .	80 (f)	47 (g)
		Visagapatam Port . . . . .	2	2
		Sandur State . . . . .	1	...
		TOTAL	1,568	1,144
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.		.....	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA.	Patna	Patna District . . . . .	95	85
		Gaya Town . . . . .	16	16
		Gaya District . . . . .	175	160
		Shahabad District . . . . .	153	109
	Tirhut	Saran District . . . . .	114	98
		Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	82	76
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	30	27
		Darbhanga District . . . . .	81	68
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur District . . . . .	11	6
	Ranchi	Hazaribagh District . . . . .	11	7
		Palamau District . . . . .	6	2
		TOTAL	774	642
UNITED PROVINCES.	Agra	Aligarh City . . . . .	21	15
		Malopuri District . . . . .	31	31
		Etah District . . . . .	18	18
	Ro h i l - khand.	Bijnor District . . . . .	23	28
		Moradabad District . . . . .	14	14
	A'lahabad	Farrukhabad City . . . . .	11	10
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	29	23
		Etawah District . . . . .	9	9
		Cawnpore City . . . . .	7	7
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	72	71
		Fatehpur District . . . . .	53	79
		Allahabad City . . . . .	30	30
		Allahabad District . . . . .	168	168
	Jhansi	Jhansi District . . . . .	79	65
		Jalaun District . . . . .	210	161
	Benares	Benares City . . . . .	6	9
		Benares District . . . . .	54	45
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	167	146
		Mirzapur District . . . . .	20	18
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	245	207
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	789	636
		Ballia District . . . . .	107	104
	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur City . . . . .	1	1
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	138	112
		Barfi District . . . . .	14	85
		Amangarh District . . . . .	683	567
	Lucknow	Lucknow City . . . . .	3	3
		Lucknow District . . . . .	94	94
		Unao District . . . . .	295	279
		Kae Bareilly District . . . . .	82	70
		Sitapur District . . . . .	60	42
		Hardoi District . . . . .	66	91
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District . . . . .	49	43
		Gonda District . . . . .	108	78
		Bahraich District . . . . .	8	8
		Sultanpur District . . . . .	84	58
		Partabgarh District . . . . .	164	130
		Bara Banki District . . . . .	149	102
		TOTAL	4,298	3,744

(a) Seven imported. (b) Three imported. (c) Four imported.

(d) Two imported. (e) One imported. (f) Eight imported. (g) Six imported.

In the return for the week ending 8th December 1917, the following corrections should be made:—

Allahabad City read 27 deaths for 20 deaths.

Ghazipur District read 206 cases for 208 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala .	Hissar District . . . . .	14	9
		Karnal District . . . . .	7	7
		Ambala District . . . . .	12	7
	Jullundur .	Kangra District . . . . .	1	..
		Hoshiarpur District . . . . .	1	..
		Jullundur District . . . . .	160	108
		Ludhiana District . . . . .	120	57
	Lahore .	Lahore City . . . . .	43	21
		Lahore Cantonment . . . . .	2	1
		Lahore District . . . . .	100	88
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	30	18
		Gujranwala District . . . . .	25	14
	Rawalpindi.	Jhelum District . . . . .	1	1
		Rawalpindi District . . . . .	106	83
		Attock District . . . . .	2	4
	Multan .	Montgomery District . . . . .	12	4
		Multan District . . . . .	2	..
	TOTAL		638	420
BURMA.	Pegu .	Rangoon Town . . . . .	6	5
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	5	5
	Irrawaddy.	Bassein Town . . . . .	2	2
	Tenasserim	Taungoo District . . . . .	2	2
	Magwe .	Minbu District . . . . .	16	16
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	129	119
	Sagaing .	Sagaing District . . . . .	3	2
	Mektila .	Mektila District . . . . .	18	16
		Myingyan District . . . . .	22	20
	TOTAL		208	187
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur .	Nagpur Town . . . . .	51	37
		Nagpur District . . . . .	38	25
		Bhandara District . . . . .	33	25
		Wardha District . . . . .	55	39
		Balaghat District . . . . .	1	1
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	2	2
		Jubbulpore District . . . . .	86	77
		Sangor District . . . . .	130	124
		Damoh District . . . . .	15	5
		Seoni District . . . . .	51	35
	Nerbudda	Mandla District . . . . .	6	4
		Hoshangabad District . . . . .	73	50
		Nimar District . . . . .	16	17
		Narsinghpur District . . . . .	129	89
		Betul District . . . . .	5	4
	Ohhatisgarh.	Ohindwara District . . . . .	2	1
		Raipur District . . . . .	5	6
		Bilaspur District . . . . .	6	6
	Berar .	Amraoti District . . . . .	59	45
		Yestmal District . . . . .	16	10
		Akola District . . . . .	135	96
		Buldana District . . . . .	50	40
	TOTAL		969	738

In the return for the week ending 8th December 1917, the following additions should be made :—

Gurgaon District, 1 case, 1 death.  
 Kangra District, 3 cases, nil death.  
 Amritsar City, 2 cases, 2 deaths.  
 Kapurthala State, 3 cases, 2 deaths.  
 Nabha State, 9 cases, 9 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
ASSAM	...	...	...	...
COORG	...	...	...	...
MYSORE STATE.		Bangalore Civil and Military Station	30	30
		Bangalore City	8	6
		Bangalore District	32	56
		Mysore City	2	1
		Mysore District	41	22
		Hassan District	6	5
		Kadur District	1	1
		Shimoga District	9	4
		Chitaldroog District	44	24
		Tumkur District	15	17
		Kolar Gold Fields	1	1
		Kolar District	73	56
		TOTAL		316
HYDRABAD STATE.		Aurangabad District	65	59
		Bir District	157	140
		Nander District	20	17
		Gulbarga District	86	80
		Raichur District	28	23
		Usmanabad District	22	14
		Bidar District	106	77
		Medak District	22	19
		Nizamabad District	26	15
		Mahbubnagar District	16	13
		Warangal District	20	13
		Atraf-i-baldah Sarf-i-Khas	3	4
		TOTAL		571(a)
CENTRAL INDIA.		Indore City	70	58
		Indore State	119	117
		Indore Residency Basars	4	1
		Mhow Cantonment	7	9
		Dewas State	9	9
		Sehore Cantonment	6	4
		Bhopal State	167	124
		Dhar City	...	1
		Sailana State	19	7
		Bewa State	7	4
		Jaora State	28	26
		Sambhar State	3	...
		TOTAL		439 (b)
RAJPUTANA.		Ajmer City	118	74
		Ajmer District	377	311
		Alwar State	206	159
		Jaipur City	979	975
		Jaipur State	318	287
		Bharatpur State	199	152
		Jhalawar State	21	21
		Kotah State	51	46
		Mewar State	629	442
		Tonk State	11	14
		Marwar State	1,035	928
		Kushalgarh State	4	...
		Shahpura State	33	21
		Deoli State	3	3
		Banswara State	18	9
		Sirohi State	8	5
TOTAL		4,010	3,443	
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	.....	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	19	14
TOTAL		19	14	
BALUCHISTAN.	...	.....	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			21,333	,682

(a) From the 3rd to the 9th December 1917.

(b) For the week ending 8th December 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Secretary to the Government of India.



No. 912-C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC.

*Delhi, the 17th December 1917*

**ANNUAL RETURNS SHOWING THE MORTALITY FROM WILD ANIMALS AND  
VENOMOUS SNAKES.**

**RESOLUTION.**

THE annual returns showing the mortality from wild animals and venomous snakes have been received from the local Governments and Administrations.

The total number of persons killed by wild animals in British India during the year 1916, was 2,278 or 2 more than in 1915. As usual, the highest mortality was in Bihar and Orissa, where 847 deaths occurred, including 530 caused by tigers as compared with 376 in the preceding year. As many as 488 persons were killed by tigers in the districts of Angul, Singhbhum, Manbhum, Hazaribagh, Cuttack, Sambalpur, Ranchi and Palamau. The local authorities are taking or have in contemplation vigorous measures to reduce the loss of life in those tracts. In all 1,118 human lives were destroyed by tigers in British India; the variations under this head in provinces other than Bihar and Orissa do not call for any remarks except in the case of the Madras Presidency where casualties from tigers decreased by 125 in 1916. The number of deaths caused by elephants, leopards, bears, wolves and hyenas calls for no comment. Under the head of "unclassified animals," pigs and crocodiles or alligators were responsible for 178 and 228 deaths respectively.

2. The total mortality due to snakebite among human beings fell from 26,406 in 1915 to 23,640 in 1916. The decrease is shared by nearly all the provinces; as usual the United Provinces, Bihar and Orissa and Bengal were the provinces which suffered most, with 6,712, 5,970 and 4,114 deaths respectively.

3. During 1916, 20,574 wild animals were destroyed, among which were 1,399 tigers, 6,019 leopards, 2,715 bears and 2,579 wolves. The total amount of rewards paid under this head was Rs. 1,71,974. There was a considerable reduction both in the number of snakes killed and the amount paid as reward for their destruction. No definite pronouncement can as yet be made on the efficacy of treatment by Sir Lauder Brunton's lancets, although these instruments are reported to have effected a number of cures in cases in which they were used.

4. Under the Indian Arms Act, 1878, 20,575 licenses were issued in forms XVI, XVII and XVIII in 1916, an increase of 600 over the figure of the previous year. The total number of licenses in force was 137,183 as compared with 167,242 in 1915.

ORDER:—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution, (and annexure) be forwarded to local Governments and Administrations\* and that it be published in the supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information; also that a copy be forwarded to the Director of Statistics.

\* Including the Chief Commissioners of the North-West Frontier Province and Ajmer-Merwara and the Resident in Mysore.

S. R. HIGNELL,

*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*



## No. 1.

Number of Persons killed in each Province of British India by wild animals (specifying the principal kinds) and Snakes in each calendar year from 1912 to 1916.

PROVINCE.	BY WILD ANIMALS.								By snakes.	GRAND TOTAL.	
	Elephants.	Tigers.	Leopards.	Bears.	Wolves.	Hyenas.	Other animals.	Total.			
Madras	1912	4	164	89	13	6	1	45	322	1,530	1,872
	1913	5	178	74	14	4	...	38	308	1,695	2,003
	1914	1	156	69	18	5	...	37	306	1,520	1,826
	1915	1	457	39	13	4	3	34	551	1,519	2,070
	1916	4	332	82	14	2	1	17	453	1,505	1,957
Bombay	1912	...	7	4	...	...	...	18	29	1,140	1,169
	1913	...	3	8	...	...	1	8	20	1,430	1,426
	1914	...	3	7	...	...	...	8	18	1,008	1,026
	1915	1	10	6	4	1	...	24	46	1,789	1,835
	1916	1	3	8	1	5	...	23	41	1,445	1,486
Bengal	1912	15	117	55	12	4	4	201	408	4,471	4,879
	1913	16	84	38	4	3	...	148	298	4,191	4,784
	1914	16	60	46	6	2	1	201	332	4,356	4,688
	1915	23	87	78	12	1	1	216	423	4,709	5,132
	1916	29	55	73	7	1	14	189	367	4,114	4,481
United Provinces	1912	...	71	14	9	44	...	22	160	5,214	5,374
	1913	5	30	30	12	35	2	23	137	5,166	5,303
	1914	...	9	12	6	55	2	38	122	5,513	5,635
	1915	1	20	40	25	48	4	39	177	6,829	6,806
	1916	...	27	14	10	45	1	32	129	6,712	6,841
Punjab (including Delhi)	1912	...	...	2	...	1	3	2	8	793	801
Punjab	1913	...	...	2	...	3	2	3	10	899	909
	1914	...	...	...	1	15	...	...	16	1,169	1,185
	1915	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	5	1,590	1,595
	1916	...	...	...	1	3	...	23	27	956	983
Burma	1912	5	44	20	13	...	...	13	95	1,231	1,326
	1913	9	31	8	5	...	...	6	59	1,084	1,143
	1914	11	30	9	8	...	...	9	67	1,312	1,379
	1915	7	40	8	6	...	...	5	66	1,518	1,624
	1916	13	31	15	6	...	...	10	75	1,476	1,551
Bihar and Orissa	1912	7	396	40	33	187	17	127	807	5,816	6,623
	1913	7	251	43	30	103	7	105	546	5,640	6,186
	1914	4	289	47	31	54	12	110	547	5,968	6,515
	1915	8	376	54	33	90	20	103	684	6,716	7,479
	1916	3	530	64	23	56	15	151	847	5,970	6,817
Central Provinces and Berar	1912	...	40	34	6	2	1	40	123	1,063	1,186
	1913	...	36	29	27	4	...	29	125	1,155	1,280
	1914	...	50	39	14	5	1	54	163	1,198	1,361
	1915	...	41	39	18	13	2	43	161	1,439	1,600
	1916	...	60	48	13	10	7	20	158	1,212	1,370
Assam	1912	22	45	3	12	...	...	30	112	150	262
	1913	20	33	4	13	...	...	32	102	167	269
	1914	24	49	4	11	...	...	38	126	150	276
	1915	29	62	2	16	1	...	37	147	256	403
	1916	33	79	3	19	1	...	35	170	170	340
North-West Frontier Province	1912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	32	32
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	29	31
	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	40	41
	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	30	44
	1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	22	24
Coorg	1912	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	1914	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	1915	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4
	1916	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Delhi	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	13	14
	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	22
	1915	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	36	37
	1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	32	39
Ajmer-Merwara	1912	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	20	21
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	24
	1914	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	3	44	47
	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	53
	1916	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	26	28
TOTAL	1912	53	885	261	66	255	26	498	2,066	21,481	23,537
	1913	62	641	236	105	152	12	395	1,603	21,770	23,373
	1914	57	646	255	95	137	16	496	1,702	22,900	24,602
	1915	75	1,096	269	128	158	30	520	2,276	26,406	28,682
	1916	83	1,118	307	99	124	38	509	2,278	23,640	25,918

No.

## Number of wild animals and snakes destroyed and amount of Rewards

PROVINCE.	PARTICULARS OF ANIMALS DESTROYED.							Total number of animals destroyed.	Snakes.
	Elephants.	Tigers.	Leopards.	Bears.	Wolves.	Hyenas.	Other animals.		
Madras	1912	82	589	19	...	...	1,370	2,070	...
	1913	88	714	54	...	...	1,387	2,388	...
	1914	79	711	43	...	...	1,074	1,907	...
	1915	75	685	85	...	...	978	1,768	...
	1916	66	677	84	...	...	808	1,684	...
Bombay	1912	55	226	9	163	11	2,554	3,027	27,038
	1913	36	242	6	186	47	2,054	3,471	27,333
	1914	47	231	10	126	43	3,540	3,997	27,751
	1915	54	219	8	161	29	3,347	3,818	22,042
	1916	42	188	3	114	50	3,971	4,368	9,982
Bengal	1912	3	132	26	18	2	1,604	1,112	12,674
	1913	6	150	37	19	6	2,144	1,858	17,124
	1914	1	205	43	15	18	2,098	2,824	10,215
	1915	2	275	37	23	5	1,931	2,769	11,893
	1916	...	110	2	1	...	483	798	1,171
United Provinces	1912	...	67	377	1,224	152	142	2,825	1,080
	1913	1	63	270	1,252	255	188	2,659	1,010
	1914	...	76	278	1,227	296	871	3,462	1,782
	1915	...	78	532	1,370	277	984	3,465	2,192
	1916	...	49	471	1,792	174	851	3,041	6,552
Punjab (including Delhi)	1912	...	3	127	3,181	4	23	3,489	2,760
Punjab	1913	...	...	149	2,033	1	...	2,380	3,080
	1914	...	...	107	845	...	...	1,170	8,534
	1915	...	2	185	336	1	...	548	14,648
	1916	...	...	115	407	...	137	745	27,157
Burma	1912	24	511	2,400	1,502	...	972	5,409	45,788
	1913	39	455	2,588	1,562	...	687	5,311	16,222
	1914	33	506	2,399	1,760	...	319	5,017	44,299
	1915	21	532	2,328	1,712	...	1,259	6,352	34,757
	1916	30	536	2,737	1,537	...	985	5,825	11,905
Bihar and Orissa	1912	1	108	415	172	243	277	380	15,044
	1913	...	93	345	157	208	234	512	16,784
	1914	4	100	415	199	659	249	1,134	17,204
	1915	1	106	386	102	160	247	265	16,566
	1916	...	71	314	167	139	157	998	5,740
Central Provinces and Berar	1912	...	192	867	307	58	1	456	1,281
	1913	...	192	870	344	77	...	419	1,402
	1914	...	104	852	275	122	...	419	1,832
	1915	...	131	791	251	92	...	408	1,731
	1916	...	139	691	182	61	...	344	1,417
Assam	1912	2	251	530	230	1	2	695	1,720
	1913	4	250	523	205	3	10	897	1,988
	1914	0	285	558	305	5	2	1,447	2,611
	1915	9	327	538	253	...	3	1,935	2,952
	1916	5	373	555	400	4	1	1,64	1,562
North-West Frontier Province	1912	...	...	34	1	161	5	117	318
	1913	...	...	14	...	76	...	90	595
	1914	...	...	25	...	62	5	92	540
	1915	...	...	9	...	49	...	58	478
	1916	...	...	11	...	57	...	68	436
Coorg	1912	2	15	34	...	...	...	108	159
	1913	4	14	42	...	...	...	106	166
	1914	6	19	40	...	...	...	142	307
	1915	2	7	35	...	...	...	107	151
	1916	3	14	37	...	...	...	47	101
Delhi	1913	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...
	1914	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...
	1915	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...
	1916	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...
Ajmer-Merwara	1912	...	1	4	...	2	7	4	18
	1913	...	...	4	...	4	6	...	14
	1914	...	...	6	...	1	4	11	23
	1915	...	...	1	...	1	7	28	37
	1916	...	...	1	...	1	4	8	14
Bangalore	1912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	254
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	458
	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	627
	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	754
	1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	789
TOTAL	1912	22	1,415	6,379	2,770	5,100	481	8,455	24,612
	1913	54	1,374	6,838	2,922	3,359	559	9,324	24,630
	1914	53	1,481	6,557	3,078	3,064	617	11,055	25,803
	1915	35	1,588	6,560	2,773	2,191	569	11,295	25,112
	1916	38	1,399	6,019	2,715	2,579	396	7,488	20,574

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(in rupees) paid for their destruction in each calendar year from 1912 to 1916:

REWARDS PAID FOR DESTRUCTION OF									GRAND TOTAL.
Elephants.	Tigers.	Leopards.	Bears.	Wolves.	Hyenas.	Other animals.	Total.	Snakes.	
R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
...	4,151	10,694	88	...	...	2,890	17,818	...	17,818
...	4,956	14,076	241	...	...	2,558	21,831	...	21,831
...	4,003	15,247	284	...	...	1,943	21,477	...	21,477
...	4,362	13,169	811	...	...	1,722	19,984	...	19,984
...	3,980	12,218	638	...	...	1,263	18,108	...	18,108
...	699	2,164	30	278	...	1,637	4,808	108	4,914
...	509	2,352	12	286	...	1,925	5,084	73	5,157
...	788	2,198	102	284	...	2,772	6,152	75	6,227
...	801	2,064	45	335	...	2,024	5,269	2,187	7,456
...	714	1,920	30	267	...	2,793	5,724	102	5,826
50	4,138	1,343	60	...	2	694	13,287	190	13,477
250	5,680	2,109	25	...	10	998	19,052	172	19,224
100	14,018	1,650	10	15	26	1,658	17,477	157	17,634
...	15,305	1,821	22	28	6	1,096	17,978	179	18,157
...	4,887	978	5	8	...	1,356	7,229	170	7,399
...	200	6,878	1,571	8,387	243	1,125	16,404	11	16,415
...	800	5,631	689	8,250	452	1,080	16,352	26	16,378
...	...	5,632	693	8,459	487	1,355	16,656	32	16,688
...	...	4,794	884	10,880	484	1,590	18,121	84	18,155
...	...	4,010	756	10,878	282	1,710	17,636	5	17,641
...	33	1,179	781	6,573	...	8	8,574	469	9,043
...	...	1,082	1,441	5,880	...	...	8,383	387	8,770
...	...	1,162	959	2,601	...	...	4,722	1,363	6,085
...	30	982	502	1,272	...	...	2,786	2,183	4,969
...	...	751	501	1,310	...	28	2,680	3,261	5,941
...	19,110	37,280	13,410	...	...	880	70,680	5,782	76,462
100	16,810	39,951	13,495	...	...	780	71,116	1,373	72,489
209	18,850	36,975	15,132	...	...	935	72,092	5,680	77,772
...	19,540	44,084	15,178	...	...	1,277	80,074	12,641	92,715
530	19,250	43,545	13,892	...	...	1,110	77,827	...	77,827
...	4,700	3,024	405	2,803	496	123	11,641	77	11,718
...	5,572	1,874	861	3,477	460	92	11,836	58	11,893
...	2,963	1,760	341	9,715	372	250	15,401	92	15,493
...	4,087	1,760	396	2,015	372	87	9,317	63	9,380
...	2,447	1,530	384	575	277	44	5,257	41	5,298
...	3,200	12,225	1,798	310	5	6,329	23,867	481	24,348
...	2,801	12,220	2,083	487	...	5,534	23,180	403	23,583
...	3,345	12,477	1,659	645	...	5,823	22,940	531	23,470
...	1,855	11,072	1,516	506	...	6,332	21,261	463	21,724
...	1,995	10,081	1,050	353	...	6,224	19,703	289	19,992
50	5,860	4,920	1,025	2	5	420	12,282	149	12,430
89	4,528	4,280	1,135	10	7	555	10,584	122	10,706
100	5,885	4,708	1,058	47	5	700	11,998	71	12,069
275	6,788	4,520	1,078	...	...	959	13,620	212	13,832
275	8,012	4,805	2,068	10	1	802	15,973	202	16,175
...	...	85	5	637	...	15	742	95	837
...	...	92	...	352	...	...	444	91	535
...	...	38	...	249	...	...	287	106	393
...	...	62	...	242	...	...	304	92	396
...	...	08	...	275	...	...	343	91	434
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...	...	5	...	3	21	140	169	8	177
...	...	5	...	3	12	40	60	3	63
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	124
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	152	152
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	155	155
100	49,792	80,595	19,168	19,086	772	14,207	1,88,720	7,421	1,91,141
419	52,277	84,697	19,482	18,789	917	13,716	1,90,307	2,802	1,93,109
400	46,812	82,790	20,338	22,028	902	15,511	1,91,181	8,234	1,99,415
275	52,918	84,913	20,007	15,876	883	15,226	1,90,098	18,214	2,08,312
895	41,899	80,619	18,914	13,085	572	15,430	1,71,974	4,319	1,76,293

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Province.		Number of licenses granted in the year.	Number of licenses granted in previous years and still in force.	Total number of licenses in force in the year.
Madras	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	3,023 3,066 2,732 2,854 4,905	45,082 44,415 40,730 39,077 40,037	48,055 47,511 43,462 41,931 44,902
Bombay	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	3,730 2,727 1,939 1,333 1,932	11,865 12,504 12,808 12,912 11,984	15,595 15,231 14,742 14,293 13,926
Bengal	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	2,458 2,330 2,993 2,457 605	25,013 23,731 22,016 22,610 8,308	27,471 26,981 26,009 26,066 8,812
United Provinces.	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	2,114 2,162 2,457 2,067 619	20,201 19,790 20,132 20,616 5,973	22,315 22,952 22,589 22,688 5,992
Punjab (including Delhi)	1912	2,119	11,332	13,451
Punjab	1913 1914 1915 1916	1,636 1,665 745 626	12,210 12,317 6,530 6,461	13,876 13,982 7,276 7,987
Burma	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	977 1,320 1,122 1,114 959	6,007 6,060 6,539 6,416 6,716	6,984 7,390 7,661 7,630 7,675
Bihar and Orissa	1913 1914 1915 1916	1,075 758 759 709	13,606 12,046 11,815 11,355	13,701 12,799 12,574 12,064
Central Provinces and Berar	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	6,383 7,613 7,311 6,270 5,822	9,004 8,457 8,858 9,773 9,884	15,993 16,070 15,999 16,043 15,706
Assam	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	156 216 240 392 350	13,034 12,830 12,681 12,833 12,768	13,190 13,046 12,924 13,225 13,118
North-West Frontier Province	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	1,532 1,905 1,623 1,939 3,634	3,451 3,752 4,145 3,126 3,216	4,984 5,517 5,768 5,065 6,850
Coorg	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	50 20 55 27 128	809 682 863 891 900	919 902 918 918 1,028
Delhi	1913 1914 1915 1916	9 7 9 47	27 31 27 ...	36 38 36 47
Ajmer-Merwara	1911 1915 1916	... ... ...	... ... ...	... ... ...
Bangalore	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	23 30 113 9 41	79 91 ... 101 93	102 131 113 110 134
Total	1912 1913 1914 1915 1916	23,573 23,627 23,016 19,975 20,575	1,59,187 1,56,781 1,53,769 1,47,237 1,46,808	1,82,760 1,82,412 1,76,779 1,67,242 1,67,192

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## PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 22nd December 1917.

### CORRIGENDUM.

The following entry which appeared in the Notification published by this office in Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 24th November 1917, under the heading "Cessation of Exclusive Privileges" is hereby cancelled :—

1912.—426 (Heurtley.)

### APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3. .

#### December 10.

3425. C. A. Subrahmanya Iyer. *Arch terrace bricks.*

#### December 11.

3426. J. Hamilton and W. T. Maclellan. *Improvements in or relating to the construction of ships.*

3427. T. Payne *Process of treating hydrocarbon oils and the product.*

3428. McKenzie Holland and Westinghouse, Power Signal Co., Ltd *Improvements relating to railway traffic controlling apparatus.*

3429. Patterson Lock Nut Manufacturing Co *Nut locks.*

3430. P. E. Billinghamurst. *Improved method of extracting potash.*

#### December 13.

3431. R. Roy. *Improvement in differential gearing.*

3432. C. F. Wallace and M. F. Tiernan. *Improvements relating to the supply of gases for use in treating liquids such as water, and apparatus for use therein.*

3433. C. F. Wallace and M. F. Tiernan. *Improvements relating to the supply of gases for use in treating liquids such as water, and apparatus for use therein.*

3434. C. F. Wallace and M. F. Tiernan. *Improvements relating to the supply of gases for use in treating liquids such as water, and apparatus for use therein.*

3435. J. Bulman, G. J. Pixton, F. A. Wilkins and W. Digby. *Improvements in vehicles adapted for the display of kinematograph pictures.*

3436 J. M. Draper. *Improvements in apparatus for separating substances of different specific gravities, such as fine coal or ores and the like.*

3437. A. C. Terrell. *Improvements in and relating to metallic cabinets.*

3438. W. T. K. Calton. *Improvements in and connected with fountain pens.*

3439 The Bessemer Gas Engine Co. *Hot plate apparatus for explosion engines and method of controlling the temperature thereof*

3440. W. G. Henshaw. *Leaching flue-dust.*

#### December 14.

3441. R. L. Datta. *Alkali sulphates*

3442. Universal Winding Co *Improvements in or relating to winding machines*

3443 A. J. Gange. *Rotating bullet for smooth bore guns.*

### APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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3125. J. Turner *Method of and means for the total destruction of night soil and the like.*

- 3323. W. C. Lavalette. *Improved vulcanizer.*
- 3332. S. D. Garbis. *Improvements in means for fastening and sealing boxes, chests, cupboards, or the like.*
- 3365. W. M. Billinton. *Improvements in piston rods for use in connection with vacuum brake cylinders.*
- 3373. C. A. Subrahmanya Iyer. *Slope-terrace bricks.*
- 3384. J. Flint and F. G. Brown. *An improved spirit for use as a fuel in internal combustion engines and for heating and lighting purposes.*
- 3389. Abdul Gafoor. *Improvements in camp cots.*

### PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

- 3298. C. de Vries. *Improvements in or relating to safety locks for bicycles and the like.*
- 3329. Hari Shanker. *Improvements in and relating to the means of exposing the field of operation and closing the eye in surgical operations on the eyeball.*
- 3334. S. J. Murphy. *A new or improved pipe line or receptacle for oil or fluids under pressure.*
- 3335. J. Wilson. *Improvements in apparatus for measuring liquid.*
- 3338. C. F. Ryland. *Improvements in eye shields.*
- 3345. R. Brown. *A new or improved process for the manufacture of artificial fuel from waste products.*
- 3346. T. G. Mylchreest and W. Brown. *Improvements in machines for the preparation of flax, jute, hemp and similar fibres for spinning.*
- 3350. B. B. Das. *Pure drinking water apparatus.*
- 3352. H. Moore and C. Day. *Improvements in continuous stills for coal tar, mineral oils and similar products.*
- 3354. M. T. Pickstone. *Improvements in picking apparatus for weaving looms.*
- 3355. M. T. Pickstone. *Improvements in reeds for weaving looms.*
- 3356. J. J. Harper-Nelson. *Folding water tank.*
- 3357. D. M. Wallace and A. Everitt. *Improvements relating to motor tractor implements for agricultural work.*
- 3358. D. M. Wallace and A. Everitt. *Improvements relating to motor and motor tractor ploughs and other agricultural implements.*

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|----------------------|------------------------|
| 2939. Krishna Sarma. | 3219. R. B. Rodda & Co |
| 3058. Vickers Ltd    | 3211. Griffin.         |
| 3143. Paul.          | 3217. Stroud           |
| 3187. Rutnagur       | 3218. Stroud.          |
| 3205. Hari Shanker.  | 3222. Andrew.          |
| 3208. MacDougall.    |                        |

### PATENTS SEALED.

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|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 2617. General Electric Co. | 3151. Dutt and Dutt. |
| 3061. Strong.              | 3152. Dutt and Dutt. |
| 3083. Wheatcroft.          | 3170. Steven.        |
| 3132. Simmons.             | 3171. Bosch.         |
| 3137. Martin & Co          | 3188. Peat.          |
| 3138. Martin & Co.         | 3193. Turnage.       |
| 3143. Gordon.              |                      |

### RENEWAL FEES PAID.

- 280 of 1905. Sulman and ors. (To 16 January 1919)
- 441 of 1905. Wheatley. (To 12 December 1918)

- 179 of 1908. Wagner. (To 17 December 1918.)  
 95 of 1909. Pollen and ors. (To 16 December 1918.)  
 216 of 1909. Aktien Gesellschaft Brown Boverie & Cie. (To 14 December 1918.)  
 255 of 1909. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ltd. (To 14 December 1918.)  
 285 of 1909. Eisenwerk etc. A. G. (To 17 January 1919.)  
 557 of 1909. Wall. (To 3 January 1919.)  
 582 of 1909. Consolidated Brake & Engineering Co., Ltd. & aur. (To 3 January 1919.)  
 589 of 1909. Mills Equipment Co., Ltd. (To 3 January 1919.)  
 665 of 1909. Sharp. (To 20 January 1919.)  
 673 of 1909. Donovan. (To 21 February 1919.)  
 89 of 1910. Rawlings and ors. (To 31 March 1919.)  
 181 of 1910. Handcock and ors. (To 18 April 1919.)  
 261 of 1910. Polivit Manufacturing Co., Ltd. (To 21 December 1918.)  
 621 of 1910. Nissen and ors. (To 19 January 1919.)  
 659 of 1910. Levick, Jr. (To 26 January 1919.)  
 347 of 1911. Graaf. (To 29 December 1918.)  
 796 of 1911. Jagger. (To 22 July 1919.)  
 797 of 1911. Jagger. (To 30 July 1919.)  
 798 of 1911. Jagger. (To 20 February 1919.)  
 806 of 1911. Gare. (To 11 December 1918.)  
 34 of 1912. Lee. (To 18 January 1919.)  
 98 of 1912. Genossenschaft fur Textilpatente. (To 26 February 1919.)  
 121 of 1912. Heenan. (To 11 March 1919.)  
 126 of 1912. Heurtley. (To 12 August 1918.)  
 621 of 1912. Kahn. (To 25 November 1918.)  
 612 of 1912. Hamm. (To 9 December 1918.)  
 616 of 1912. Printing Machinery Co., Ltd. (To 9 December 1918.)  
 660 of 1912. Westinghouse Metal Filament Lamp Co., Ltd. (To 16 December 1918.)  
 687 of 1913. Compagnie Generale Radiotelegraphique. (To 6 January 1919.)  
 1246 of 1913. Sunderland. (To 20 October 1918.)  
 1353 of 1913. Thomas. (To 15 December 1918.)  
 1360 of 1913. Auto Strop Co. (To 15 December 1918.)  
 1394 of 1914. Sheffield and ors. (To 2 January 1919.)  
 1468 of 1914. Brothers. (To 16 February 1919.)

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#### 1912.

489, (Jackson).

#### 1913.

1166, (Levick, Jr.). 1171, (Evans). 1172, (Tyer & Co., Ltd.) 1173, (Sisk Universal Concrete Railroad Tie Co.) 1174, (Scott & aur.). 1180, (Walter)

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*M S. M. Abdullah Afzali	41, Gardner Lane, Entally P. O., Calcutta.

**CAWNPORE.**

- M. S. Abdul Ghani . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Garrison Battalion, Royal Irish Rifles.  
 M. Syed Aulad Hussain . . . . . Second Master, 44/170, Akta Kamal Khan, Halsey Road, Cawnpore.

**DELHI.**

- M. Mohd. Akbar Khan, Haidari . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1/4th Wiltshire Regiment, Delhi (winter only).  
 M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi) . . . . . Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi

**DINAPORE.**

- M. Farzand Ali Khan . . . . . C/o Dr Hingan Khan, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore

**DUM DUM.**

- M. Syed Hadi Hussain . . . . . Regimental Munshi.

**FEROZEPORE.**

- M. Suraj Narain, B.A. . . . . Kabari Bazar, Ferozepore.  
 M. Harnam Das . . . . . Headmaster, Malwa Khalsa School, Ferozepore City.

**HAPUR.**

- M. S. Khursad Ali . . . . . Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur, District Meerut.

**JHELUM.**

- M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

**JULLUNDUR.**

- M. Karam Chand . . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Saddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

**KARACHI.**

- M. Anandram Thadamal . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Norfolk Regiment, Garrikhata, Karachi.

**KASAUJI.**

- M. Anand Sarup . . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

**KOLHAPUR.**

- Pt. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni . . . . . 112, Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

**LANSDOWNE.**

- M. Chhote Lal . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Lansdowne  
 M. Jawala Parshad, II . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Lansdowne

**LAHORE.**

- M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.  
 \*M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani (Munshi Fazil) . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.  
 M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman, Sabri . . . . . Mohalla Sammian, Chhawin Manawala, Taksali Gate, Lahore.  
 M. Mool Chand Saihgal . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1/5th Devonshire Regiment Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment  
 M. Syed Mohammad, B.A. (Cal.) . . . . . No. 3, Katoomal Building, Beadon Road, Lahore

**LUCKNOW.**

- M. Abdul Karim . . . . . C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

**MEERUT.**

- M. Jamaluddin . . . . . British Cavalry Bazaar, Cross Street, Meerut

**MOZUFFERPORE.**

- M. Mohd. Shuaib . . . . . Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore

**MULTAN.**

- M. Sultan Mohammad . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Multan Cantonment

**MURREE HILLS.**

- M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali, P. O. Murree Hills  
 M. Ghulam Mohy-ud-Din . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 2nd North Staffordshire Regiment (summer only).  
 M. Bodh Raj . . . . . Regimental Munshi (summer only)

**MUSSOORIE.**

- M. H. Ahmad Fakhray . . . . . Islamic School Mussoorie

**NAINI TAL.**

M. Faqir Ulla . . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal

**PATNA.**

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

**PESHAWAR.**

M. Ahmed Din . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.  
 M. Abdur Rahim . . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.  
 M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Daki Nama, Peshawar City.  
 M. Hari Chand (of Rahon) . . . . . Son of P. Dhanpat Rai Officers' Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar Cantonment.  
 M. Kazi Ghulam Nabi . . . . . Near Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar

**QUETTA.**

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. Ahmed Hux . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. S. Karim Bukhsb . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 Pt. Hirday Narayan . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. S. Abdul Aziz . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.  
 M. Syed Inam Ali . . . . . Mission Road, Quetta.

**RAWALPINDI.**

M. Ghulam Mohy-ud-Din . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 2nd Bn., N. Staff. Regt., Rawalpindi (winter only).  
 M. Ghulam Rasul . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.  
 M. K. R. Mehta . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st F. S. Garr Bn., Somerset Light Infantry.  
 M. Bodh Rai . . . . . Regimental Munshi (winter only)

**RISALPUR.**

M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Royal Flying Corps, Risalpur Cantonment.

**ROORKEE CITY.**

M. Fazl-i Haq . . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

**Qualified Bengali Teachers.****CALCUTTA**

Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee . . . . . 6, Muktaraw Row, Calcutta.

**RUNGPUR.**

Babu Mukunda Lal Das Gupta . . . . . Kakina, District Rungpur.

**Qualified Canarese Teacher.****BANGALORE.**

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 Munshi Ghulam Ahmed Sahib . . . . . 58, Dispensary Road, Bangalore (Cantonment)

**Qualified Malayalam Teacher.****ADICHANALLORE.**

M. R. Ry N. Sankara Pillai . . . . . First Assistant, H. G. E. School, Adichanallore

**Qualified Marathi Teachers.****EAST KHANDESH.**

Mr. Laxman Narayan Phandis, B.A. . . . . C/o Mr. M. N. Phandis, Editor, Kavya-Ratnawati, Jalgaon.

**POONA CITY.**

Mr. Govind Krishna Modak . . . . . Sanskrit Teacher, New English School, Poona City  
 Mr. D. K. Pathak . . . . . 442, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

**SHOLAPUR.**

Mr. Vishnu Anant Salgankar . . . . . C/o Mr. Harichand Amichand Shah, Sholapur.

**Qualified Punjabi Teacher.****LAHORE.**

M. Muhammad Zahir Ali . . . . . Student, Forman Christian College, Lahore



**Qualified Tamil Teachers.****MADRAS.**

- M. R. Ry. K. Raghavachari . . . . . Senior Tamil Pandit, Wesleyan Mission Girls' High School, Royapettah.  
 M. R. Ry. A. M. Satakoparamanuja Acharya . . . . . Senior Tamil Pandit, National High School, Teppakulam, Trichinopoly.

**Qualified Telugu Teacher.****GODAVARI.**

- M. R. Ry. V. Subba Rao . . . . . Stewartpetta, Pithapuram, Godavari District.

N.B.—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

N.B.—Teachers whose names are preceded by an asterisk (\*) are considered especially competent to give advanced instruction in the language.

CALCUTTA,  
 The 13th November 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,  
 Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

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**SULPHATE OF QUININE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, AND  
 RESIDUAL ALKALOID.**

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Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge in powder can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of pure *amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPER-INTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.*

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

**SULPHATE OF QUININE.**

	<b>B</b>
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery . . . . .	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	29 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs. . . . .	30 „

**CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.**

	<b>B</b>
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. . . . .	6 „
Small quantity in stock.	

**RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID.**

Very small quantity in stock.

Quinine is available in 1-oz.,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.

Cinchona Febrifuge is available in  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. and 1-lb. tins.

Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M. and 2 to 4 P.M.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

## DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

**Calcutta, the 15th December 1917.**

# Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th December 1917.

RESERVE.															
TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			COIN AND BULLION.								SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		REMARKS.		
In Reserve Treasuries.		Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	In India.		In England.		In His Majesty's Dominions.		In transit between India, England and His Majesty's Dominions.		Held in India.		Held in England.	TOTAL.
1	2			3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10				
R	L	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
88,64,000	33,88,02,389	34,74,66,389	6,82,45,531	10,17,52,909	39,45,470	1,42,50,000	...	...	62,90,386	...	9,99,93,944	51,47,93,242	80,22,77,484	a. Nominal value— R10,20,81,500.	
..	3,04,39,480	3,04,29,480	1,71,61,042	53,98,102	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,25,59,144	(b) Nominal value— R53,03,91,571.	
..	7,47,42,240	7,47,42,240	1,07,41,578	21,92,137	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,29,34,015	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Section 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Act XIX of 1917, at a cost of R42 crores.	
1,35,72,165	41,53,56,330	42,89,28,495	4,70,51,462	18,40,21,807	15,65,403	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18,36,38,172		
..	8,76,06,805	8,76,06,805	56,10,945	26,28,263	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	83,89,258		
27,54,020	12,28,36,606	12,50,90,826	3,48,60,716	51,73,545	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,03,34,261		
..	6,12,83,985	6,12,33,985	2,24,54,286	48,65,820	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,73,20,116		
2,49,90,185	1,08,05,07,995	1,10,54,98,180	20,61,25,920	25,60,32,083	55,10,873	1,42,50,000	...	...	62,90,386	...	9,99,99,946	51,47,93,242	1,10,30,02,450		
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue		37,45,780	Deduct—Amount due on T. Ts. drawn by one Circle on another												
TOTAL CIRCULATION R		1,10,17,52,450	TOTAL RESERVE R												
			1,10,17,53,450												

There was no transfer between the Paper Currency Reserve and the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th December 1917. There was no gold in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve on the 15th December 1917.

**M. M. S. GUBBAY,**  
**Controller of Currency.**

# STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 8TH DECEMBER TO 15TH DECEMBER 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

NAME OF MINTS.	COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.											COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.		SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS GOVERNMENT.			
	RECEIPTS.			COINAGE.			BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.					Receipt of Bullion for transfer- red from currency balance.	Pias- tres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bul- lion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidary and paid over.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
	Pur- chased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasures, etc.	Native State coins.	TOTAL.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasures or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	TOTAL.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Govern- ment Bullion.	With- drawn and un- current coins.						
Calcutta . . .	64	...	...	64	36	..	36	5	(a) 94	...	3	102	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay . . .	...	...	...	...	7	...	7	...	(b) 18	6	3	27	1	1	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 20 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

(b) Exclusive of 43 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

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HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;  
Calcutta, the 18th December 1917.

A. MCCORMICK, Lt.-COLONEL, R.E.,  
Master of the Mint.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th November 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1898-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.			GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1894-95	of 1895	of 1899	of 1900-01	TOTAL.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan 1929-1937	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.	
Balance of 15th November 1917	28,03,600	94,12,700	4,13,92,800	1,45,72,300	64,41,500	7,38,17,500	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,71,22,700
<i>Add—</i> Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No. 6201A dated 3-1-1918 into 3½ % loan of 1900-01	...	...	...	...	47,400	47,400	...	...	...	...	...	47,400
Amount enfaced at Madras up to . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th November 1917 . . . .	...	...	2,600	...	...	2,600	...	...	...	...	...	2,600
<i>Deduct—</i> Total . . . . .	28,03,600	94,12,700	4,13,92,800	1,45,74,900	64,41,500	7,38,67,500	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,71,72,700
Amount written off in the London Registers . . .	55,300	...	1,73,500	...	15,000	1,98,500	...	...	...	...	...	2,48,300
Balance on 30th November 1917 . . . . .	27,48,300	94,12,700	4,12,19,300	1,45,74,900	61,41,500	7,36,79,000	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,69,28,900

NOTE.—From 9th June 1897 to 30th Sep. 1917 Enfaced from India 12,410 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,993 lakhs.  
" 1st Oct. 1917 " 15th Oct. " ditto 1 lakh.  
" 16th " " 31st " ditto 1 " "  
" 1st Nov. " 15th Nov. " ditto 1 " "  
" 16th " " 30th " " ditto 1 " "

12,997  
1,418

N. H. Y. WARREN,  
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,  
BANK OF BENGAL;  
Calcutta, 7th December 1917.

**BANK OF BENGAL.**

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th December 1917.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up . . . . .	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government Securities . . . . .	6,36,70,522	0 0
Reserve Fund <sup>Rs.</sup> 2,17,50,000 <sup>A. P.</sup> 0 0			Other authorized Investments . . . . .	1,36,52,690	0 0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, <i>see below</i> . . . . .	67,50,000	0 0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	4,82,60,193	11 8
	1,50,00,000	0 0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities . . . . .	4,73,75,908	9 7
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments . . . . .	67,50,000	0 0	Bills discounted and purchased . . . . .	4,68,87,673	13 11
Public Deposits at Head Office <sup>Rs.</sup> 3,06,96,172 <sup>A. P.</sup> 14 9			Balances with other Banks . . . . .	76,66,994	5 10
Public Deposits at Branches <sup>Rs.</sup> 1,21,81,906 <sup>A. P.</sup> 0 4			Bullion . . . . .	.....	
	4,28,28,078	15 1	Dead Stock . . . . .	28,87,985	8 5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . . . .	29,96,06,451	3 10	Stamps . . . . .	12,181	3 1
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . . .	14,21,396	6 10	Sundries . . . . .	3,71,924	13 9
Sundries . . . . .	17,59,351	13 5		Rs. 23,07,86,069	A. P. 2 3
<b>RUPEES</b> . . . . .	<b>38,73,65,278</b>	<b>7 2</b>	Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* <sup>Rs.</sup> 10,84,46,931 <sup>A. P.</sup> 8 9		
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† <sup>Rs.</sup> 4,81,32,277 <sup>A. P.</sup> 12 2		
			<b>RUPEES</b> . . . . .	<b>38,73,65,278</b>	<b>7 2</b>

\* Includes Sovs. &amp; † Sovs., value Rs. 3,78,247 8 0

† Do. do. do. „ 5,72,610 0 0

Rs. 9,50,857 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; }  
Calcutta, 20th December 1917.

H. MITCHELL,  
Chief Accountant.  
Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.  
Percentage 45.30.

N. H. Y. WARREN,  
Secretary & Treasurer.

**THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.****NOTIFICATION.**

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
  - (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
  - (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD,  
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

**CHIEF COMMISSIONER, ASSAM.****Revenue Department.****NOTIFICATION.**

The 27th November 1917.

**No. 5635-R**—The following is published for general information with reference to section 42 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894:—

**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT** made this 2nd day of October 1917 between the India General Navigation and Railway Company Limited, a Company incorporated under the English Companies Act having its principal place of business in India at 4, Fairlie Place in the town of Calcutta and the Rivers Steam Navigation Company Limited, a Company incorporated under the English Companies Act having its principal place of business in India at No. 2, Clive Ghat Street in the town of Calcutta hereinafter called "The Companies" of the one part and the Secretary of State for India in Council and on his behalf the Chief Commissioner of Assam hereinafter called "The Secretary of State" of the other part.

Whereas for the purpose of the construction of permanent sheds, offices and godowns for the storage and safe custody of imported and exported goods, the Companies have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Assam for the acquisition under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act 1894, of the piece or parcel of land containing 3 bighas 0 katha 7 chattaks of land situated in Kalighat in the town of Sylhet and more particularly described in the schedule hereto and delineated in the plan hereto annexed.

And whereas the said Chief Commissioner of Assam being satisfied by an enquiry held under section 40 of the said Act that the proposed acquisition is needed for the aforesaid purpose and that the said work is likely to prove useful to the public, has consented to acquire on behalf of the Companies the piece or parcel of land hereinbefore described.

And whereas the said Chief Commissioner of Assam has required the Companies under the provisions of section 41 of the abovementioned Act to enter into the agreement with the Secretary of State hereinafter contained: Now this Indenture witnesses that it is hereby agreed and declared as follows:—

1. On demand the Companies shall and will pay to the said Chief Commissioner of Assam all and every compensation in respect of the said land tendered, paid or awarded or to be tendered, paid or awarded by the Collector of Sylhet under the Land Acquisition Act 1894 or by the Court to which a reference under Part III of the said Act may be made, or by the Court or Courts to which an appeal from the award of the said Court may be preferred and all costs, charges and expenses of the proceedings in the aforesaid Courts, or otherwise incidental to the proposed acquisition or payable in respect thereof under the provisions of the said Act.

2. On demand made by the said Collector the obligations of the Companies under the last preceding clause not being thereby limited, the Companies shall and will deposit with the said Collector such sum or sums of money as in his discretion the said Collector may in anticipation estimate to be necessary for the purposes mentioned in the last preceding clause.

3. On payment by the Companies of all demands under the foregoing first clause, or, in the discretion of the said Chief Commissioner of Assam (on deposit by the Companies of all estimated amounts as provided in the second clause), but not before possession shall have been taken under the provisions of the abovementioned Act, the Secretary of State shall make over possession of the said land to the Companies and shall execute and do all such acts and deeds as may be necessary and proper for effectually vesting the same in the Companies.

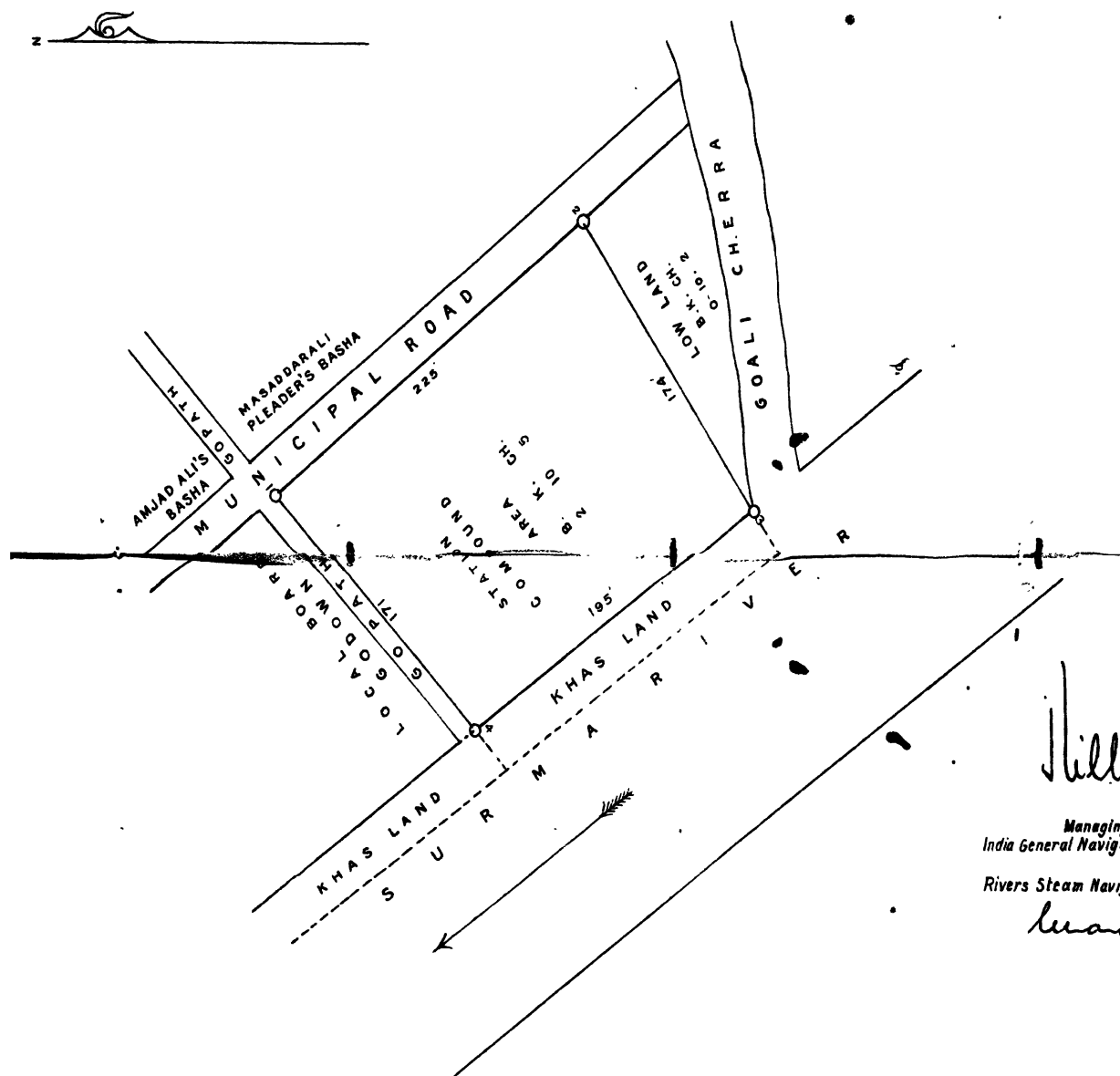
4. The said land shall be held by the Companies for the purpose of carrying on their business as Common Carriers as is hereinbefore mentioned and without the sanction in writing of the said Chief Commissioner of Assam first had and obtained for no other purpose whatsoever.

5. The improvements in the present buildings, etc., shall be taken in hand as soon as the possession of the said land shall have been given to the Companies and completed in 3 years.

6. Should the said improvements not be completed (and fully equipped in all respects ready for use) within the period stated in the last preceding clause or within such further period as in its discretion may be prescribed or allowed by the said Chief Commissioner of Assam, or should the said land at any time thereafter cease for a period of 12 consecutive months, to be held and used, or cease to be required for the purpose or purposes provided for in the foregoing fourth clause then and in any such case, the said Chief Commissioner of Assam may summarily re-enter upon and take possession of the said land and structures thereon and thereupon the interest of the Companies in the said land and structures shall absolutely cease and determine.



— MAP —  
OF  
— SYLHET STEAMER STATION —  
Scale 60 = 1 Inch.



*Shillong*

Managing Agents  
India General Navigation & Ry. Co. Ltd.

Rivers Steam Navigation Co. Ltd.

*Shillong*  
Agents.

B. N. CHACKRAVARTY  
SURVEYOR  
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Shillong D.O.R.S.No.2407 of 1917.





7. On taking such possession the Chief Commissioner of Assam may sell or otherwise deal with the said land and structures, as he may think proper. Should the said Chief Commissioner of Assam sell the land and structures, the said Chief Commissioner of Assam after deducting the expense incurred in connection with the said taking of possession and with such sale, shall pay the proceeds to the Companies. Should the said Chief Commissioner of Assam, on taking possession, decide not to sell the land, he shall repay to the Companies all sums received from the Companies in respect of all and every compensation as provided in the foregoing first clause (less the statutory allowance 15 per cent.) but will not repay any sums paid and received on account of costs, charges and expenses.

8. The public shall be entitled to use the Godowns on the following terms: *viz.*, for the storage of goods booked for despatch or for delivery to the public by the said Companies on payment of the rates in force for the time being in accordance with the rules regulations of the said Companies.

9. Should any dispute or difference arise touching or concerning the subject matter of this agreement or any covenant clause or thing herein contained the same shall be referred to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, and the opinion and decision of the said Chief Commissioner upon such dispute or difference shall be final and conclusive and binding on the parties hereto.

In witness whereof the Companies have caused their common Seals to be affixed and the Secretary of State for India in Council and on his behalf the Chief Commissioner of Assam hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the day and year first above written.

The common Seals of the abovenamed Companies was hereto affixed in the presence of—

J. EARNEST WARD,

Witness,

4, Fairlie Place.



KILBURN AND COMPANY,

*Managing Agents, India General Navigation and Railway Company, Limited.*

A. G. MACCRIMMON,

Witness,

2, Clive Ghat Street,

Calcutta.



MACNEILL AND COMPANY,

*Agents, Rivers Steam Navigation Company, Limited.*

Witness.....

Signed, sealed and delivered by  
J. E. WEBSTER, Esq., C.I.E., I.O.S., Chief  
Secretary to the Government of Assam  
in the Revenue Department, for Hon'ble  
the Chief Commissioner of Assam acting  
in the premises for and on behalf of the  
Secretary of State for India in Council  
in the presence of:—

J. E. WEBSTER,

*Chief Secretary to the Chief  
Commissioner of Assam.*

MAHENDRA KUMAR GUPTA,

*Offg. Registrar, Assam Secretariat.*

CHANDRAKISHOR BISWAS,

*Assistant, Assam Secretariat.*

Witness.

*Schedule.*

*East.*—Goulicherra.

*West.*—Pathway running along the east of the Local Board Godown.

*North.*—Municipal Road.

*South.*—The Government Khas Land—extending down to the Surma River.

J. E. WEBSTER,

*Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam.*

**NOTICE.****DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.****INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.**

Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.**IMPERIAL LIBRARY.**

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**COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.****Notice under Section 18 of the Ajmer Talukdars' Loan Regulation (II of 1911.)**

Whereas by a notice under section 6 of the Talukdars' Loan Regulation (II of 1911) published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 13th June 1914, it was declared that Mir Sharfuddin Ali Khan Diwan, Durgah Khwaja Sahib, Ajmer, having applied, through the General Manager, Court of Wards, Ajmer, for a loan under this Regulation, was incompetent to transfer or create any charge on or interest in his property or any part thereof or to enter into a contract which might involve him in any pecuniary liability.

And, whereas, it was further declared that all suits and proceedings in any Civil Court in respect of any claim against the said Mir Sharfuddin Ali Khan Diwan, Durgah Khwaja Sahib, Ajmer, shall be stayed and no fresh suit or proceeding shall be instituted in respect of any such claim in any Civil Court.

Notice is hereby given that his application for a loan having been rejected under section 13 of the Regulation, the said Mir Sharfuddin Ali Khan, Diwan, Durgah Khwaja Sahib, Ajmer, is released from the disabilities imposed by the notice above mentioned.

L. W. REYNOLDS, I.C.S.,

Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

AJMER :

The 11th December 1917.

## NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

## NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 14th November 1917.

**No. 210.**—Mr. R. N. Haygarth, Superintendent, Farrukhabad Circle, Upper Division Internal Branch, is seconded for military training under the Indian Defence Force Rules from the 1st October 1917.  
(84 P. of, 1917).

J. F. CONNOLLY,

Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

## CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th December 1917.

**No. 10389-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 8th December 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.								Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.	
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.			Total.
	Delhi .	225,471	111	108	219	82	76	158	..	..	..	62	1	70	..	25	..	24	24	48	50.51	36.44
	Notified Area	3,678	5	5	10	1	1	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	141.57	24.31
	Total	229,144	116	113	229	83	77	160	..	..	..	64	1	70	..	25	..	24	24	48	51.90	36.30

The 17th December 1917.

**No. 10444-Education.**—The following amendments to the bye-laws to regulate the business of the Municipal Committee of Delhi, published with Notification No 8951-Education, dated the 4th December 1913, have been passed by the Municipal Committee of Delhi, and being approved by the Chief Commissioner are hereby published for general information.

## Amendments.

(1) In paragraph 14 (2) of the bye-laws, Direct Tax and Nazul Sub-Committee for the figure "7" read "10".

(2) In paragraph 22 (5) of the bye-laws, Direct Tax, for the words "2nd and 4th Wednesday" read "on as many days in each week as might be necessary". These amendments will come into force six weeks from the date of the publication of this Notification.

W. M. HAILEY,

Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

## ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

### NOTIFICATION.

Dated Abu, the 11th December 1917.

**No. 7433—4 of 1917.**—In supersession of the rules published in his Notification No. 2413-G., dated the 19th June 1895, the following rules, made by the Agent to the Governor General in Rajputana in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 20 of the Court-fees Act (VII of 1870), as applied to the District of Abu, have received the sanction of the Governor General in Council and are published for general information :—

### PART I.

#### RULES APPLICABLE TO CIVIL COURTS.

1. Fees shall be levied according to the following scale for serving and executing processes issued by the Civil Courts within the said District :—

In original suits or appeals or in cases of execution of decrees.	For every process not being a warrant of arrest.			For every warrant of arrest.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
If the amount or value of the subject-matter in dispute or of that sought to be recovered does not exceed Rs. 20	0	4	0	1	0	0
If it exceeds Rs. 20, but does not exceed Rs. 50	0	8	0	1	0	0
Do. 50 do. 100	1	0	0	1	8	0
Do. 100 do. 200	1	4	0	2	0	0
Do. 200 do. 300	1	8	0	3	0	0
Do. 300 do. 500	2	0	0	4	0	0
Do. 500 do. 1,000	3	0	0	5	0	0
Do. 1,000 do. 5,000	4	0	0	6	0	0
Do. 5,000 do. 10,000	5	0	0	7	0	0
Do. 10,000 do. 25,000	6	0	0	8	0	0
Do. 25,000	8	0	0	10	0	0

(a) The amount or value of the subject-matter of a suit or appeal, as determined in sections 7 and 8 of the Court-fees Act, 1870, or under the rules made under the Suits Valuation Act, 1887 (VII of 1887), whichever is higher, shall regulate the fees payable according to the above schedule, and

(b) a uniform fee of annas eight shall be levied on every process issued—

(i) in any suit or appeal not coming under clause (a) of this rule, or

(ii) in any miscellaneous proceeding other than a proceeding in the execution of a decree ;

(c) for each peon detained for more than three days in charge of attached property or in charge of a judgment-debtor under rule 40, sub-rule (3) of Order XXI, of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (Act V of 1908), or otherwise, a daily fee of annas four in cash shall be levied.

2. A separate process shall be issued for each person summoned or arrested or upon whom a notice is served, and a separate fee shall be charged for each process.

3. When a process issued by a Civil Court is returned unserved, the party at whose instance a fresh process is issued shall, save in the case provided for by the rule next following, pay the full fee chargeable thereon unless the Court, for reasons to be recorded by it, otherwise directs.

4. When a summons is not declared to have been duly served after an enquiry under Order V, rule 19, of the Code of Civil Procedure, no process fee shall be levied upon re-issue.

### PART II.

#### RULES APPLICABLE TO CRIMINAL COURTS.

5. No fee shall be levied on any process issued by a Criminal Court in cognizable cases, that is, cases in which the Police may arrest without warrant, as set forth in the second schedule to the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, or any other law in force for the time being.

6. In non-cognizable cases, that is, cases in which the Police have by law no power to arrest without warrant, process-fee shall be levied according to the following scale, viz. :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(i) For every summons or notice . . . . .	0	4	0
(ii) For every warrant of arrest . . . . .	0	6	0
(iii) For every proclamation for any absconding person (Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, section 87) . . . . .	1	0	0
(iv) For every warrant of attachment . . . . .	0	8	0

Provided that no fee shall be levied on any process issued on the complaint of any public officer acting as such.

Provided also that the Court may, in its discretion, or for reasons to be recorded in writing, remit the whole or any portion of the amount of the process-fee leviable under this rule.

7. Rules 2, 3 and 4 shall apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to process issued by Criminal Courts.

### PART III.

#### GENERAL.

8. No fees shall be levied for any process which a Court may issue of its own motion or by order of a superior Court in any suit or proceeding, and not at the instance of any party to the suit.

9. A process issued by any British Court, whether of Civil, Revenue or Criminal jurisdiction, shall be served free of charge by the Courts within the District of Abu, if it be certified on the process that the proper fee has been levied under the rules in force in the Court issuing it. When any Court situated within the District of Abu, sends a process for service or execution beyond the local limits of its ordinary jurisdiction, such Court shall endorse on the process a certificate that the fee chargeable under these rules has been levied.

### PART IV.

#### SUBSIDIARY INSTRUCTIONS.

10. The Nazir or any other officer of the Court conducting the sale of property in execution of a decree shall, under the orders of the Court ordering the sale of such property, be entitled to receive a commission at the rate of Rs. 5 per centum on the proceeds of the sale when such proceeds do not exceed Rs. 500 and at the rate of Re. 1 per centum on proceeds exceeding Rs. 500.

11. No process shall be prepared or issued until the requisite fee has been paid.

12. No process-fees shall be levied on proclamations for the sale of property in execution of a decree. If any expenses are incurred under Order XXI, Rule 67, of the Civil Procedure Code, Act V of 1908, in the proclamation of sale as for instance by advertising in the newspapers, etc., such expenses must be met from the sale-proceeds of the property sold.

13. The above rules shall apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to processes issued by Revenue Courts.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

## GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### Separate Revenue Branch.

#### NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 19th December 1917.

**No. 2922-S. R.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Murrell, the Superintendent of Customs at the Port of Maungdaw in Burma, to be Superintendent of Customs at the Port of Nilla in the District of Chittagong in the Presidency of Bengal, *vice* Mr. D. George, and authorizes him to exercise the powers conferred, and to perform the duties imposed, by the said Act on such officers.

J. DONALD,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL,  
IN CENTRAL INDIA.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

Central India Agency, Indore, the 14th December 1917.

**No. 3767-D.**—The Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Central India is pleased to declare the days specified below to be public holidays in Central India during the year 1918.

**List of General Holidays sanctioned by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India  
for the year 1918.**

Christian, Hindu, Muham- madan or Parsi	Designation.	Date.	Days of week.	No. of days.	REMARKS.
C.	New Year's Day . . .	1st January . . .	Tuesday . . .	1	
H.	Til Sankrant . . .	18th „ . . .	Sunday . . .	1	
H.	Basant Panchmi . . .	15th February . . .	Friday . . .	1	
H.	Shivaratri . . .	11th March . . .	Monday . . .	1	
P.	Jamshed-i-Nauroz . . .	21st „ . . .	Thursday . . .	1	For Parsis only.
H.	Holi or Dol Jatra . . .	27th and 28th March . . .	Wednesday and Thurs- day.	2	
C.	Good Friday . . .	29th March . . .	Friday . . .	1	
C.	Saturday before Easter . . .	30th „ . . .	Saturday . . .	1	
C.	Easter Monday . . .	1st April . . .	Monday . . .	1	
H.	Gudi-pudwa . . .	12th „ . . .	Friday . . .	1	
H.	Ram Navmi . . .	19th „ . . .	Do. . .	1	
M.	Shab-i-Barat . . .	26th May . . .	Sunday . . .	1	If the moon be visible on Satur- day, the 11th May 1918, then on Saturday, the 25th May 1918.
GENERAL	King-Emperor's Birthday . . .	.....	...	1*	
P.	Zoraster's <i>deeso</i> . . .	18th June . . .	Tuesday . . .	1	For Parsis only.
M.	Alvida, last Friday in Ramzan.	5th July . . .	Friday . . .	1	For Muhammadans only.
M.	Id-ul-Fitr . . .	11th „ . . .	Thursday . . .	1	If the moon be visible on Tues- day, the 9th July 1918, then on Wednesday, the 10th July 1918.
H.	Nag Panchmi . . .	12th August . . .	Monday . . .	1	
H.	Raksha Bandhan . . .	21st „ . . .	Wednesday . . .	1	
H.	Janam Ashtami . . .	28th „ . . .	Do. . .	1	
P.	Nauroz . . .	11th September . . .	Do. . .	1	
P.	Khurdadasal . . .	16th „ . . .	Monday . . .	1	} For Parsis only.
P.	Amardadasal . . .	17th „ . . .	Tuesday . . .	1	
M.	Id-ul-Zuha . . .	17th „ . . .	Do. . .	1	If the moon be visible on Friday, the 6th September 1918, then on Monday, the 16th Sep- tember 1918.
H.	Anant Chaudas . . .	18th „ . . .	Thursday . . .	1	
H.	Dussehra . . .	13th to 15th October . . .	Sunday to Tuesday . . .	3	
M.	Moharram . . .	15th to 17th „ . . .	Tuesday to Thursday . . .	3	If the moon be visible on Sunday, the 6th October 1918, then from Monday to Wednes- day, 14th to 16th October 1918.
H.	Diwali . . .	3rd to 5th November . . .	Sunday to Tuesday . . .	3	
M.	Barawafat . . .	17th December . . .	Tuesday . . .	1	If the moon be visible on Wednesday, the 4th December 1918, then on Monday, the 16th December 1918.
C.	Christmas . . .	22nd to 31st December . . .	Monday to Tuesday . . .	9	

NOTE—(1) Sundays and the last Saturday in each month, if there are no arrears of work, are general holidays, also each day of Solar Eclipse and the day following each Lunar Eclipse.

During the year 1918, the following Eclipse is foretold:—1 Lunar Eclipse on Tuesday, the 17th December 1918.

(2) Heads of offices are empowered to grant holidays on extraordinary occasions or at the times of local fairs and religious festivals, provided that no undue delay in the disposal of public business will thereby occur.

\* The date for the celebration of His Majesty the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 18th December 1917.

**No. 3812-D.**—Pandit Ghana Nand Joshi, Inspector of Schools for the Administered Areas in Central India, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 28th October 1917.

A. R. JELF,  
First Assistant to the Agent to the  
Governor-General in Central India.

### REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Joined the Remount Training Depot, Bangalore, on the 1st November 1917 and deserted on the 10th December 1917.

No. 21052—Indian Driver Jarmanee Ali, 1103rd Battery, R.F.A., Trimulgherry. Father's name—Bismilla Sahib. Caste—Muhammadan. Village—Sumasdilla Jillagan. District—Hyderabad (Deccan).	Enrolled at—Trimulgherry on 17th September 1917. Age on enlistment—20 years. Height—5 feet 4½ inches. Chest measurement—32 inches. Identification marks on body—Scar above left eye-brow, scar middle left eye-brow.
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J. LYNCH, Lieutenant, R.H.A.,  
for Commandant, Remount Training Depot, Bangalore.

Report of an Absentee from the 4th Battalion, South Wales Borderers, 13th Division, 40th Brigade, dated at Poona, this 14th day of December 1917.

Number, Rank and Name—3-26900, Private Brown, George. Age—32 years. Height—5 feet 9 inches. Colour of—Complexion fresh; hair, ginger; eyes, not known. Trade—Not known. Date of enlistment—Not known.	Place of enlistment—Not known. Parish and County in which born—Not known. Date of Desertion or absence—12th December 1917. Place of Desertion or absence—Deccan British War Hospital, Poona. Mark—Scar, right elbow (after operation). Whilst a patient in hospital. Under 11 (eleven) years' service.
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H. E. WINTER, Lient.-Col, R.A.M.C.,  
Commanding, Deccan British War Hospital.

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

#### NOTIFICATION.

The 15th December 1917.

**No. 2309-W.**—Whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, that land is required by Government for a public purpose, namely, to widen Delhi Qutab Road at mile 10 at Adchini Village, it is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act I of 1894, and under Section 7 of the said Act the Deputy Commissioner of Delhi is hereby directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

#### Specification of Land.

Province.	Tahsil.	Mauzah.	Area in acres.	Direction.	Boundaries.	Places where the plan may be inspected.
Delhi	Delhi	Adchini	14	North to South	Bounded on the North and South by the Delhi Qutab Road, on the East and West by the Adchini Village.	Office of the Executive Engineer, IV Project Division, and Deputy Commissioner, Delhi.

H. T. KERLING,  
Secretary, P. W. D.



**SURVEY OF INDIA.****NOTIFICATION.**

Calcutta, the 20th December 1917.

**No. 774.**—Mr. J. A. Freeman, Deputy Superintendent, is granted privilege leave for one month and four days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th November 1917 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

S. G. BURRARD, Colonel, R.E.,  
Surveyor General of India.

**SURVEY OF INDIA—EASTERN CIRCLE.****NOTIFICATION.**

Shillong, the 18th December 1917.

**No. 5.**—Mr. A. B. Hunter, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, has been granted privilege leave for one month with effect from 31st October 1917 under Articles 246 and 260, Civil Service Regulations.

R. T. CRICHTON, Lt.-Col., I.A.,  
Superintendent, Eastern Circle.

**MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATIONS.**

Delhi, the 19th December 1917.

**No. 572 G-Camp.**—Captain R. W. Borissow, 2nd Garrison Battalion, The Essex Regiment, attached to the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 4th (Quetta) Division, is granted leave for one day, in extension of the leave granted in Notification No. 380 G.-Camp, dated 5th December 1917.

**No. 573-G-Camp.**—Mr. Provakhar Chatterjee, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the Office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 28th November 1917, and is re-appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the same office, with effect from the 5th December 1917.

**No. 574-G-Camp.**—Mr. A. Pereyra, B. A., Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 1st (Peshawar) Division, is granted privilege leave for two months on medical grounds, with effect from the 18th December 1917.

**No. 575-G-Camp.**—Mr. E. A. Gracias, officiating Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 1st (Peshawar) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 18th December 1917, during the absence of Mr. A. Pereyra, B. A., Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, on privilege leave.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,  
Military Accountant-General.

**DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.****NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 18th December 1917.

**No. 22.**—The Services of Assistant Surgeon W. G. Sherard, I.S.M.D., are replaced at the disposal of the Director, Medical Services in India, with effect from the 21st November 1917.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,  
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
610—1917	Bhogilal Lalubhai Patel	Hindu	Gulawadi	Formerly brickmerchant with Ranchordas Lalubhai in the name of Ranchordas Lalubhai & Co., up to 1978, and lately in his own name, and now unemployed.	10th	December	1917	10th	December	1917.
611—1917	Jamsetji Gureshji Powwella	Parsi	Grant Road	Unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
612—1917	Sonoo Janoo Bhelekar	Hindu	Dadar	Fitter in the B. B. and C. I. Railway at Parel (Workshop).	13th	"	"	13th	"	"
613—1917	Abdullhusein Jafferji Chassa	Mahomedan	Muttao Street	Till lately trading in partnership with Abdullhusein Abdul Kader and Chandabhai Mahomedalli under the same style and firm of Abdullhusein Jafferji Chassa & Co. as Indian Wax and Candles Merchant, and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
614—1917	Kondo Janardhan Chatray	Hindu	Khetwadi Main Road.	Clerk in the employ of Houton & Co.	"	"	"	"	"	"
615—1917	Haji Mahomed Mehdi bin Mahomed Husein.	Mahomedan	Belasis Road	Unemployed	"	"	"	14th	"	"
616—1917	Yeshwantrao Keshowrao Potnis and Krishnarao Yeshwantrao Potnis.	Hindu	1st Khatarali Cross Lane	1st Debtor, lately Clerk in the Army and Navy Co-operative Society, Ltd., and now Estate Broker; and the 2nd Debtor, Clerk in the Singer & Co.	14th	"	"	"	"	"
617—1917	Jiwandas alias Jwraj Bhimji Thacker.	"	Holi Chukla Fort	Lately General Broker and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Punjab, this 17th day of December 1917.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.**  
**Insolvency Jurisdiction.**

CASE No. 146 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th November 1917.

In the matter of O. Meyan Rowther, Trader of Nos. 71 and 72, Edward Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said O Meyan Rowther an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 29th day of November 1917.

CASE No. 162 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th November 1917.

In the matter of Venkatarmier of Kala Busthi, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Venkatarmier an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 29th day of November 1917.

CASE No. 226 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 4th December 1917.

In the matter of Alexander Jacobs, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Alexander Jacobs of No. 22, Dufferin Street, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Alexander Jacobs.

CASE No. 227 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 5th December 1917.

In the matter of Mambakam Balakrishna Moodaliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mambakam Balakrishna Moodaliar, Compositor of No. 125, 122nd Street, Rangoon, on the 4th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mambakam Balakrishna Moodaliar.

CASE No. 228 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th December 1917.

In the matter of Murugasa Moodaliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Murugasa Moodaliar, Printer of No. 50, 51st Street, Rangoon, on the 5th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Murugasa Moodaliar.

CASE No. 229 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th December 1917.

In the matter of Daniel Bowdalli, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Daniel Bowdalli, Engine Driver, Fire Brigade, Lanmadaw, Rangoon, on the 5th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Daniel Bowdalli.

## CASE No. 147 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of A. K. N. Nagoor Meeya Rowther, Trader of Nos. 71 and 72, Edward Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. K. N. Nagoor Meeya Rowther, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 6th day of December 1917.

## CASE No. 207 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of Radhay Singh, Peon in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Burma, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Radhay Singh an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 10th day of December 1917.

## CASE No. 230 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of Herbert Maximilian Gibson Miles, Insolvent

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Herbert Maximilian Gibson Miles, Clerk, No. 46, 47th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Herbert Maximilian Gibson Miles.

## CASE No. 231 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of Rapaty Appanna, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Rapaty Appanna, Durwan of Darwood & Co, residing at Rosebank Road, Ahlone, Rangoon, on the 7th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Rapaty Appanna.

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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM  
IN BENGAL.  
In Insolvency.**

No. 240 OF 1915

Dated the 15th December 1917.

*Re* Lukhi Narain Dutt.*Ex parte* the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of February 1918 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 85 OF 1916.

Dated the 17th December 1917.

*Re* Mohendra Nath Roy.*Ex parte* the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge the Court has fixed the 5th day of February 1918 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

**Summary Case.**

No. 113 of 1917.

Dated the 15th December 1917.

*Re* Simeon Carepiet Aratoon.*Ex parte* the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of February 1918 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

**Notice of Adjudication Order.**

No. 172 of 1917.

Dated the 19th December 1917.

*Re* Hari Prosad Mohato, residing at No. 16, Boistab Churan Sens Lane, Jorabagan, in the town of Calcutta, and formerly carrying on business in dal, but at present without employment.

*Ex parte* the debtor. J. N. Chatterjee.—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 11th day of December 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 174 of 1917.

Dated the 17th December 1917.

*Re* Shaik Alladin, residing at No. 34, Collootollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business in miscellaneous goods at 56-1, Canning Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name and style of Shaik Alladin Shamsul Aruffen.

*Ex parte* the Debtor. Alun and Nan.—Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 14th day of December 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 175 of 1917.

Dated the 17th December 1917.

*Re* Hem Chandra Kundu and Atul Chandra Kundu, lately residing at Raja Chowk Clive Street, in the town of Calcutta, and now residing at Ganeshpur, District Hooghly, and carrying on business in copartnership as dealers in spices, under the name, style and firm of Issur Ramdhone Kundu Sri Hem Chandra Kundu, at No. 2, Cotton Street, in Calcutta aforesaid.

*Ex parte* the Debtor. P. N. Banerjee.—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 14th day of December 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,

Official Assignee of Calcutta.

# IN THE COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE AND JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.

No. 1 of 1917.

Tejmal, son of Gheesalal Aggerwala, Ajmer . . . Insolvent, Appellant.  
*Against*

	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Narsugh Dass . . . . .	2,000	0	0
2. Rughnath Dass, of Bombay . . . . .	4,000	0	0
3. S. Kesturimal . . . . .	3,200	0	0
4. Ramgopal . . . . .	1,600	0	0
5. Soolal, Ajmer . . . . .	300	0	0
6. P. Har Narain . . . . .	200	0	0
7. S. Johrilal . . . . .	500	0	0
8. Ridh Karan . . . . .	200	0	0
9. Dhool Chand, of Beawar . . . . .	2,000	0	0
10. Megh Raj . . . . .	620	0	0
11. Jai Narain . . . . .	70	0	0
Total . . . . .	14,690	0	0

The Insolvent Tejmal has filed a composition under Section 27 of Act III of 1907 (Insolvency Act) and the case will be taken up on the 7th January 1918. The Creditors are hereby informed that they either must appear in person or through an authorised Agent in this Court on the date fixed at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. In default of the appearance the case will be taken up.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 8th day of December 1917.

H. B. SARDA,  
 Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.

# IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

Notice is hereby given under Section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act (III of 1907) that the under-mentioned persons were adjudged Insolvents by this Court on the dates mentioned in column 4. Creditors are hereby required to prove their debts as soon as possible.

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Number of the case.	NAME, PARENTAGE, OCCUPATION AND PLACE OF RESIDENCE OF THE.		Dates on which the petitioners were adjudged insolvents.
	Petitioners.	Creditors.	
38	1. Janki Das, son of Shadi Ram 2. Hari Baksh, son of Kidar Nath 3. Murli Dhar, son of Badri Das 4. Murari Lal, son of Janki Das, of Delhi.	Nanak Chand and Gulzari Mal and others.	1st December 1917.
40	1. Inayat Ullah, son of Mohd. Ali 2. Hidayet Ullah, son of Inayat Ullah Sheikh of Delhi.	Mustafa Khan and others.	4th December 1917.
51	Khillu Mal, son of Bhullu Mal, Jaini, of Delhi.	Bhonda Mal and others.	Ditto.

TOPAN RAM,  
 Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

# **POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.** (TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

## **NOTIFICATIONS.**

Calcutta, the 18th December 1917.

**No. 6588-T.**—The following promotions are sanctioned with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	RANK		Nature of appointment.	Date.
	From	To		
Mr. W. J. Blackwell.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st class.	Permanent (on probation).	29th November 1917.
Mr. J. A. Howse	Telegraph Master and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Ditto	Ditto.

2. Messrs. A. H. Raikes and W. J. Benson continue to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class, and Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class, respectively, with effect from the 3rd December 1917 until further orders.

**No. 6592-T.**—Mr. G. Barton, Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, Central Circle, is granted privilege leave for two months with effect from the 29th November 1917

Mr. G. W. Butcher, Telegraph Master, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, Central Circle, with effect from the 30th November 1917, *vice* Mr. Barton.

W. MAXWELL,  
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 20th December 1917.

**No. 6654-T.**—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 6th December 1917 to 19th December 1917.

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Bhopal Chauh	Central India	19th November 1917	Opened.
Mahroni	United Provinces	21st November 1917	"
<i>Railway Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Chhota Udaipur	Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway.	1st December 1917	"
Kathar	North Western Railway	3rd December 1917	Closed.
Kywedalingon	Burma Railway	15th November 1917	Opened.
Pavi	Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway.	1st December 1917	"

The following alterations in the names of Government Telegraph offices are notified :—

“Sibpur Botanical garden” instead of “Sibpur Botanic garden.”

“Tarniya” instead of “Ramkola, Saran.”

The following alteration in the name of a Railway Telegraph office is notified :—

*On the South Indian Railway.*

“Parli” instead of “Paril.”

W. SUTHERLAND,  
Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

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**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
**(POST OFFICE.)**

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 13th December 1917.

**No. 3096s-*Ap.***--Mr. H. R. MacLeod, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, officiating in the 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 4th December 1917.

Mr. Kishen Dayal Singh, Inspector of Post Offices, 1st grade, Rutlam Sub-Division, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. H. R. MacLeod, or until further orders.

2. This supersedes this office Notification No. 2802s-*Ap.*, dated the 10th November 1917.

**No. 3100s-*Ap.*** Sardar Mula Singh, Probationary Superintendent of Post Offices, United Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 29th November 1917 and until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs

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**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
**(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)**

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**NOTIFICATION.**

Camp Bombay, the 18th December 1917.

**No. 550 c-*E.-E***—The following officiating promotion to the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified : --

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. S. P. G. Josephs	Inspecting Telegraphist	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd Class, Officiating.	28th September 1917

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" " V "	Urdu.	Sp. (1a.)
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" " IX "	Urdu.	Sp. (1a.)
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**Treasury Officer, Azamgarh.**

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**J. C. R. JOHNSTON.**



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Residence—Junagadh.

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J. C. R. JOHNSTON.

Calcutta, the 8th December 1917.



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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA }

December 17, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,

Director of Statistics

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

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	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
					Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month				
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst . . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	12 2	12 2	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	11 3	14 9	13 4	...	...	...	...
Bangoon . . . . .	...	...	...	...	14 9	14 9	16 3	16 3	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . . .	4 —	4 —	...	...	12 2	12 2	13 4	14 9	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 13	12 13	15 8	15 8	...	...	...	...
Henzada . . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	14 9	14 9	15 6	15 6	...	...	...	...
Prome . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 11	10 8	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay . . . . .	8 14	8 4	...	...	10 1	10 1	13 14	13 4	19 10	19 10	...	...
Bhamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	11 3	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pakokku . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Meiktila . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	17 8	18 3	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway . . . . .	2 10	2 10	...	...	12 12	12 12	15 14	15 14	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpada . . . . .	3 8	3 8	...	...	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Burma—												
Sylhet <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	...	9 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar . . . . .	4 —	3 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 12	10 12	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Kháisi and Jaintia Hills . . . . .	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 4	6 4	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Manipur . . . . .	15 —	16 —	...	...	20 —	22 —	25 —	24 —	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goalpara . . . . .	12 —	12 —	...	...	4 2	4 —	10 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kámráp (Gauhati) . . . . .	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur . . . . .	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 11	...	...	...	...
Tippera . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 —	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Áhulna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
1-Parganas . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	...	...	...	...
Calcutta . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 15	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hooghly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Kriahnagarh) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	8 14	...	...	...	...
Jessore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	8 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and administrations etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. <sup>a</sup>Figures have not so far been reported.



TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUN ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR GURBU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Best sort		Common		Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month
					Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month				
Bengal—continued												
Western—												
Bankura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	...	...	...	...
Burdwan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	10 4	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 2	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Malda . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bogra . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 3	9 9	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 12	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea . . . . .	11 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur . . . . .	9 —	10 —	20 —	...	...	...	10 —	...	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga . . . . .	9 14	9 14	18 11	18 11	...	...	10 7	10 7	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . . . .	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Saran . . . . .	9 —	10 —	17 —	18 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Champaran . . . . .	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas . . . . .	9 —	9 —	16 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	11 8	...	...	...	...
Monghyr . . . . .	10 —	9 8	24 —	21 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Gaya . . . . .	...	10 —	...	17 8	...	...	...	11 —	...	12 —	...	...
Patna . . . . .	10 —	10 —	24 —	18 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	18 —	18 —	...	...
Shahabad . . . . .	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum . . . . .	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Manbhum . . . . .	8 —	9 —	10 8	12 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	20 —	16 —
Ranchi . . . . .	7 12	7 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	7 12	...	...	9 8	9 8
Palaman . . . . .	...	10 11	...	15 3	...	...	...	9 —	...	...	...	...
Hasaribagh . . . . .	7 8	8 4	11 —	12 —	...	...	10 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri . . . . .	7 14	7 15	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack . . . . .	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	...	11 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore . . . . .	7 2	7 8	...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur . . . . .	8 8	9 4	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur . . . . .	8 8	8 8	13 8	14 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	18 —	13 —	12 —
Benares . . . . .	8 15	8 15	13 13	14 14	6 12	6 10	8 7 1/2	8 7 1/2	14 10	14 14	14 10	14 14
Ghazipur . . . . .	8 8	8 13	15 1	14 7	5 5	5 4	9 10	9 14	16 10	16 10	16 12	16 12
Jaunpur . . . . .	9 8	9 2	15 —	14 4	4 —	4 —	10 11	10 10	...	...	...	...
Allahabad . . . . .	9 —	9 —	15 —	14 12	5 —	5 —	8 4	8 8	14 8	14 12	14 12	13 12
Central—												
Banda . . . . .	9 10	9 10	12 4	13 4	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	14 4	14 4	...	...
Fatehpur . . . . .	10 4	10 4	16 —	16 —	3 8	3 8	10 —	10 8	...	...	15 —	15 —
Hamirpur . . . . .	9 4	9 4	12 —	13 2	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	13 14	13 14	12 12	12 —
Jalain . . . . .	9 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 12	15 —	16 —	...	...
Cawnpore . . . . .	8 12	8 12	13 13	13 8	...	...	7 10	7 6	...	...	11 8	13 8
Jhansi . . . . .	8 —	8 4	15 5	15 14	4 12	4 12	8 —	8 —	13 1	13 8	13 14	13 14
Etawah . . . . .	8 12	9 6	12 2	13 6	3 —	3 —	9 —	8 12	...	...	10 8	...
Farrukhabad . . . . .	9 1	9 9	13 15	14 10	4 1	4 1	9 9	9 3	...	...	12 2	...
Mainpuri . . . . .	9 12	10 —	15 —	15 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	8 8	14 —	14 —	12 —	14 —
Etah . . . . .	9 8	10 —	14 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	11 8	13 —
Western—												
Meerut . . . . .	9 —	9 12	14 —	14 8	3 —	3 —	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Agra . . . . .	8 —	8 1	13 —	13 —	5 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	13 8	13 9	10 —	12 —
Muttra . . . . .	9 8	9 8	13 12	13 12	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Aligarh . . . . .	9 4	9 8	14 3	14 12	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	16 1	16 4	12 2	14 —
Bulandshahr . . . . .	9 8	10 5	12 8	14 8	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	13 —	16 —	13 —	12 —
Submontane, east—												
Balla . . . . .	9 2	9 2	17 12	17 8	5 8	5 3	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Amangarh . . . . .	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur . . . . .	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Basti . . . . .	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	6 4	6 4	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...

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DISTRICTS	WHEAT (Triticum Sativum)		BARLEY (Hordeum vulgare)		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CHURU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
					Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month				
United Provinces— continued												
(a) AGRA—continued												
Sulmonians, west—												
Shahjahanpur	9 12	9 14	15 —	15 8	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 12	13 4	14 —	13 —	14 —
Budaun	9 4	10 —	13 10	14 7	3 8	3 8	10 —	10 —	13 4	14 —	10 14	11 —
Pilibit	9 12	10 —	15 —	14 —	4 4	4 —	10 —	10 —	13 4	14 —	13 —	14 —
Bareilly	9 8	10 —	14 5	14 8	3 14	4 —	9 1	8 15	15 15	15 —	13 —	13 11
Moradabad	9 5	9 12	14 4	14 5	3 12	3 12	9 —	9 4	15 15	15 —	13 —	13 11
Bijnor	9 4	10 6	14 —	15 8	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	15 15	15 —	13 —	13 11
Muzaffarnagar	9 3	9 14	14 4	14 4	6 9	6 9	8 4	8 4	13 2	13 2	13 —	13 8
Saharanpur	9 1	9 9	13 5	13 5	4 4	4 4	8 —	8 —	13 2	13 2	13 —	13 8
Dehra-Dun	8 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	2 12	2 12	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	11 —	9 —	9 —
Almora	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	2 12	2 12	6 4	6 4	10 —	11 —	9 —	9 —
Garhwal	6 4	6 4	8 —	8 —	3 4	3 —	5 —	5 —	10 —	11 —	9 —	9 —
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 12	10 —	14 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	11 —	11 —	16 8	16 —	14 8	14 —
Sultanpur	10 —	10 8	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	10 8	10 8	16 8	16 —	14 8	14 —
Rae-Bareilly	8 4	9 2	13 8	13 12	4 8	4 8	8 8	8 8	16 8	16 —	14 8	14 —
Unao	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	16 8	16 —	14 8	14 —
Lucknow	9 4	9 8	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 8	16 8	16 —	14 8	14 —
Hardoi	9 4	9 8	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 8	16 8	16 —	14 8	14 —
Northern—												
Fyzabad	9 12	9 8	14 —	14 8	4 5	4 5	8 8	8 8	17 —	17 12	15 8	15 8
Barabanki	10 1	10 4	14 —	13 10	4 5	4 5	10 4	10 7	17 —	17 12	15 8	15 8
Gonda	10 —	10 4	13 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Bahraich	10 —	10 8	15 8	16 —	5 —	5 —	10 —	9 12	24 —	24 —	16 —	16 —
Sitapur	9 12	9 12	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	14 —	14 —
Kheri	10 —	10 8	15 —	16 —	3 —	3 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	20 —	16 —	13 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	10 5	10 2	18 2	17 14	5 —	4 15	5 10	5 9	23 12	23 6	13 12	13 13
Ajmer	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Kishanganj	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Tonk	6 9	6 9	12 1	12 1	4 6	4 6	7 10	5 7	15 5	15 5	13 2	13 2
Jaipur	8 15	9 4	12 9	12 14	4 15	4 14	5 8	5 2	13 14	13 11	12 5	12 5
Karauli	10 5	10 5	15 10	15 8	7 8	7 8	9 6	8 3	16 14	17 8	13 12	14 11
Dholpur	9 —	9 8	12 9	13 2	5 —	4 13	5 4	5 1	12 13	14 2	12 10	13 —
Bharatpur	9 —	9 4	13 6	13 6	4 5	4 5	4 14	4 14	15 8	15 8	14 10	14 10
Alwar	9 4	9 8	13 4	13 9	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	16 1	16 7	13 2	15 6
Nasirabad	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	13 8	14 —	11 8	14 —
Western—												
Bikaner	7 4	7 8	11 4	11 8	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	9 8	10 —
Jaisalmer	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	3 4	3 12	5 3	4 5	11 8	13 —	9 8	9 8
Jodhpur	8 10 to 9 12	9 — to 9 11	13 — to 15 —	13 5	5 4	5 8	6 8	6 8	13 —	16 8	11 — and 12 —	15 1 and 15 11
Central India—												
Indore	8 8	9 —	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 —	12 8	12 12	11 —	12 —
Neemuch	9 —	9 8	12 —	12 —	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 8	11 8	11 8
Gwalior	8 4	8 12	12 —	12 —	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 8	11 8	11 8
Delhi—												
Delhi	8 12	9 4	12 8	12 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 8
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	9 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	14 8	14 8	14 8	14 8
Ferozepur	8 8	9 13	12 8	14 8	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	14 8	14 8
Central—												
Lahore	8 4	8 8	13 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	12 —	13 —
Gujranwala	9 2	9 14	15 —	14 8	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	12 —	13 —
Gujrat	9 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	12 —	13 —
Jhelam	8 12	9 8	14 —	14 8	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	12 —	13 —

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[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARWA OR BASI ( <i>Eleusine coracana</i> )		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN WILLET ( <i>Setaria italica</i> )		GRAM, ORHENA, CHOLA, KADALAT, OR MUNAGA ( <i>Oicer aristinum</i> )		MAHER ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		ARHAR DAL ( <i>Cajanus Indicus</i> )		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	16 —	16 —	14 —	15 —	17 —	17 —	11 —	11 —	8 8	10 —	United Provinces— continued (a) AGRA—continued <i>Submontane, west—</i> Shahjahanpur Budaun Pilibit Baroli Moradabad Bijnor Muzaffarnagar Saharanpur Dohra-Dun
...	...	11 8	15 —	14 —	14 4	16 6	18 —	8 8	9 4	...	10 —	
...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 —	10 —	8 —	8 4	
...	...	...	...	14 1	14 1	16 —	17 15	9 12	10 —	8 6	10 —	
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 12	15 14	16 7	10 12	11 4	9 12	9 13	
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 12	...	8 8	9 8	10 —	8 —	10 —	
...	...	...	...	12 1	13 2	13 2	14 12	7 10	7 10	7 10	9 14	
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 11	12 12	14 14	8 8	9 9	7 7	9 1	
12 —	12 —	...	...	11 8	11 12	14 —	15 —	8 8	8 8	9 —	9 —	
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 8	11 —	11 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	10 —	
10 —	9 12	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	
...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	4 —	6 —	
												(b) OUDH—  <i>Southern—</i> Partabgarh Sultanpur Rae-Baroli Unao Lucknow Hardoi  <i>Northern—</i> Fyzabad Barabanki  Gonda  Bahraich Sitapur Kheri
18 —	18 —	8 —	8 —	15 8	16 —	18 —	18 —	11 —	11 —	8 —	9 —	
21 —	24 —	13 —	15 —	16 —	17 —	16 —	14 —	12 —	12 —	7 8	10 —	
...	...	...	16 —	14 12	14 4	18 8	18 8	8 4	10 8	8 8	9 8	
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	17 8	18 —	12 —	12 —	9 —	11 —	
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	19 —	19 —	10 —	10 —	8 —	8 8	
...	...	13 —	14 —	14 8	14 —	18 8	19 —	10 —	9 11	9 8	11 4	
16 —	19 —	12 —	15 8	16 8	16 6	19 —	20 8	10 12	11 —	9 6	9 2	
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	21 —	21 —	9 8	9 4	8 —	8 8	
24 —	...	10 8	10 —	16 —	17 —	21 —	21 8	12 —	12 —	9 8	12 —	
...	...	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —	16 —	17 —	10 —	10 8	8 —	10 —	
24 —	24 —	10 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	20 —	23 —	10 —	11 —	9 —	9 8	
												Rajputana—  <i>Eastern—</i> Mewar (Udaipur) Ajmer Kishangarh  Tonk  Jaipur  Karauli Dholpur  Bharatpur  Alwar  Nasirabad  <i>Western—</i>  Bikaner  Jaisalmer  Jodhpur
...	...	8 2	8 15	12 8	12 5	28 12	28 5	7 13	7 6	10 10	11 11	
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	
...	...	...	...	9 5	8 12	...	13 2	...	...	11 8	13 2	
...	...	15 10	15 7	11 12 and 11 14	11 5 and 11 13	13 14	13 11	11 —	10 12	11 12	12 2	
...	...	...	...	13 12	15 —	...	...	...	...	8 7	10 —	
...	...	9 —	9 8	12 54	12 94	...	...	9 12	10 5	8 104	9 15	
...	...	...	...	...	12 14	...	14 8	...	10 12	...	10 —	
...	...	9 12	9 12	12 124	13 2	14 3	14 —	18 11	19 8	4 10	10 14	
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 8	12 —	
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 8	15 —	
...	...	...	...	7 12	7 8	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	23 — and 24 —	
...	...	...	...	10 4	12 1 to 12 6	...	...	5 — to 6 —	6 4 to 7 8	14 —	14 —	
												Central India—  Indore Neemuch Gwalior
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 4	15 —	16 —	7 8	8 —	10 —	12 —	
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	
...	...	14 —	15 —	14 —	14 4	...	...	11 8	13 —	8 —	11 —	
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	18 4	14 8	11 —	11 —	8 14	10 12	Delhi— Delhi
												Punjab—  <i>Southern—</i> Hissar Ferozepur  <i>Central—</i> Lahore Gujranwala Gujrat Jhelum
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 12	11 8	...	5 —	5 8	10 —	13 —	
...	...	12 —	12 8	11 —	11 12	11 —	13 —	8 —	8 4	10 —	13 8	
...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	...	...	...	13 —	12 8	
...	...	...	...	...	10 4	12 —	13 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	
...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 —	11 —	7 —	7 —	14 —	15 —	



TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM ( <i>Andropogon sorghus</i> )		BAJRA OR OUMBU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Best sort	Common	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
<b>Punjab—continued</b>												
<b>South-eastern—</b>												
Gurgaon	9 4	9 12	13 —	13 8	...	...	5 —	8 —	12 8	13 —	12 8	12 8
Rohtak	9 —	9 12	13 —	14 —	...	...	5 8	6 8	15 —	16 —	18 8	16 12
Karnal	9 8	9 13	13 8	14 8	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Submontane—</b>												
Ambala	8 8	9 4	13 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	7 12	15 13	14 —	13 —	13 —
Imphiana	8 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	6 —	13 2	13 8	13 —	13 —
Jullundur	9 4	9 12	14 —	14 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	11 —	12 —
Hoshiarpur	9 4	9 10	13 —	14 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	11 —	13 —	13 —
Gurdaspur	9 8	10 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 —	...	...
Amritsar	9 —	9 —	12 8	12 12	...	...	7 8	7 12	15 —	15 —	8	12 8
Shaikot	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Hills—</b>												
Simla	7 4	8 —	9 —	10 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	9 —	9 —	9 4	10 12
Kangra	9 —	12 —	13 8	14 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Northern—</b>												
Rawalpindi	8 8	8 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 12	14 12	12 8	14 12
Attock	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 —	13 —
<b>Western—</b>												
Shahpur	9 4	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	14 8	14 8
Jhang	9 8	9 8	13 5	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	11 —
Lyallpur	9 —	9 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	9 10	9 12	13 —	13 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 8	13 8	11 4	12 8
Montgomery	3 13	9 8	11 8	12 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Muzaffargarh	9 12	9 14	12 8	12 8	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	8 7	8 14	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	10 10	12 4	11 2	12 4
<b>N.-W. F. Province—</b>												
Hazara	8 10	8 10	15 —	16 —	3 9	3 9	8 9	8 12	...	...	10 —	10 —
Peshawar	3 2	9 10	15 10	15 5	5 3	5 3	7 3	7 3	...	12 6	13 11	13 5
Kohat	8 14	8 14	15 1	15 1	3 18	3 13	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	15 1	15 5
Bannu	10 5	11 11	16 14	15 15	4 6	4 6	8 7	8 7	16 4	15 10	14 1	13 12
Dera Ismail Khan	9 6	9 11	12 8	13 —	3 7	3 8	6 8	6 6	15 4	15 —	16 4	15 —
Tech	10 12	10 8	16 —	15 8	...	...	6 4	5 12	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 —	10 —	15 8	15 8	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	10 —	10 8	17 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 5	7 10	12 —	11 —	2 15	2 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>												
Karachi	6 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	11 —	12 —	10 —	10 —
Hyderabad	7 —	7 8	...	...	5 8	6 8	6 8	7 —	11 —	12 —	9 —	12 8
Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)	6 8	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	12 —	12 8
Shikarpur	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Upper Sind Frontier	7 4	7 8	...	...	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —
Quetta	...	...	10 —	10 —	3 2	3 1	6 8	6 8	11 12	11 14	10 13	10 13
<b>Bombay—</b>												
<b>Konkan—</b>												
Karwar	6 5	6 5	...	...	5 9	5 9	7 4	7 4	9 2	9 2	...	...
Ratnagiri	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 3	7 3	8 11	8 11	8 13	8 13
Alibag	6 7	6 7	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 15	6 15	...	...	9 4	9 4
Bombay	5 12	6 6	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	7 10	8 —
Thana	7 2	7 2	...	...	5 9	5 9	6 7	6 7	10 8	10 8	8 14	8 14
<b>Deccan and Karnatak—</b>												
Dharwar	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 6	5 4	5 13	5 13	10 13	11 11	8 15	8 15
Belgaum	7 11	8 5	...	...	5 15	6 1	6 8	6 14	10 6	10 12	11 7	11 7
Satara	5 14	6 15	...	...	4 13	4 13	5 14	5 14	9 13	8 13	10 5	9 4
Sholapur	7 11	7 11	...	...	6 7	6 7	7 7	7 7	11 7	11 7	10 10	11 9
Bijapur	9 4	8 5	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 5	7 5	12 —	12 —	...	...
Poona	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	6 11	6 11	10 8	10 8	9 —	9 —
<b>Chandesh and N. E.</b>												
<b>Deccan—</b>												
Ahmednagar	7 10	7 10	...	...	6 2	6 2	6 14	6 14	12 3	12 15	9 13	9 13
Nasik	8 2	8 2	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	8 11	9 7
Dhule	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 7	7 7	12 4	12 4	11 15	...
Jalgaon	6 10	7 2	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	11 13	11 13	10 1	10 1
<b>Gujarat—</b>												
Surat	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 3	4 6	6 15	6 15	9 4	9 4	9 11	9 4
Broach	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	9 8	10 —	9 —	9 —
Kaira	6 —	6 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	13 6	13 8	10 —	11 —
Baroda	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 —
Ahmedabad	6 —	7 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 —	5 —	9 —	10 —	8 —	9 —
Godhra	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	8 8	8 8
Disa	7 4	9 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 —	5 —	13 —	13 —	10 13	12 —
<b>Kathiawar—</b>												
Rajkot	7 8	9 —	...	...	3 —	3 8	4 —	4 8	11 8	12 8	8 8	9 8
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
Nimar	7 2	7 15	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 6	6 13	11 6	12 2	...	...
Hoshangabad	8 13	9 2	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	11 11	11 11	...	...
Betul	8 15	10 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 2	7 2	11 14	12 6	...	...
Chhindwara	8 12	8 12	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 13	8 2	10 11	10 11	...	...
Jagpur	8 5	8 5	...	...	5 3	5 3	8 7	8 7	10 11	10 11	...	...
Wardha	8 2	8 2	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	11 8	12 2	...	...

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

RAGI OR MARUA (Eleusine coracana)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Oicer aristinum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ARHAR DAL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	12 —	13 —	9 —	8 8	9 —	8 8	<b>Punjab—continued</b>
...	...	...	...	12 4	13 8	...	...	7 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	<b>South-eastern—</b>
12	...	...	...	13 —	13 8	14 —	15 —	8 —	9 —	8 —	8 —	Gurgaon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rohat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnal
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	12 —	13 —	13 8	15 —	8 4	8 4	11 —	12 4	<b>Submontane—</b>
...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	12 —	15 —	15 —	9 —	9 —	11 —	11 8	Ambala
...	...	8 —	8 8	11 8	11 —	12 —	13 —	...	...	11 4	11 —	Ludhiana
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	13 —	14 4	...	...	11 —	12 —	Jullundur
...	...	10 —	8 —	10 —	11 —	12 3	13 —	...	...	12 —	10 —	Hoshiarpur
...	...	12 8	12 8	10 12	11 —	11 8	12 8	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 —	Gurdaaspur
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Siakot
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 12	10 12	10 12	6 4	5 12	7 8	8 —	<b>Hills—</b>
...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	12 8	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kangra
...	...	...	...	10 12	11 4	11 12	12 12	8 —	8 8	13 —	13 —	<b>Northern—</b>
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	12 8	12 8	5 4	5 4	13 —	13 —	Rawalpindi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Attock
14 8	15 —	17 8	11 8	12 8	12 8	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	13 —	14 —	<b>Western—</b>
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	12 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Shahpur
...	...	13 —	14 —	11 8	12 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	11 10	12 10	11 12	12 12	7 12	7 12	11 8	12 —	Lyallpur
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	...	...	...	...	10 8	12 —	Multan
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 10	...	...	...	...	11 12	13 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ghazi Khan
...	...	8 8	8 8	9 14	9 14	14 8	15 —	...	...	13 —	13 8	<b>N. W. P. Province—</b>
...	...	13 8	13 5	11 11	11 14	13 —	13 —	9 13	9 13	19 13	19 13	Hazara
...	...	11 —	11 —	11 10	11 10	12 6	12 6	...	...	20 8	20 8	Peshawar
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 —	15 15	15 10	...	...	22 8	24 6	Kohat
...	...	...	...	11 9	11 9	...	...	...	...	18 12	13 4	Bannu
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 4	13 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	17 —	16 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	...	...	...	...	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wano
...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	Karachi
...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Hydrabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 4	10 12	Thar and Parkar
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	(Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	9 54	9 8	8 7	8 7	5 14	5 11	16 —	16 —	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	6 10	7 4	...	...	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
13 8	13 8	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	6 4	6 4	11 14	11 14	<b>Bombay—</b>
10 13	10 12	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	5 6	5 6	10 10	9 4	<b>Konkan—</b>
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	6 5	6 5	10 6	12 13	Karwar
11 —	11 —	...	...	7 3	7 13	...	...	5 8	6 2	10 13	13 8	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	6 3	6 8	15 12	15 12	Alibag
...	...	...	...	8 15	8 15	...	...	5 10	5 10	10 8	12 —	Bombay
15 9	15 1	...	...	8 5	8 9	...	...	5 8	5 8	11 —	12 —	Thana
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 4	...	...	6 13	6 13	8 11	8 11	<b>Deccan and Karnatak—</b>
...	...	...	...	...	10 7	...	...	6 11	6 11	10 12	12 —	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 3	...	...	6 2	6 2	12 5	12 5	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 14	6 14	11 6	11 6	Satara
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	6 14	6 14	9 6	10 11	Sholapur
12 10	12 10	...	...	9 11	10 1	...	...	7 4	7 4	10 10	10 10	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	7 7	7 7	9 7	9 7	Poona
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 9	6 9	10 8	10 8	<b>Khandesh and N.-E</b>
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	...	5 9	5 9	13 14	19 14	<b>Deccan—</b>
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 5	20 —	Ahmednagar
15 —	16 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	20 —	20 —	Nasik
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 —	19 —	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 8	22 —	22 —	Jalgaon
13 —	13 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 8	20 —	20 —	<b>Gujarat—</b>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 —	10 12	21 —	Surat
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 8	...	...	7 8	8 —	20 —	20 —	Broach
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kaira
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Baroda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dima
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<b>Kathiawar—</b>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajkot
...	...	...	...	10 10	9 9	...	...	7 15	7 15	8 12	11 6	<b>Central Provinces—</b>
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 3	...	...	9 2	9 2	8 —	8 —	<b>Western—</b>
...	...	...	...	9 9	9 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	8 —	9 —	Nimar
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 15	7 15	8 —	10 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 14	7 14	8 11	9 10	Betul
...	...	...	...	9 10	10 8	...	...	8 6	9 10	8 —	8 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wardha

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DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR CHUKRU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
<i>continued</i>												
<b>Central—</b>												
Narsinghpur . . . . .	9 2	9 6	...	...	4 4	4 4	7 1	7 1	15 1	15 1	...	...
Saugor . . . . .	7 8	9 —	...	...	6 8	5 8	9 —	7 —	...	13 —	...	...
Damoh . . . . .	9 2	9 2	...	...	8 —	6 11	9 11	8 11	...	...	...	...
Jubbulpore . . . . .	7 14	8 12	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla . . . . .	10 —	11 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	11 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni . . . . .	9 8	9 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Balaghat . . . . .	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 11	5 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Bhandara . . . . .	9 12	9 13	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	12 4	14 1	...	...
Chanda . . . . .	8 5	8 5	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	11 14	11 14	...	...
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Bilaspur . . . . .	9 2	9 14	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur . . . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Drug . . . . .	10 4	10 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 15	10 5	...	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>												
Buldana . . . . .	8 7	8 2	...	...	4 15	4 15	7 —	7 —	11 14	11 14	...	...
Akola . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 11	4 11	8 3	8 3	12 3	12 3	...	...
Amratoti . . . . .	8 1	8 1	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	11 8	11 8	...	...
Yotmal . . . . .	8 4	8 4	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 8	8 8	12 —	11 8	...	...
<b>Hyderabad—</b>												
Secunderabad . . . . .	5 15	6 2	...	...	3 8	4 1	8 8	7 15	9 6	9 9	10 5	9 6
<b>Madras—</b>												
<b>Malabar Coast—</b>												
Malabar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 8	...	...	...	...
S. Chittur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	...	...	...	...
<b>South, central—</b>												
Coimbatore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 3	10 3	...	...
Nilgiris . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	7 —	11 —	12 9	10 4	10 4
<b>Central—</b>												
Bellary . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Anantapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	13 8	13 8	...	...
Cuddapah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	11 —	...	...	...
Karnul . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	10 3	11 —	...	...
<b>East Coast, north—</b>												
Ganjam . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godavari . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 11	...	...	19 —	19 —
<b>East Coast, central—</b>												
Kistna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	8 10	9 12	...	...
Guntur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	11 12	12 —	11 8
Nellore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	11 7	11 7	...	...
<b>East Coast, south—</b>												
Madras . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 15	7 2	...	...	...	...
Chingleput . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	12 5	12 5
Tanjore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	7 —	11 6	11 12	11 10	11 10
<b>Southern—</b>												
Tinnevely . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 7	9 7	11 12	8 15	10 4
Madura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 13	9 13	8 9	8 9
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore . . . . .	6 8	6 8	4 12	4 12	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	12 8	12 8	...	...
Bangalore . . . . .	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
<b>Coorg—</b>												
Coorg . . . . .	5 7	5 4	4 8	4 3	6 —	5 8	7 8	6 12	...	...	...	...
<b>Aden . . . . .</b>	4 5	4 6	...	...	3 6	3 6	4 3	4 3	6 9	6 11	4 13	4 13





**WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA**

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**RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA  
FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY, 1914, TO THE FIRST HALF OF  
NOVEMBER, 1917.**

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## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING					
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6
Delhi	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6
	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
United Provinces	Bonares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 3
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3
Central Provinces and Berar.	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7
	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moul- mein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5
Index Numbers (a).		100	100	102	103	104	105

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 80% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above, which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs.

## FORTNIGHT ENDING

31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 9	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 8	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	1 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	1 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121



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		15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	4 5 9		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessey).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...	...		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 6		
Panjab	Lahore	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 3 3		
	Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 1 6		
	Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 1 6		
	Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 0 0		
	Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0	3 13 0		
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 3 0	4 7 0		
	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0	4 7 0		
Delhi	Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	4 9 0		
United Provinces	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5		
	Aligarh (Hathras).	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	4 7 5		
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0		
	Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	4 7 3		
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 4 0		
	Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 13 6		
	Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	4 10 0		
	Lucknow	1 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1		
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	4 7 2		
	Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 8 2		
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	4 7 2		
	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 14 5		
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	4 1 7		
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	3 15 6		
Bombay	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	5 4 1		
	Ahmednagar	4 1 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	4 14 8		
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	3 8 1		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0		
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0		
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	5 0 0		
	Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0		
	Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 3		
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0		
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5		
	Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7		
	(Median Average)	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	4 7 4		
Index Numbers (a)		114	109	103	104	104	106	107	108		

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(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs—*contd.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING											
15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9
...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8
4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0
4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0
4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 14 6	1 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 4	4 1 0
4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0
4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10
4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6
4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0
4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1
4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 8	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6
4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3
4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7
4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0
4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...
3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8
4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6
5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...
4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11
4 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0
3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5
4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0
4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7
4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 18 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6
114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117	117

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Port . . .	Karachi (white)* .	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	
	Ferozepur . . .	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	
	Lyallpur . . .	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	
	Amritsar . . .	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	
	Multan . . .	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	
	Rawalpindi . . .	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	
	Ambala . . .	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	
United Provinces	Benares . . .	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	
	Aligarh (Mathras).	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	
	Cawnpore . . .	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	
	Meerut . . .	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	
	Shahjahanpur . . .	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	
	Agra . . .	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	
	Fyzabad . . .	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	
Central Provinces and Berar.	Lucknow . . .	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	
	Nagpur . . .	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	
	Jubbulpore . . .	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	
	Raipur . . .	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola . . .	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	
	Peshawar . . .	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	
	Ahmednagar . . .	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	
	Ahmedabad . . .	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	
	Dharwar (Hubli) . . .	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	
	Bhagalpur . . .	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	
	Muzaffarpur . . .	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
	Ranchi . . .	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	
	Cuttack . . .	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	
Bengal . . .	Rangpur . . .	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moul- mein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
	Mandalay . . .	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 8 1	
	(Median Average) . . .	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	
Index Numbers(a) . . .		114	113	101	95	92	92	92	92	92	

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs—contd.

FORTNIGHT ENDING													
30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th Septem- ber 1916.	30th Septem- ber 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 8	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	
4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	
4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	
3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	
3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	
3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	
3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	
3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	
3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	
3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	
3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	
4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	
3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	
3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	
4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 4 3	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	
3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	
3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	
3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	
3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	
3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	
3 14 0	4 1 13	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	
3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	
4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	
4 8 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	
3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1	
4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	
3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	...	3 11 11	
3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	
3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	
3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	
7 8 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	
3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	
90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94	94	97	110	108	107	

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	4 13 3	4 13 3	4 5 3	
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	4 10 11	4 9 10	4 10 7	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	3 13 0	
	Ferozepur	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 10 3	
	Lyalpur	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	3 11 0	
	Amritsar	1 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 2 0	3 8 0	
	Multan	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 1 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	3 12 0	3 10 6	
	Rawalpindi	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	
	Ambala	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	
Delhi	Delhi	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	
United Provinces	Banares	1 10 6	1 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	1 5 10	4 5 0	4 3 1	4 3 1	1 4 1 2	
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	1 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 11 2	
	Cawnpore	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	1 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 14 6	
	Meerut	1 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	4 1 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	
	Shahjahanpur	1 6 0	1 6 0	4 4 0	1 4 0	1 1 6	1 1 9	3 12 0	3 8 3	3 9 0	
	Agra	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	1 13 6	4 9 1	4 1 7	4 5 2	
	Fyzabad	1 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	
	Lucknow	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	1 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	1 3 14 0	
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	1 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 6	1 1 11	3 13 2	4 0 4	3 11 7	7 3 11 7	
	Jubbulpore	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	1 3 5	4 3 5	1 5 2	4 1 8	3 14 5	3 10 2	
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 8 0	3 8 0	
	Akola	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	3 7 6	3 10 11	3 3 7	
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	1 8 7	4 10 2	4 2 14	2 10	
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 2 6	
Bombay	Poona	1 11 7	4 10 5	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	...	4 10 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	
	Ahmednagar	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	3 15 5	3 13 7	3 12 8	
	Ahmedabad	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	3 9 4	3 2 6	3 7 11	
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	
	Bhagalpur	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	
	Muzaffarpur	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 5 3	
	Ranchi	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	4 6 0	
	Cuttack	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 1 3	
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
	Mandalay	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 7 8	
	(Median Average)	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 0 8	4 0 0	3 13 0	
Index Numbers (b)		110	107	106	106	106	104	98	97	92	

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Prices at ports after 15th November, 1917, are as follows—

Ports	Rate per	On 28th November 1917.	On 30th November 1917.	On 7th December 1917.	On 14th December 1917.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	5 4 4	5 6 4	5 3 9	5 3 9
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	"	5 0 5	5 1 7	5 0 10	5 0 10
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 15 0	5 6 0	5 5 0	5 2 0

(b) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100

India per maund of 82½ lbs—*consol.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING .													Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th November 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	31st October 1917.	15th November 1917.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent	
4 7 3	4 7 8	4 7 3	4 7 9	4 10 9	4 8 3	4 9 3	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 12 3	4 14 3	5 2 3	+5	
4 11 8	4 13 11	4 15 4	4 14 7	4 13 2	...	4 6 6	4 10 7	4 11 8	4 12 5	5 2 3	4 15 6	-3	
4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	-1	
8 14 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 9	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 3	4 9 3	4 11 3	+3	
8 11 6	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 7 0	+11	
3 12 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 6 0	+4	
3 10 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 4 3	4 5 3	+1	
3 12 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	+2	
4 5 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 3 8	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 9 2	+3	
3 11 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 0	4 0 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 10 0	+10	
3 15 3	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 3	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	+6	
4 2 10	4 2 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 1 7	4 3 5	4 3 10	4 3 10	Nil	
3 14 4	3 14 5	3 14 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 9	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 5 3	4 5 3	Nil	
3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	Nil	
3 14 6	4 1 6	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 12 11	3 14 5	4 0 0	4 5 2	+8	
3 11 0	3 11 0	3 11 3	3 11 6	3 12 6	3 11 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	+2	
4 7 1	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	...	4 11 3	4 11 3	Nil	
3 13 0	4 1 6	...	...	4 3 4	4 2 0	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	...	4 1 0	4 0 0	-2	
4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	Nil	
4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5*	4 3 2	4 3 2	4 3 2	5 11 4	4 11 4	Nil	
3 11 6	3 15 2	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 10 10	4 0 0	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 14 10	+11	
3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Nil	
3 11 11	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 7 11	...	...	...	
4 2 11	4 2 1	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 5 -3	+5	
5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	4 13 6	4 12 10½	4 14 6	5 0 6	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 1 6	-1	
4 14 11	4 13 9	5 3 4	5 4 5	5 4 5	5 2 2	5 4 5	5 3 4	5 2 2	5 13 4	5 15 7	5 8 11	-7	
4 0 5	4 2 2	4 4 1	4 7 9	4 5 11	4 6 10	4 11 5	4 6 10	4 15 1	5 2 9	4 9 7	4 13 8	+5	
4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 5 0	6 0 0	+13	
3 6 1	3 11 8	3 11 8	3 11 8	4 1 7	4 1 8	4 1 8	3 11 8	4 8 11	4 6 0	4 5 1	4 1 8	-5	
3 1 0	3 5 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	Nil	
3 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	+9	
3 5 3	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil	
4 6 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	Nil	
4 1 3	4 1 3	4 1 4	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	Nil	
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	-5	
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	Nil	
3 3 5	3 8 7	3 14 1	3 14 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 10 2	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	-5	
3 14 6	4 1 6	4 0 2	4 0 11	4 2 10	4 1 10	4 2 6*	4 2 10	4 3 3	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 6 6	+2	
94	99	97	98	101	99	100*	101	102	104	104	106		

\*Revised figure.

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 15th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916:—

	1917.			1916.		
	31st October	15th November	Increase or Decrease.	31st October	15th November	Increase or Decrease.
India . . .	100	102	+2	100	102	+2
Punjab . . .	100	106	+6	100	103	+3
United Provinces .	100	101	+1	100	104	+4
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	106	+6	100	100	Nil

## B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING					
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 12
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Provinces	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moul- mein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
(Median Average)		9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
Index Numbers (a)		100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

# SUPPLEMENT TO THE GAZETTE OF INDIA, DECEMBER 22, 1917. 2049

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FOURTEENTH ENDING										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	29th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8
7 8	6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12
9 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12
10 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12
10 4.	9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4
9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12
9 12	7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8	8 6	8 1½	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4
8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0
8 8	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0
8 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14
9 8	8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4
9 8	8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2
8 4	8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15
8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4
9 8	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13	9 1	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2½	7 4	7 1	7 8½
6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	5 11	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2
7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0
10 0	9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8
9 0	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8
8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 4	6 4	8 0
7 11	7 5	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9
7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 14	6 13	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123



## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi . . .	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay . . .	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore . . .	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4
	Ferozepur . . .	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8
	Amritsar . . .	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8
	Lyallpur . . .	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8
	Multan . . .	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4
Delhi	Ambala . . .	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12
	Delhi . . .	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8	8 8
United Provinces.	Benares . . .	7 12	7 12	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore . . .	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Meerut . . .	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12
	Agra . . .	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Lucknow . . .	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh . . .	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4
	Shahjahanpur . . .	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10
Central Provinces and Berar.	Fyzabad . . .	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6
	Nagpur . . .	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Raipur . . .	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola . . .	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7
	Peshawar . . .	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7
Baluchistan	Quetta . . .	7 12	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2
Bombay	Poona . . .	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar . . .	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna . . .	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8
	Bhagalpur . . .	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	9 14	8 12
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12
	Ranchi . . .	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack . . .	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay . . .	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
(Median Average) .		8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8
Index Numbers(a) .		116	112	106	106	108	109	112	112

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

## FORTNIGHT ENDING

15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 2	5 2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10
8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 12	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8
7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0
9 0	9 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4
8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7 .
9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½
7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13
8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14
7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8
10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8
8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12
8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120	120	120

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING								
		15th February 1916.	20th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Bombay* . . .	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8	10 12	10 12	11 8
	Ferozepore . . .	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0
	Amritsar . . .	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12	12 12	11 12	12 0
	Rawalpindi . . .	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 8
	Lyalpur . . .	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	12 12	12 8	13 0
	Multan . . .	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4	12 4	11 8	12 4
	Ambala . . .	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8	11 12	11 8	11 8
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15	9 12	9 12	9 12
	Cawnpore . . .	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	9 8
	Meerut . . .	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4	11 0	10 12
	Agra . . .	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 12
	Lucknow . . .	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4	10 8	10 8
	Aligarh . . .	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 4
	Shahjahanpur . . .	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12	12 8	12 0	11 8
	Fyzabad . . .	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4	11 0	10 10	10 6
Central Provinces and Berar . . .	Nagpur . . .	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4	11 14	11 14	12 12
	Raipur . . .	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
	Akola . . .	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8	10 8	9 11	9 11
North-West Frontier Province . . .	Peshawar . . .	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1	9 1	9 0½	9 0
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 5	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar . . .	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	10 14	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	11 0	10 12
	Bhagalpur . . .	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 12
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Ranohi . . .	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0	9 0
	Cuttack . . .	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay . . .	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	8 4
(Median Average) .		8 2	8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	10 0
Index Numbers (a)		118	116	106	96	96	96	93	96	96

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—contd. [ The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING												
30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0
11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4
12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8
10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14	8 6	8 14	8 14
12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4
12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8
11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10
11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8
9 12	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	9 8	7 15	7 15
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8
10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	7 6	8 4	8 8
9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8
10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8
10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8
11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10
10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9
11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0
11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0
9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3
9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6½	8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15½	7 11	7 8
8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8
11 5	11 5	11 5	11 8	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5
10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12
10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8
9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8
10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	7 14	7 14
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14
10 4	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10
93	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	98	112	112	111

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15 May 1917.	
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	
	Bombay* . . .	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	10 4	
	Ferozapore . . .	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 12	
	Amritsar . . .	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	9 14	9 12	11 2	
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 12	8 12	
	Lyallpur . . .	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	9 12	9 8	10 8	
	Multan . . .	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8	10 12	
	Ambala . . .	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	9 12	9 10	10 8	
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4	9 12	
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 12	9 1	9 1	9 10	9 8	
	Cawnpore . . .	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	10 4	9 12	
	Meerut . . .	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	9 8	10 4	10 8	
	Agra . . .	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	8 4	9 8	8 8	
	Lucknow . . .	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	
	Aligarh . . .	7 4	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	10 12	11 4	11 4	
	Shahjahanpur Fyzabad . . .	9 0 8 6	9 0 8 10	9 4 8 10	9 4 8 14	9 8 8 14	9 8 9 12	10 0 9 12	11 4 10 0	11 4 10 0	
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur . . .	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	9 9	10 3	10 8	
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 8	8 12	9 2	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 12	
	Raipur . . .	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	10 2	11 0	11 0	
	Akola . . .	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	10 12	9 11	10 9	
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . . .	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	8 9	9 10	9 7	
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 12	
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	
	Ahmednagar . . .	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	9 7	
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	
	Dharwar . . .	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	10 11	10 11	10 11	
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	
	Bhagalpur . . .	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	10 8	10 12	11 3	
	Muzaffarpur . . .	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	12 0	
	Ranchi . . .	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	8 4	8 14	
	Cuttack . . .	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) Mandalay . . .	5 1 9 9	5 1 10 5	5 1 10 12	5 1 10 5	5 1 10 5	5 1 9 9	5 1 9 9	5 1 9 9	5 1 10 13	
	(Median Average) . . .	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 3	9 8	9 10	10 4	
Index Numbers (a) . . .		112	111	109	108	108	104	101	99	98	

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
 \* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—*cond.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th November 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
31st May 1917.	15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	31st October 1917.	15th November 1917.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	+17
7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 6	6 6	5 12	+11
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	8 8	8 4	+3
10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	+15
10 6	10 4	10 3	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 7	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	Nil
9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	9 0	8 12	8 8	+3
10 4	10 8	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	+3
10 8	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 10	+1
10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 4	8 8	+9
9 12	9 10	9 12	9 12	9 7	9 8	9 8	9 6	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 12	+6
9 8	9 8	9 1	9 1	9 1	9 3	9 14 <sup>1</sup>	9 4 <sup>1</sup>	9 6 <sup>1</sup>	9 2 <sup>1</sup>	8 15	8 15	Nil
9 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	Nil
10 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 12	9 0	+8
8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	8 8	...	8 1	8 0	+1
9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	Nil
10 12	10 8	10 7	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 12	10 8	9 8	9 4	+3
11 0	10 12	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 10	10 8	10 8	10 4	10 4	9 14	9 12	+1
9 14	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 10	9 10	10 2	9 12	9 8	9 12	-3
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 15	8 5	8 5	Nil
10 8	9 14	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 10	9 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	7 14	+11
11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Nil
9 7	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	7 18	...	...	...
9 7	9 10	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 9	9 9	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 2	+5
8 0 <sup>1</sup>	8 3 <sup>1</sup>	8 3 <sup>1</sup>	8 3 <sup>1</sup>	8 5 <sup>1</sup>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7 18	7 18	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	6 0	6 0	6 0	Nil
9 7	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 10	7 10	7 10	Nil
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	6 0	+17
10 11	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	Nil
13 0	12 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	Nil
11 3	10 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	+11
12 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	Nil
8 14	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	Nil
9 13	9 13	9 13	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	Nil
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	Nil
11 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 14	-7
9 14	9 9	9 8	9 8	9 5	9 4	9 8	9 4 <sup>1</sup>	9 4	9 2 <sup>1</sup>	9 0	8 12	+3
97	100	100	100	103	103	100	103	103	105	106	109	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 15th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	31st October	15th November	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	31st October	15th November	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . . .	100	103	+3	100	103	+3
Punjab . . . .	100	109	+9	100	102	+2
United Provinces .	100	103	+3	100	101	+1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	105	+5	100	104	+4

## C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

## IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending the 30th July, 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PARSY).		CALCUTTA CLUB No. 2.	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 3% DIET, AND 30% RED).		RED (5% BARLEY, 3% DIET, AND 92% RED).		Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.				
Week ending 30th July 1914.	s. d. 31 6	100	s. d. 31 3	100	s. d. 32 9	100	s. d. 34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915 .	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	120	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	..	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 6th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	123
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916 .	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	123
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	108	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	108	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 30th " "	29 0	93	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96

**C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—contd.**  
**IN LONDON.**

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

Date.	CHOICE WHITE KARACHI.		RED KARACHI.		DELHI.		CHOICE WHITE BOMBAY.		CLUB No. 1.		CLUB No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August "	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October "	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November "	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December "	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th " "	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th " "	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
6th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February "	61 0 Do.	151	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th " "	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
4th March "	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April "	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	122
6th May "	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	124
12th " "	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do.	127	66 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June "	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	12
2nd July "	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	10
23rd " "	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	11
6th August "	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	11
27th " "	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	11
3rd September "	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
24th Sept. '15 to 18th Apl. '16	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th April to 15th May 1916	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd " "	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29th June to 7th July 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26th " "	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market, and not F. O. B., prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current published weekly. The quotations for London are compiled from Reuter's telegrams.



C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*IN INDIAN PORTS—*contd.*

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending the 30th July, 1914=100.]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PRIST).		CALCUTTA CLUB No. 2	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 80% RED).		RED (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT, AND 92% RED).					
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 4th August 1916 . . . . .	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " " " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 25th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	98
" 8th September " " " " " " . . . . .	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 22nd " " " " " " " . . . . .	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 18th October " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " " " " " " " . . . . .	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	113
" 8th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 22nd " " " " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	39 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " " " " " " " . . . . .	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917 . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " " " " " " " . . . . .	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
" 19th " " " " " " " . . . . .	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " " " " " " " . . . . .	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February " " " " " " " . . . . .	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " " " " " " " . . . . .	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " " " " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 30th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 6th April " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 13th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 4	114	37 4	107
" 4th May " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 0	117	36 0	115	36 7	112	34 2	98
" 11th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 8	115	34 2	98
" 18th " " " " " " " . . . . .	34 6	110	33 6	107	37 2	113	34 8	100
" 25th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 6	114	35 8	103
" 1st June " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	37 8	115	35 10½	103
" 8th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	39 2	120	35 2	101
" 15th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	38 10	119	35 5	102
" 22nd " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	38 10	119	36 1	104
" 29th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 6	113	34 6	110	39 6	121	36 1	104
" 6th July " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 9	113	34 9	111	39 6	121	36 1	104
" 13th " " " " " " " . . . . .	35 9	113	34 9	111	39 2	120	36 1	104
" 20th " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 9	117	35 9	114	39 0	121	36 7	105
" 27th " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 3	118	36 3	116	38 5	117	37 4	107
" 3rd August " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 0	117	36 0	115	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 10th " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 0	114	35 0	112	...	...	35 8	103
" 17th " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 0	114	35 0	112	...	...	36 4	104
" 24th " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 3	111	36 4	104
" 31st " " " " " " " . . . . .	36 6	116	35 6	114	35 2	107	36 4	104
" 7th September " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 3	118	36 3	116	36 8	111	35 10	103
" 14th " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 2	113	35 10	103
" 21st " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	35 10	103
" 28th " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 8	115	38 2	110
" 5th October " " " " " " " . . . . .	37 9	120	36 9	118	37 11	116	37 4	107
" 12th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 19th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 6	123	37 6	120	38 1	116	37 7	108
" 26th " " " " " " " . . . . .	38 9	123	37 9	121	40 8	124	...	...
" 2nd November " " " " " " " . . . . .	39 0	124	38 0	122	41 0	125	37 10	109
" 9th " " " " " " " . . . . .	41 6	132	40 6	130	40 1	121	37 1	107
" 16th " " " " " " " . . . . .	41 0	130	40 0	128	39 7	121	37 4	107
" 23rd " " " " " " " . . . . .	42 0	133	41 0	131	40 1	122	39 4	112
" 30th " " " " " " " . . . . .	43 0	137	42 0	134	40 8	124	42 10	123
" 7th December " " " " " " " . . . . .	41 9	133	40 9	130	40 3	123	43 4	123
" 14th " " " " " " " . . . . .	41 9	133	40 9	130	40 3	123	40 10	117

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*IN LONDON—*contd.*

[ Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100. ]

Date.	CHOICE WHITE KARACHI.		RED KARACHI.		DELHI.		CHOICE WHITE BOMBAY.		CLUB No. 1.		CLUB No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.	Price.	Index Num- bers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
4th August 1916	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th " "	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th " "	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th " "	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st " "	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September,	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th " "	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " "	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October "	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th " "	73 0 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st " "	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	No sellers	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November "	79 0 paid	200	Do.	...	79 6 seller.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th " "	80 0 passage	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th " "	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th " "	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December "	82 0 buyers	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916.	82 0 paid	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd Dec. '16 to 12th Jan. 1917.	No sellers	...	Nominal	...	79 6 Do.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th and 26th Jany. 1917.	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February to 30th March 1917	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar.-April.	208	No sellers.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th April "	83 0 April-May	210	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
13th Apl. to 4th May '17	85 0 " "	215	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
5th to 11th " "	86 9 May-June quoted.	220	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
18th May to 6th July,	86 9 quoted	220	86 3	172	86 9	171	87 6	129	86 9	129	...	...
18th to 20th July "	86 9 " "	220	86 3 afloat	172	86 9 afloat	171	89 6	132	86 9	129	...	...
27th July to 10th Aug.,	No sellers. Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th to 24th Aug. "	86 9 sellers	220	86 3 sellers	172	86 9 sellers	171	89 6 sellers	132	86 9 sellers	129	...	...
31st Aug. 1917 "	86 9 Nominal	220	86 3 N.	172	86 9 N.	171	89 6 N.	132	86 9 N.	129	...	...
* 7th September to 14th Dec. '17	78 0	197	77 6	155	77 6	153	79 0	116	...	...	78 0	...

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market, and not F. O. B., prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current published weekly by the Chambers of Commerce. The statistics for London are compiled from Reuter's telegrams.

\* The London price was fixed by the Royal Commission to sell wheat on 17th September 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

**TARIFF VALUATION OF SUGAR.**

The following statement shows in respect of each of the descriptions of sugar distinguished in the Tariff Schedule II (excepting molasses and all other kinds of sugar), *first*, the total imports into India in the month of November 1917, and the average value per cwt. as calculated on the returns received from the Customs Houses; and, *secondly*, a running total showing the total imports into India since the beginning of the year (1st October to 30th September) and the average net value per cwt. so far established. It is published in conformity with the procedure laid down in Customs Circular No. V of 1911, in order to enable merchants to compute the probable rate of duty for the year 1919 :—

Description of sugar.	IMPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1917.		IMPORTED SINCE 1st OCTOBER 1917.	
	Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	Cwt.	Rs a.	Cwt.	Rs a.
" " and soft, refined in China . .	13,011	20 8	13,178	20 8
" " " " from Japan . .	602	21 4	602	21 4
" " " " from Egypt . .	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	829,444	16 12	1,346,520	17 0
" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	291,310	14 8	510,126	14 8
" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	13,113	18 8	103,253	18 12

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

CALCUTTA, DECEMBER 18, 1917.

## Third COTTON Forecast, 1917-18.

This forecast is based on reports furnished by provinces, which comprise the entire cotton area of India. It deals with reports on both the early and late varieties of cotton up to the beginning of December, 1917. A fourth and final report will, as usual, be published in the third week of February, 1918.

The total area this year amounts to 23,768,000 acres as against 20,702,000 acres on this date last year, or an increase of 15 per cent. As compared with the final estimate of last year (21,212,000 acres), the present estimate shows an increase of 12 per cent.

The total estimated yield is 3,938,000 bales of 400 lbs each, as against 4,384,000 bales (the revised figure) on this date last year, or a decrease of 10 per cent. The present estimate of outturn, as compared with the sum of actual exports (net) abroad, mill consumption, and estimated extra-factory consumption in 1916-17 (4,628,000\* bales), shows a decrease of 15 per cent.

The present figures for the provinces are as follows (the figures for previous years are given on page 5) :—

Provinces and States	Acres	Bales of 400 lbs	Yield per acre lbs
Bombay (including Native States)	6,670,000	1,241,000	74
Central Provinces and Berar	4,564,000	591,000	52
Madras (including Native States)	2,524,000	498,000	70
Punjab (including Native States)	1,740,000	281,000	65
United Provinces (including Native States)	1,316,000	198,000	60
Sind (including Native States)	220,000	78,000	142
Burma	236,000	35,000	59
Bihar and Orissa	67,000	16,000	95
Bengal (including Native States)	71,000	20,000	113
North-West Frontier Province	38,000	10,000	105
Assam	32,000	12,000	150
Ajmer-Merwara	47,000	13,000	111
Hyderabad	3,445,000	450,000	52
Central India	1,394,000	174,000	50
Baroda	827,000	218,000	105
Rajputana	427,000	85,000	80
Mysore	150,000	18,000	48
Total	23,768,000	3,938,000	66

On the basis of these figures, the average outturn per acre of the present crop for all India is 66 lbs as against 85 lbs last year. The area increased almost everywhere, owing to the stimulus of high prices and to favourable weather conditions at sowing time. The crop was, however, seriously affected by the heavy and continuous rain of September and October, except in Madras, Sind, the North-West Frontier Province, Assam, and the States of Baroda and Mysore.

A statement showing the present estimates of area and yield according to the recognised trade descriptions of cotton is given below :—

## Trade descriptions.

Description of cotton	Acres (thousands)		Bales (thousands)	
	1917-18	1916-17	1917-18	1916-17
<b>Oomras—</b>				
Khandesh	1,406	1,436	194	324
Central India	1,394	1,265	174	290
Harsi and Nagar (a)	3,605	3,429	471	534
Berar	3,214	3,118	428	
Central Provinces	1,350	1,294	163	(b) 753
Total	10,989	10,532	1,430	1,891
<b>Dholleras</b>	3,141	2,032	598	581
<b>Bengal-Sind—</b>				
United Provinces	1,316	1,184	198	309
Rajputana	543	412	121	180
Sind-Punjab (c)	1,998	1,434	369	404
Others	71	71	17	17
Total	3,924	3,101	705	690
<b>Broach</b>	1,288	1,197	320	313
<b>Westerns and Northern</b>	1,343	1,276	199	159
Cochin	270	283	50	40
Tinnevely	614	571	130	136
Coompta-Dharwar	1,336	1,036		233
Salems (including Cambodias)	512	330	506	72
Cowillas, Burmas, and other sorts	367	344		79
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>23,768</b>	<b>20,702</b>	<b>3,938</b>	<b>4,384</b>

The provincial reports are summarised below :—  
**Bombay (26.2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).**—The total area under both early and late cotton is estimated up to 1st December at 6,670,000 acres (including 3,146,000 acres in the Native States, but excluding 827,000 acres in Baroda), which is 21 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The yield is at present estimated at 1,241,000 bales (including 583,000 bales in the Native States, but excluding 218,000 bales in Baroda), which is 8 per cent short of the estimate made at this date last year. In Gujarat the crop at first did well, but heavy and continuous rains in August and September stunted the growth of the plants, particularly on heavy soils, and further rain in October rotted them in low-lying fields. Some damage from insects has been reported from Kathiawar. The crop in Gujarat has begun to improve with the cold weather, and if present conditions continue favourable, a fair outturn may be expected.

\* Net exports abroad from September 1916 to August 1917, were 2,083,000 bales, the mill consumption 1,795,000 bales, and the estimated extra-factory consumption 750,000 bales as accepted by the Bombay Cotton Trade Association

(a) Includes Hyderabad. A revised classification of Hyderabad cotton is under consideration

(b) Revised figure

(c) Includes Punjab-American cotton grown in the Punjab

The late crop, which is now in flower, will be ready by the end of February. The Deccan crop also did well at the beginning, but excessive rain in September caused some shedding of bolls and leaves in Khandesh, and the abnormally heavy rains of October and November further injured the crops, causing in many places the dropping of ripe bolls. The outturn is fair in East Khandesh and Nasik and in part of Nagar, but poor elsewhere. The Karnatak crop was sown somewhat late, but the weather has since been fairly satisfactory, and the young plants are doing well, except the early varieties which suffered a little on account of rain in November. The crop will be ready for picking in March. The area and outturn of cotton by trade descriptions in the Bombay Presidency (including Baroda but excluding Sind) are :—

	Acres.	Bales.
Oomras { Khandesh . . . . .	1,406,000	194,000
{ Barai and Nagar . . . . .	100,000	21,000
Dholleras . . . . .	3,141,000	598,000
Bengal-Sind (Rajputana) . . . . .	69,000	23,000
Branch . . . . .	1,288,000	320,000
Coompta-Dharwars . . . . .	1,202,000	263,000
Westerns and Northern . . . . .	231,000	40,000

**Central Provinces and Berar (20·4 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area sown is reported to be 4,561,000 acres (3,214,000 acres being in Berar), which is 4 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 591,000 bales (428,000 bales being in Berar), which shows a decrease of 21 per cent as compared with the revised estimate (753,000 bales) of last year. The weather conditions have been on the whole unfavourable for the crop. Heavy rain in September, which continued up to about the middle of October, caused appreciable damage to the standing crop in the Nagpur country and Berar—the chief cotton tracts, and a considerable area had thus to be ploughed up and sown with rabi crops. The condition of the crop is poor, and although there are still some flowers on the plants, they are not likely to mature without a few cold weather showers.

**Madras (10·9 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area sown is at present estimated at 2,524,000 acres (22,000 acres being in the Banganapalle State), which is 19 per cent above the area at the corresponding date of last year. The total yield is now estimated at 498,000 bales (3,000 bales being in the Native State), which is 41 per cent above the estimate at this date last year. The crop has been sown early, especially in the north, and this accounts for most of the increase over the area reported last year. At the same time, the high price of cotton and low prices of groundnut and indigo have led to a real increase in acreage in the "North-erns and Westerns" area; while in the south the area under "Cambodia" is increasing steadily. The season has been marked by heavy and continuous rains in the north, after a comparative dry July, and by early sowing rains in the south. It has so far been generally favourable, especially in the "North-erns" and "Westerns" area, which is expected, on the whole, to yield a good outturn. The area and outturn of cotton according to trade descriptions are as follows :—

	Acres.	Bales.
Tinnevely . . . . .	614,000	130,000
Salem . . . . .	277,000	40,000
Cambodia . . . . .	231,000	127,000
Northern and Western . . . . .	1,112,000	169,000
Coomadas . . . . .	270,000	50,000
Others . . . . .	20,000	2,000

**Punjab (7·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area sown is reported to be 1,740,000 acres (156,000 acres being in the

Native States), which is 48 per cent above the area reported at the corresponding date of last year. Notwithstanding the increase in area, the outturn is less than that of last year. The total yield is estimated at 281,000 bales (including 37,000 bales in the Native States), showing a fall of 18 per cent as compared with the estimate made at this date last year. The season was not favourable. The abnormally heavy rains and floods after the middle of August destroyed the early flowers and considerably damaged the standing crop with the result that the outturn has been generally below normal. The Rawalpindi and the Multan divisions, however, did not suffer so much as did the rest of the province. The American cotton, which is now grown extensively in the canal colonies, fared better than the ordinary country cotton. The area under American cotton exceeds 250,000 acres.

**United Provinces (5·5 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area sown is reported to be 1,316,000 acres (10,000 acres being in the Rampur State), which is 11 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 198,000 bales (including 2,000 bales in the Native State), which is 36 per cent below last year's yield. The Director of Land Records and Agriculture is, however, of opinion that the returns of baling presses go to show that even this estimate, which is the lowest since 1905-04, may be unduly high. Towards the end of September the rain in the upper and middle Doab was of exceptional severity, and much of the crop was ruined and the fields ploughed up for the rabi crops. In Bundelkhand the crop was stunted by continuous rainfall and yielded very little. In the lower Doab and Rohilkhand the damage was less extensive and the outturn somewhat better.

**Sind (1·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area is reported to be 220,000 acres (3,000 acres being in the Khairpur State), which is 5 per cent below the area reported at this date last year. The decline in area is attributed to deficient water supply at sowing time. The yield is estimated at 78,000 bales\* (including 1,000 bales in Khairpur), being 5 per cent above last year's yield. The water supply was favourable after sowing, but heavy rains in September caused a considerable number of bolls to drop and boll-worms further damaged the crop. Subsequent weather conditions have been favourable, and the condition of the crop is now reported to be fair.

**Burma (1 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area sown is reported to be 236,000 acres, which is 9 per cent above the area at the corresponding date of last year. The yield is estimated at 35,000 bales, being 20 per cent short of that reported at the corresponding date of last year. Untimely rain in September and October affected the crop, especially in the Sagaing District.

**Bihar and Orissa (0·4 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area and yield of both the early and late varieties of cotton are estimated at 67,000 acres and 16,000 bales respectively, being the same as reported at this date last year. For the early crop, weather conditions were favourable till September, but the excessive rainfall towards the end of October did some damage to the crop in parts of the Sathal Parganas, Angul, Sambalpur, and Manbhum. Prospects of the crop are on the whole fair. For the late crop weather conditions were on the whole favourable, and its condition is reported to be generally good. Some damage was, however, done by floods in parts of South Bihar. Sowings of the crop have not yet begun in Cuttack.

\* The trade estimates of Sind cotton this season are approximately 272,000 acres and 160,000 bales.

**Bengal (0·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area is estimated at 71,000 acres, being 3 per cent short of last year's area at this date. The yield is estimated at 20,000 bales, which is 5 per cent below the corresponding estimate of last year. The crop is reported as generally unsatisfactory in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, Hill Tippera, and Midnapur, owing to excessive rainfall, and as fair in Bankura and Maimensingh. The area and outturn of cotton according to trade descriptions are :—

	Acres	Bales
Bengal-Sind . . . .	4,000	1,000
Comillas . . . . .	67,000	19,000

**North-West Frontier Province (0·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area is reported to be 38,000 acres, which shows an increase of 36 per cent as compared with the area reported at the corresponding date of last year. The estimated yield is 10,000 bales, as compared with 6,000 bales reported at this date last year. The outturn was average on both the irrigated and unirrigated lands of Peshawar, Kohat, and Bannu, and generally below average elsewhere.

**Assam (0·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The area sown is estimated at 32,000 acres, which is the same as that reported at the corresponding date of last year, but the estimated yield (12,000 bales) is 9 per cent above that of last year. The character of the weather was, on the whole, favourable, and a normal outturn is expected except in Sylhet and Nowgong.

**Ajmer-Merwara (0·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The area sown is estimated at 47,000 acres, being the same as at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 13,000 bales, as compared with 20,000 bales estimated at this time last year.

**Hyderabad (14·7 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area is now reported to be 3,445,000 acres, which is 8 per cent above the area reported at the corresponding date of last year. The yield is estimated at 450,000 bales, as against 500,000 bales estimated at this date last year. The detailed district figures of area are as follows :—

	1917-18 Acres	1916-17 Acres
Aurangabad . . . .	417,826	295,835
Bir . . . . .	312,194	335,836
Parbhani . . . . .	705,692	711,152
Nander . . . . .	412,413	418,625
Gulbarga . . . . .	34,467	35,978
Raichur . . . . .	361,092	428,280
Usamahabad . . . .	36,605	36,255
Bidar . . . . .	121,788	118,888
Melak . . . . .	2,979	1,473
Mahbubnagar . . . .	8,530	5,902
Nalgundah . . . . .	10,477	9,878
Nizamabad . . . . .	15,194	21,926
Warangal . . . . .	25,135	28,925
Adilabad . . . . .	197,873	120,478
Karimnagar . . . . .	48,126	37,856
Non-Government Estates .	705,026	592,800
Total . . . . .	3,445,417	3,199,597

**Central India (6 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total yield is estimated at 174,000 bales on an area of 1,394,000 acres. These figures indicate a decrease of 38 per cent in yield but

an increase of 10 per cent in area, as compared with the estimates made at this date last year. The detailed figures of area are as follows :—

	1917-18 Acres	1916-17 Acres
Gwalior . . . . .	543,109	442,702
Indore . . . . .	450,420	403,370
Bhopal . . . . .	133,937	140,747
Baghelkhand . . . . .	24,239	23,790
Bundelkhand . . . . .	24,119	29,150
Malwa . . . . .	97,534	107,473
Southern States . . . .	120,889	108,290
Total . . . . .	1,394,247	1,264,522

The crop is reported to have been damaged by excessive rain in Gwalior and Indore.

**Baroda (3·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India) reports 827,000 acres under cotton as compared with 706,000 acres at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 218,000 bales, which is 23 per cent above the estimate at this date last year.**

**Rajputana (1·6 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—**The total area and yield are at present estimated at 427,000 acres and 85,000 bales, as against 334,000 acres and 133,000 bales estimated at this date last year. The crop is reported to have been damaged by heavy and continuous rain in Marwar, Southern and Eastern States, Kotah, and Jhalawar. The detailed figures of area for the States are as follows :—

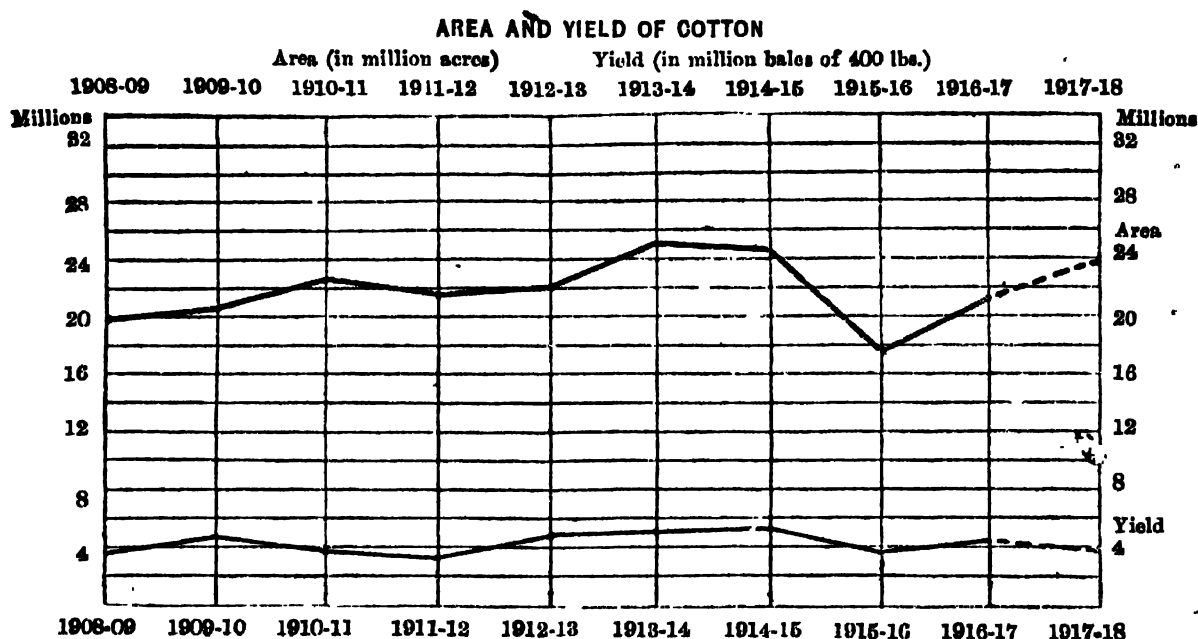
	1917-18 Acres	1916-17 Acres
Bikaner . . . . .	66	2
Marwar . . . . .	37,006	13,998
Sirohi . . . . .	300	250
Mewar . . . . .	115,000	100,000
Dungarpur . . . . .	103	38
Banswara . . . . .	551	560
Partabgarh . . . . .	5,688	3,826
Kushalgarh . . . . .	400	202
Shahpura . . . . .	8,915	7,398
Tonk . . . . .	31,839	25,695
Bundi . . . . .	5,500	5,872
Kotah . . . . .	30,810	20,880
Jhalawar . . . . .	14,680	11,068
Keshungarh . . . . .	8,820	7,879
Jajpur . . . . .	46,241	46,241
Alwar . . . . .	54,545	20,024
Karauli . . . . .	3,663	3,058
Bharatpur . . . . .	40,360	41,225
Dholpur . . . . .	22,061	24,871
Total . . . . .	427,448	334,087

**Mysore (0·5 per cent of the total area under cotton in India) returns 150,000 acres, as compared with 121,000 acres reported at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 18,000 bales, being 6 per cent above the yield at the corresponding date of last year. The area of cotton according to trade descriptions is :—**

	Acres.
Coompta-Dharwars . . . .	134,000
Salams including Cambodias .	4,000
Other sorts . . . . .	12,000

**Chart.**—The chart below shows the present estimates of area and yield for all India as compared with the final figures of the preceding nine years.

The curve for area represents millions of acres and that for yield millions of bales.



**Cotton crop in foreign countries.**—The latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, regarding the cotton crop of 1917 in foreign countries may be summarised as follows:—In the United States of America the area sown is 34,586,000 acres and the approximate estimate of yield about 15,027,000 bales of 400 lbs. (or 12,022,000 bales of 500 lbs. each), as compared with 35,224,000 acres and 14,516,000 bales of 400 lbs. (= 11,618,000 bales of 500 lbs.) in the previous year. In Egypt the area sown is 1,740,000 acres, as against 1,718,000 acres last year.

It appears from the Monthly Bulletin of the Ministry of Agriculture, Cairo, for September 1917, that in Egypt unfavourable weather prevailed in the

province of Behira throughout the month; elsewhere it was on the whole favourable, although low temperature and humidity, especially at night, were reported from most provinces towards the middle and latter parts of the month, checking the opening of the late bolls. Water supply was ample. The first picking in Upper Egypt is reported as satisfactory. In Lower Egypt it is making rapid progress and the results obtained so far are good except in certain places. The prospects of the second picking are almost everywhere far from good and the final result of the crop is not expected to turn out quite favourably as was hoped last month. The outturn is estimated at 96 per cent of the average in Upper Egypt and 99 per cent in Lower Egypt.

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*December estimate of the Cotton crop of India*

Provinces and States	1917-18		1916-17		1915-16	
	Area (acres)	Yield (bales)	Area (acres)	Yield (bales)	Area (acres)	Yield (bales)
Bombay (a)	6,670,000	1,241,000	5,507,000	1,352,000	4,018,000	832,000
Central Provinces and Berar	4,564,000	591,000	4,402,000	(c) 753,000	4,061,000	1,106,000
Madras (a)	2,521,000	498,000	2,114,000	354,000	1,982,000	270,000
Punjab (a)	1,740,000	281,000	1,174,000	321,000	926,000	203,000
United Provinces (a)	1,316,000	198,000	1,184,000	309,000	835,000	262,000
Sind (a)	220,000	78,000	232,000	74,000	204,000	78,000
Burma	236,000	35,000	216,000	44,000	203,000	30,000
Bihar and Orissa (b)	67,000	16,000	67,000	16,000	66,000	16,000
Bengal (a)	71,000	20,000	73,000	21,000	68,000	30,000
North-West Frontier Province	38,000	10,000	28,000	6,000	26,000	6,000
Assam	32,000	12,000	32,000	11,000	32,000	10,000
Ajmer-Merwara	47,000	13,000	47,000	20,000	23,000	2,000
Hyderabad	3,445,000	450,000	3,200,000	500,000	2,964,000	450,000
Central India	1,394,000	174,000	1,265,000	280,000	1,071,000	207,000
Baroda	827,000	218,000	708,000	170,000	556,000	107,000
Rajputana	427,000	85,000	334,000	133,000	244,000	67,000
Mysore	150,000	18,000	121,000	17,000	90,000	10,000
Total	23,768,000	3,934,000	20,702,000	4,384,000	17,389,000	3,686,000

*Note.*—A bale contains 400 lbs. of cleaned cotton

(a) Including Native States within provincial boundaries

(b) Excluding Native States for which the yield is roughly estimated at 1,000 bales

(c) Revised figure as given in the Season and Crop Report. Estimate made at this date last year was 884,000 bales

IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING OCTOBER, 1917

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RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL  
PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI, and MADRAS  
PORTS by RAIL, RIVER, and SEA during OCTOBER, 1917

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### TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN OCTOBER, 1917.

The object of the tables appended is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, and Karachi, and into the Madras ports during the month of October, 1917, and for the seven months, April to October, 1917, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1916. The statistics include foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

### TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN OCTOBER, 1916 AND 1917.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river, and sea in October, 1917, as against the corresponding month of 1916, show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

68 per cent in linseed.

(7,300 tons as against 22,400 tons last year.)

52 per cent in raw cotton.

(51,100 bales as against 106,600 bales last year.)

36 per cent in jute.

(733,100 bales as against 1,154,400 bales last year.)

36 per cent in tea.

(34,384,900 lbs as against 53,490,900 lbs last year.)

26 per cent in rice (including paddy).

(76,500 tons as against 104,100 tons last year.)

The imports of gram and pulse by rail, river, and sea into ports show an increase of 102 per cent (58,100 tons as against 28,800 tons last year), due mainly to larger exports from the Punjab and the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh. The increase of 22 per cent (7,500 tons as against 6,200 tons last year) in the imports, of rape and mustard seed is accounted for by an increase in exports mainly from the Punjab.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal source of the imports in October, 1916, was the Punjab. During the corresponding month of 1917, the Punjab sent by far the largest quantity, namely, 44 per cent of the total.

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NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.

One maund is equivalent to 82½ lbs.

One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

**GENERAL RESULTS—SEVEN MONTHS' IMPORTS INTO THE PORTS FROM UP COUNTRY, ETC., THIS YEAR AND LAST YEAR.**

The seven months' figures in table I show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

61 per cent in linseed

(108,700 tons as against 281,400 tons last year.)

30 per cent in rape and mustard seed.

(82,000 tons as against 117,700 tons last year.)

26 per cent in jute.

(2,203,600 bales as against 2,965,300 bales last year.)

18 per cent in tea

(148,695,700 lbs. as against 171,269,100 lbs. last year.)

12 per cent in rice (including paddy)

(536,700 tons as against 610,000 tons last year.)

The imports of gram and pulse by rail, river, and sea into ports show an increase of 94 per cent. (486,100 tons as against 240,800 tons last year) mainly on account of larger exports from the Punjab and the United Provinces. The increase of 84 per cent (1,515,400 tons as against 824,000 tons last year) in wheat (excluding wheat flour) is accounted for by larger exports chiefly from the Punjab and the United Provinces. The imports of raw cotton show a rise of 54 per cent. (1,855,300 bales as against 1,204,100 bales last year) owing to larger exports principally from Bombay.

**TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN OCTOBER, 1917, AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.**

As compared with September 1917, the imports in October 1917 into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) an increase of—

56 per cent in jute

(733,100 bales as against 468,500 bales previous month.)

24 per cent in gram and pulse

(58,100 tons as against 46,800 tons previous month.)

13 per cent in tea

(34,384,900 lbs. as against 30,378,600 lbs. previous month.)

2 per cent in rice (including paddy)

(76,500 tons as against 75,300 tons previous month.)

and a decrease of—

26 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour)

(91,600 tons as against 124,500 tons previous month.)

7 per cent in raw cotton

(51,100 bales as against 55,200 bales previous month.)

7 per cent in rape and mustard seed

(7,500 tons as against 8,100 tons previous month.)

6 per cent in linseed

(7,300 tons as against 7,700 tons previous month.)

The statistics for October, 1916 and 1917, as also for the seven months ending October, 1916 and 1917, together with those for September and October, 1917, are summarised below :—

SUMMARY TABLE I.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Articles	Imports, October 1916	Imports, October 1917	Imports, April to October 1916	Imports, April to October 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of im- ports in October 1917, as compared with October 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of im- ports in seven months April to October, 1917 as com- pared with seven months April to October 1916
	bales	bales	bales	bales	Per cent	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . . . .	106,572	51,110	1,204,097	1,855,267	—52	+54.1
	tons	tons	tons	tons		
Wheat (excluding wheat flour). . . . .	92,295	91,589	823,971	1,515,393	—8	83.9
Rice (including paddy) . . . . .	104,128	76,492	610,044	536,702	—26.5	—12
Gram and Pulse . . . . .	28,765	58,108	240,778	466,119	+102	+98.6
Linseed . . . . .	22,381	7,255	281,381	108,720	—67.6	—61.4
Rape and Mustard seed . . . . .	6,159	7,532	117,656	81,990	+22.3	—30.3
	bales	bales	bales	bales		
Jute . . . . .	1,154,426	733,065	2,965,298	2,203,567	—36.5	—25.7
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs		
Tea . . . . .	53,490,937	34,384,901	171,269,135	148,695,723	—35.7	—13.2

SUMMARY TABLE II.

Articles	Imports, September 1917	Imports, October 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in October 1917 as compared with September 1917
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . . . .	55,198	51,110	—7.4
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour) . . . . .	124,518	91,589	—26.4
Rice (including paddy) . . . . .	75,254	76,492	+1.6
Gram and Pulse . . . . .	46,772	58,108	+24.2
Linseed . . . . .	7,687	7,255	—5.6
Rape and Mustard seed . . . . .	8,074	7,532	—6.7
	bales	bales	
Jute . . . . .	468,496	733,065	+56.5
	lbs	lbs	
Tea . . . . .	30,378,562	34,384,901	+13.2

The annexed charts show the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton, and jute from April, 1915 to October, 1917 :—

IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER, AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON, AND JUTE  
FROM APRIL, 1915, TO OCTOBER, 1917

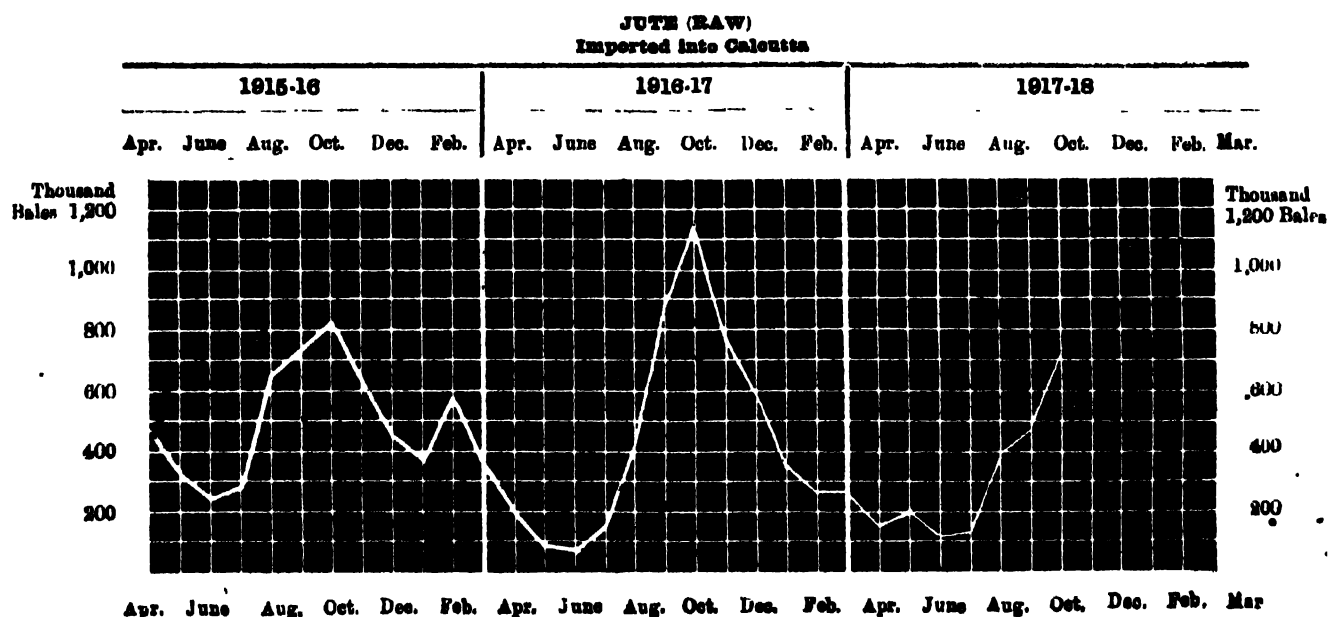
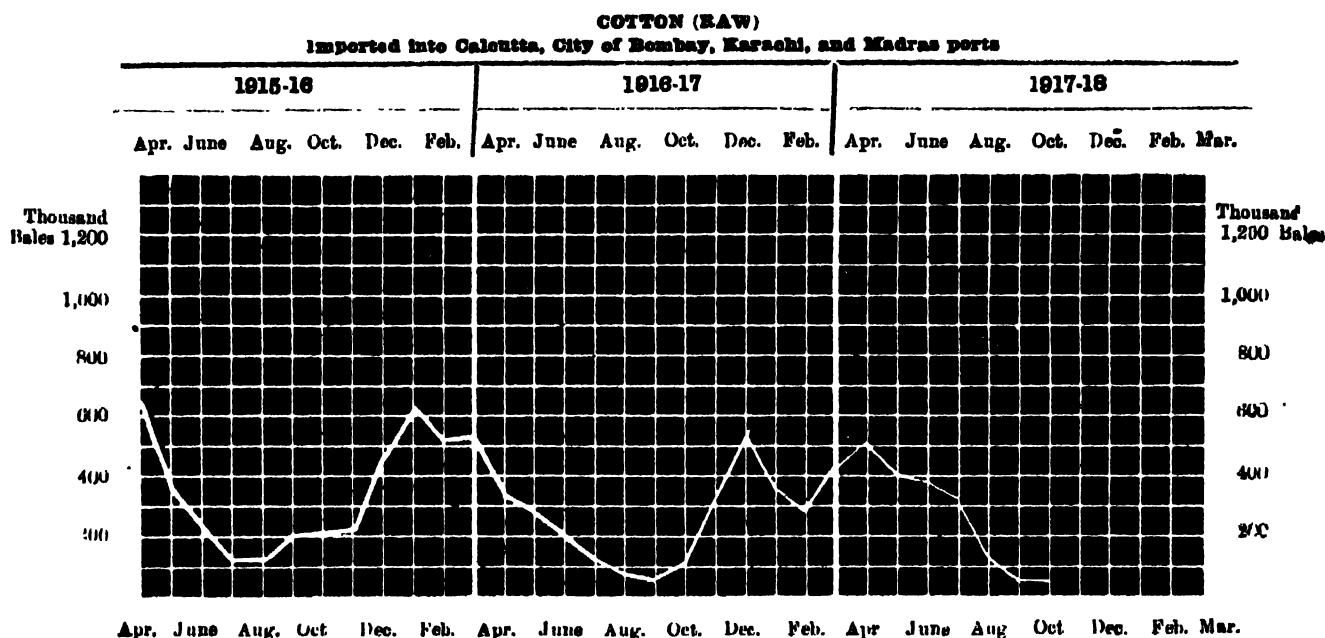
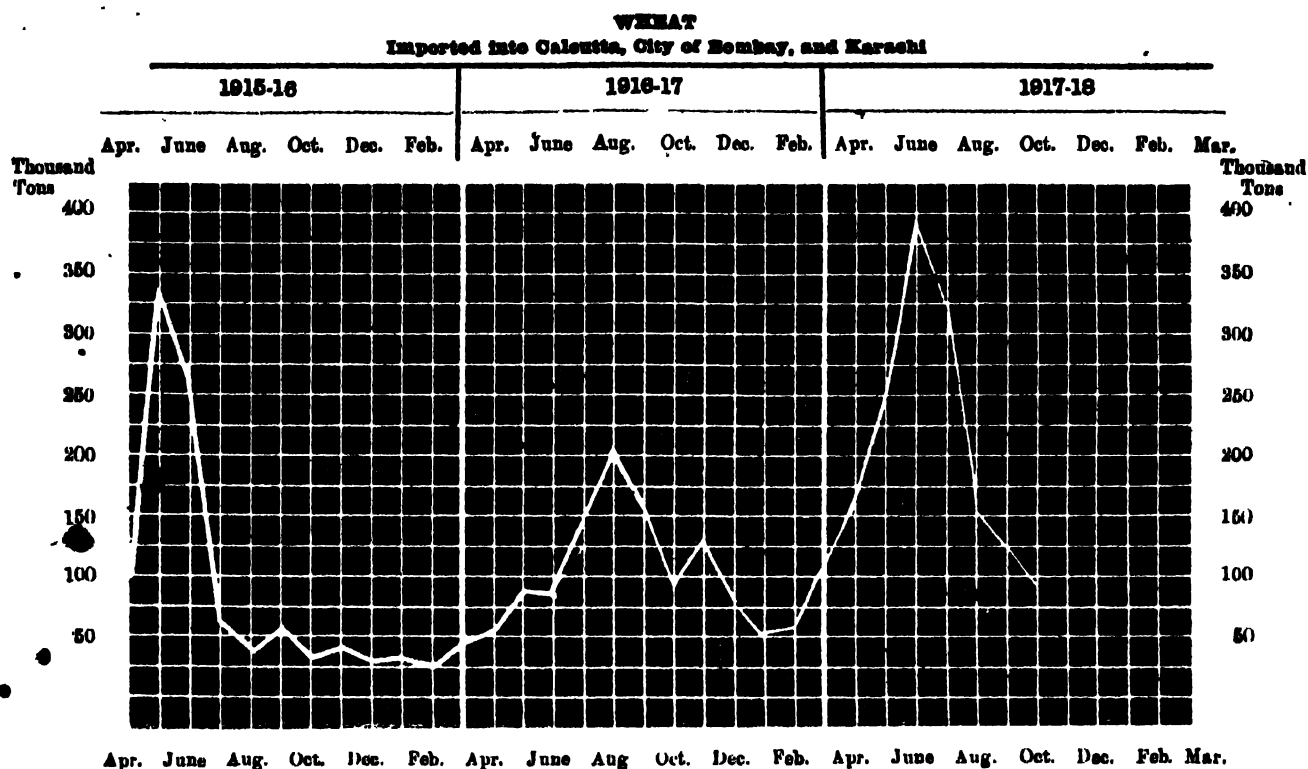


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in October</b>										
<i>By Rail and River—</i>	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
Assam	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17
Bengal	1,470	98	...	397	...	...	...	...	1,510	495
Bihar and Orissa	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,222	407	46,072	7,987	411	...	...	...	47,705	8,804
Punjab	49	...	3,407	467	3,312	...	...	...	6,768	467
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	845	2	...	...	845	2
Raj. and C. India	...	...	8,169	329	...	...	...	...	8,169	329
Bombay	370	753	6,261	14,001	...	...	1,286	435	7,867	15,189
Central Provinces and Berar	657	1,251	1,164	1,417	...	...	...	...	1,821	2,668
Nizam's Territory	...	...	373	877	...	...	807	8	879	885
Madras	431	159	3,840	7,869	...	...	14,180*	8,504	17,851	16,835
Mysore	...	...	63	451	...	...	309	...	372	451
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,234</b>	<b>2,635</b>	<b>68,888</b>	<b>31,288</b>	<b>4,568</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10,082</b>	<b>8,947</b>	<b>93,722</b>	<b>45,302</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>										
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	61	...	4	...	...	...	3,235	...	3,900	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	2,421	153	...	...	...	...	2,421	153
Madras	...	398	633	2,225	...	...	...	1	633	2,624
Burma	91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	4,264	1,648	...	...	...	...	4,264	1,648
Foreign Countries	...	...	2,081	763	...	...	...	...	2,081	763
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>9,403</b>	<b>4,769</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>3,295</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12,850</b>	<b>5,188</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>4,386</b>	<b>3,033</b>	<b>78,291</b>	<b>36,057</b>	<b>4,568</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>13,377</b>	<b>8,948</b>	<b>106,572</b>	<b>51,110</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of October</b>										
<i>By Rail and River—</i>										
Assam	541	1,321	...	...	...	...	...	...	541	1,321
Bengal	17,513	22,908	125	3,355	...	...	...	1	17,638	26,264
Bihar and Orissa	857	940	...	...	...	...	...	...	857	940
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,079	6,328	75,454	27,650	433	...	...	...	80,975	33,987
Punjab	58	1,845	20,571	26,069	22,607	17,242	...	...	43,236	43,256
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	3,226	27,236	...	...	8,226	27,236
Raj. and C. India	16	188	96,281	133,871	...	...	...	...	96,297	134,059
Bombay	4,727	19,157	209,223	649,176	197	...	16,012	9,508	230,159	677,841
Central Provinces and Berar	32,811	11,808	145,514	149,243	...	...	...	...	178,325	161,051
Nizam's Territory	295	...	46,008	41,950	...	...	1,614	2,850	47,917	47,800
Madras	7,630	6,855	84,181	104,522	...	...	180,500	196,693	276,117	308,070
Mysore	...	...	5,150	14,199	...	...	2,404	3,089	7,554	17,238
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>69,533</b>	<b>70,850</b>	<b>686,528</b>	<b>1,153,644</b>	<b>31,462</b>	<b>44,473</b>	<b>200,530</b>	<b>212,091</b>	<b>988,051</b>	<b>1,481,063</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>										
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	1,132	20	5	2,662	57	...	6,661	...	7,775	2,682
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	25,155	84,943	...	1	...	...	25,155	84,984
Madras	6,596	11,022	18,478	33,416	...	...	30	11	25,104	44,449
Burma	964	6,770	188	79	...	...	...	...	1,152	6,849
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	151,395	229,782	...	...	...	...	151,395	229,782
Foreign Countries	374	...	5,088	5,156	...	...	3	...	5,465	5,456
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9,066</b>	<b>17,814</b>	<b>200,309</b>	<b>356,378</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6,614</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>216,046</b>	<b>374,204</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>78,599</b>	<b>88,664</b>	<b>886,835</b>	<b>1,510,022</b>	<b>31,519</b>	<b>44,479</b>	<b>207,144</b>	<b>212,102</b>	<b>1,204,097</b>	<b>1,855,267</b>

NOTE.—(1) Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the port of Madras, French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur, and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Bungalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Baccara and Dhannakhodi.

(2) For the purpose of rail and river-borne trade the North-West Frontier Province and the Delhi Province are included in the Punjab.

(3) One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs

\* Revised figure

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)\*

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in October</b>								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<b>By Rail and River—</b>								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	52	482	...	...	...	...	52	482
Bihar and Orissa	1,190	5,278	...	...	...	...	1,190	5,278
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	6,077	12,012	67	1,625	3,355	7,618	9,499	21,455
Punjab	46	9	536	3,276	62,700	37,064	63,282	40,349
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	3,845	3,351	3,845	3,351
Raj. and C. India	111	272	2,135	4,549	39	637	2,285	5,456
Bombay	...	...	3,426	2,654	...	...	3,426	2,654
Central Provinces and Berar	4,822	4,168	3,369	6,823	...	19	8,191	11,010
Nizam's Territory	...	...	346	16	...	...	346	46
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	25
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12,298</b>	<b>22,196</b>	<b>9,879</b>	<b>19,196</b>	<b>69,439</b>	<b>48,689</b>	<b>91,616</b>	<b>90,088</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	7	...	...	...	7	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	142	...	...	...	142	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	530	1,484	...	22	580	1,506
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>1,484</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>1,506</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>12,298</b>	<b>22,196</b>	<b>10,558</b>	<b>20,680</b>	<b>69,439</b>	<b>48,711</b>	<b>92,295</b>	<b>91,594</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of October</b>								
<b>By Rail and River—</b>								
Assam	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Bengal	408	10,076	211	...	...	...	619	10,076
Bihar and Orissa	8,499	51,128	...	...	...	...	8,499	51,236
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	61,408	120,201	5,512	30,486	13,971	124,403	80,591	275,089
Punjab	4,156	597	19,858	19,855	525,421	762,655	549,435	783,107
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	35,690	69,575	35,690	69,575
Raj. and C. India	1,216	5,663	23,802	96,855	184	6,028	25,153	110,546
Bombay	10	71	16,399	23,623	...	...	16,409	23,694
Central Provinces and Berar	88,773	16,876	50,292	128,213	...	96	89,065	178,187
Nizam's Territory	...	...	1,576	1,303	...	...	1,576	1,303
Madras	5	39	10	1	...	...	15	30
Mysore	...	...	1	50	...	...	1	50
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>114,475</b>	<b>284,643</b>	<b>117,661</b>	<b>303,888</b>	<b>575,215</b>	<b>964,866</b>	<b>807,352</b>	<b>1,502,697</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	18	28	17	5	35	33
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	11,369	3	...	...	11,369	3
Madras	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	5
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	9	...	8,201	9,413	...	3,042	5,201	12,455
Foreign Countries	8	...	...	...	2	...	5	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>16,588</b>	<b>9,449</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3,047</b>	<b>16,619</b>	<b>12,486</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>114,487</b>	<b>284,643</b>	<b>134,249</b>	<b>312,887</b>	<b>575,235</b>	<b>967,913</b>	<b>823,971</b>	<b>1,515,393</b>

\* Publication of the Table (XI) showing the exports of wheat and wheat flour by sea to foreign countries has been temporarily discontinued

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)\*

Whence exported	Calcutta		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in October</b>								
<i>By Rail and River—</i>	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
Assam	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Bengal	9,588	17,105	...	...	64	4,207	9,597	21,213
Bihar and Orissa	1,802	1,415	...	...	146	4,020	1,948	5,435
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	341	10	...	...	...	...	341	10
Punjab	30	52	538	83	...	...	568	135
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	2,749	6,174	...	...	2,749	6,174
Raj. and C. India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1
Central Provinces and Berar	213	2	...	...	...	...	213	2
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	43	30	43	30
Madras	138	6	...	...	34,546†	13,152	34,684	13,182
Mysore	...	...	...	...	247	159	247	159
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,958</b>	<b>18,591</b>	<b>3,287</b>	<b>6,257</b>	<b>35,047</b>	<b>21,569</b>	<b>50,392</b>	<b>46,417</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	75	...	...	...	...	...	75
Bombay	...	...	19	10	218	135	237	145
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	168	391	...	...	168	391
Madras	...	...	...	...	17	4	17	4
Burma	49,488	24,837	...	...	3,516	4,465	52,956	29,302
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign Countries	869	40	...	...	86	120	455	160
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>49,807</b>	<b>24,950</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>3,839</b>	<b>4,724</b>	<b>53,831</b>	<b>30,076</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>61,765</b>	<b>43,541</b>	<b>3,472</b>	<b>6,658</b>	<b>38,886</b>	<b>26,293</b>	<b>104,123</b>	<b>76,493</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of October</b>								
<i>By Rail and River—</i>								
Assam	96	7	...	...	...	...	96	7
Bengal	70,830	108,904	...	...	454	2,803	71,284	112,207
Bihar and Orissa	19,801	11,000	...	10	1,749	16,427	12,550	27,437
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	340	207	25	4	1	...	366	211
Punjab	250	385	3,948	5,503	...	...	4,198	5,838
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	1	2	45,524	64,157	...	...	45,525	64,159
Raj. and C. India	...	90	...	...	...	...	...	90
Bombay	62	...	...	...	36	30	98	20
Central Provinces and Berar	2,628	1,118	...	...	51	90	2,679	1,208
Nizam's Territory	...	2	...	...	280	312	280	314
Madras	9,413	1,854	...	...	185,645	150,711	145,058	152,565
Mysore	...	...	...	...	1,289	1,320	1,289	1,320
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>94,421</b>	<b>118,514</b>	<b>49,497</b>	<b>69,674</b>	<b>189,505</b>	<b>178,186</b>	<b>268,423</b>	<b>366,371</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	37	572	87	572
Bihar and Orissa	831	1,854	...	...	...	...	831	1,854
Bombay	12	2	101	129	1,178	789	1,291	920
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	483	2,088	84	86	517	2,174
Madras	...	...	1	1	140	121	141	122
Burma	239,616	100,860	...	...	80,439	62,774	320,055	168,634
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...
Foreign Countries	3,018	160	1	...	728	895	3,747	1,055
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>243,477</b>	<b>102,876</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>2,218</b>	<b>82,556</b>	<b>65,237</b>	<b>326,621</b>	<b>170,331</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>337,898</b>	<b>221,390</b>	<b>50,085</b>	<b>71,892</b>	<b>222,061</b>	<b>243,423</b>	<b>610,044</b>	<b>536,702</b>

\* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice  
† Revised figures

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in October</b>								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<i>By Rail and River—</i>								
Assam	2	18	...	...	...	...	2	18
Bengal	2,993	2,951	...	1	...	...	2,993	2,952
Bihar and Orissa	1,612	5,542	375	1,459	1,997	215	3,984	7,316
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	4,581	5,923	543	11,858	5,048	4,323	10,172	22,104
Punjab	677	122	659	3,614	1,725	11,304	3,061	15,040
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	382	483	382	483
Raj. and C. India	205	102	252	2,439	58	963	515	3,504
Bombay	40	...	1,658	1,924	...	...	1,698	1,924
Central Provinces and Berar	1,497	191	2,891	4,249	...	30	4,388	4,471
Nizam's Territory	610	96	482	17	...	...	1,042	113
Madras	102	160	...	...	...	...	102	166
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12,319</b>	<b>15,112</b>	<b>6,810</b>	<b>25,561</b>	<b>9,210</b>	<b>17,318</b>	<b>28,989</b>	<b>57,991</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	6	...	20	8	166	5	186	13
Bombay	...	...	75	65	5	25	80	90
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	7	...	...	...	...	1	7
Burma	1	...	100	...	...	...	100	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	22	7	29	...	53	7
Foreign Countries	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>117</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>12,328</b>	<b>15,119</b>	<b>7,027</b>	<b>25,641</b>	<b>9,410</b>	<b>17,348</b>	<b>28,765</b>	<b>58,108</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of October</b>								
<i>By Rail and River—</i>								
Assam	11	35	...	...	...	...	11	35
Bengal	27,978	32,680	196	399	...	...	28,074	33,025
Bihar and Orissa	13,293	36,334	824	3,152	3,878	2,563	16,995	42,046
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	52,521	47,955	20,978	42,991	19,668	37,904	93,467	129,850
Punjab	2,232	290	11,571	19,084	16,778	143,791	30,521	168,165
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	2	3	...	8	7,086	13,399	7,088	13,410
Raj. and C. India	2,257	1,198	2,658	20,015	233	21,747	5,148	42,960
Bombay	119	...	10,990	9,171	36	...	11,144	9,171
Central Provinces and Berar	10,246	2,646	29,461	25,194	...	40	39,707	27,880
Nizam's Territory	1,300	220	3,022	264	...	...	4,222	484
Madras	686	353	43	13	...	...	720	368
Mysore	...	...	26	...	...	...	26	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>110,745</b>	<b>122,710</b>	<b>79,769</b>	<b>120,238</b>	<b>46,678</b>	<b>219,444</b>	<b>287,192</b>	<b>462,392</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	6	...	123	91	635	357	758	448
Bombay	...	...	652	1,094	61	561	713	1,655
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	59	...	...	52	59
Madras	52	...	...	13	...	...	532	559
Burma	161	544	371	932	...	...	279	941
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	278	12	30	23	1,244	65
Foreign Countries	56	30	1,158	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>2,582</b>	<b>2,203</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>2,586</b>	<b>3,727</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>111,022</b>	<b>123,284</b>	<b>82,351</b>	<b>122,441</b>	<b>47,405</b>	<b>220,394</b>	<b>290,778</b>	<b>466,119</b>



TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in October</b>						
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<b>By Rail and River—</b>						
Assam	20	1	...	...	20	1
Bengal	845	117	17	...	862	117
Bihar and Orissa	3,360	2,258	3,214	1,638	6,574	3,891
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	431	297	4,656	1,933	5,087	2,235
Punjab	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	2,644	71	2,644	71
Rajputana and Central India	...	...	1,240	60	1,300	60
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	37	8	2,048	632	2,085	640
Nizam's Territory	...	...	3,268	167	3,268	167
Madras	...	68	10	1	10	69
Mysore	...	...	56	...	56	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,609</b>	<b>2,744</b>	<b>17,153</b>	<b>4,507</b>	<b>21,852</b>	<b>7,251</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	...	4	...	4
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	528	...	528	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	1	...	1	...
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>4,609</b>	<b>2,744</b>	<b>17,682</b>	<b>4,511</b>	<b>22,381</b>	<b>7,255</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of October</b>						
<b>By Rail and River—</b>						
Assam	1,759	631	87	...	1,796	631
Bengal	4,474	3,387	1,722	41	6,196	3,328
Bihar and Orissa	67,136	23,110	21,717	7,079	88,853	30,799
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	22,596	4,453	70,074	31,082	92,670	35,545
Punjab	...	...	47	1	47	1
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	5	...	5	...
Rajputana and Central India	411	57	22,717	14,229	23,128	14,286
Bombay	...	...	8,082	3,480	8,082	3,480
Central Provinces and Berar	692	53	84,176	10,661	84,868	10,914
Nizam's Territory	...	...	21,723	8,374	21,723	8,374
Madras	19	85	488	216	507	301
Mysore	...	...	58	4	62	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>97,087</b>	<b>31,686</b>	<b>180,876</b>	<b>75,967</b>	<b>277,963</b>	<b>107,658</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	8	...	...	...	8
Bombay	...	...	1	...	1	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	31	354	31	354
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	3,322	670	3,322	670
Foreign Countries	...	...	64	35	64	35
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3,418</b>	<b>1,059</b>	<b>3,418</b>	<b>1,067</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>97,087</b>	<b>31,694</b>	<b>184,294</b>	<b>77,026</b>	<b>281,381</b>	<b>108,725</b>

TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
<b>Imports in October</b>						
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
<i>By Rail and River—</i>						
Assam	32	3	...	...	32	3
Bengal	65	8	...	...	65	8
Bihar and Orissa	293	398	...	...	293	398
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	4,344	3,470	230	7	4,574	3,477
Punjab	...	2,314	...	...	...	2,314
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	233	...	...	...	233
Rajputana and Central India	329	470	48	217	377	687
Bombay	39	150	663	105	692	255
Central Provinces and Berar	95	65	4	44	99	100
Nizam's Territory	...	...	2	1	2	1
Madras	26	47	...	...	26	47
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,213</b>	<b>7,158</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>6,155</b>	<b>7,527</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	4	5	4	5
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>5,213</b>	<b>7,158</b>	<b>946</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>6,159</b>	<b>7,532</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of October</b>						
<i>By Rail and River—</i>						
Assam	1,581	2,456	...	...	1,581	2,456
Bengal	550	523	17	...	567	523
Bihar and Orissa	3,307	3,407	8	...	3,315	3,407
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	92,472	35,843	11,237	510	101,709	36,353
Punjab	146	15,015	...	50	146	15,065
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	1,536	...	...	...	1,536
Rajputana and Central India	1,408	6,789	1,282	1,905	2,750	8,694
Bombay	70	469	2,866	6,916	2,436	7,385
Central Provinces and Berar	1,552	4,070	686	278	2,238	4,348
Nizam's Territory	...	...	139	63	139	63
Madras	629	1,491	9	...	638	1,491
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>101,725</b>	<b>71,599</b>	<b>15,739</b>	<b>9,722</b>	<b>117,464</b>	<b>81,321</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	1	...	1	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...	3	639	3	639
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	188	30	188	30
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>669</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>101,725</b>	<b>71,599</b>	<b>15,931</b>	<b>10,391</b>	<b>117,656</b>	<b>81,990</b>

TABLE IX.—Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta	
	1916	1917
	Imports in October	
	bales	bales
<i>By Rail and River—</i>		
Assam	89,996	9,837
Bengal	1,008,660	869,438
Bihar and Orissa	108,142	53,397
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,153,098</b>	<b>732,667</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	1,827	6
Bombay	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	...	393
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,827</b>	<b>393</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>1,154,925</b>	<b>733,060</b>
	Imports from April to end of October	
<i>By Rail and River—</i>		
Assam	86,530	53,761
Bengal	2,601,685	1,985,023
Bihar and Orissa	253,020	152,199
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	180	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,941,424</b>	<b>2,190,982</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	23,873	5,994
Bombay	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	1	6,591
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>23,874</b>	<b>12,585</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>2,965,298</b>	<b>2,203,567</b>

NOTE.—One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total mills manufacturing jute

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta	
	1916	1917
	Imports in October	
	lbs.	lbs.
<b>By Rail and River—</b>		
Assam	21,398,235	17,227,090
Bengal	81,910,976	15,895,904
Bihar and Orissa	27,648	42,313
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	22,546	4,361
Punjab	...	165
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	494	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	1,893	...
Mysore	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>53,361,792</b>	<b>32,669,733</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	8,804	...
Burma	...	...
Non-British Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	120,341	1,715,168
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>129,145</b>	<b>1,715,168</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>53,490,937</b>	<b>34,384,901</b>
<b>Imports from April to end of October</b>		
<b>By Rail and River—</b>		
Assam	105,858,741	82,404,535
Bengal	64,721,254	63,849,602
Bihar and Orissa	153,545	177,902
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	80,478	16,868
Punjab	5,101	12,637
Sind and British Baluchistan	1,563	...
Rajputana and Central India	658	575
Bombay	3,703	2,715
Central Provinces and Berar	2,469	493
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	2,305	323,186
Mysore	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>170,824,815</b>	<b>146,788,663</b>
<b>By Sea—</b>		
Bengal	4,670	...
Bihar and Orissa	204	...
Bombay	...	...
Sind and British Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	9,374	240
Burma	2,200	9,460
Non-British Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	427,872	1,897,360
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>444,320</b>	<b>1,907,060</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>171,269,135</b>	<b>148,695,723</b>

NOTE.—One maund is equivalent to 82½ lbs.





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ORDER.

*Delhi, the 24th December 1917.*

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1. After sub-rule (4) of Rule 11AA of the said rules the following sub-rule shall be added, namely :—

“(5) Where in pursuance of sub-rule (2) any person determines the compensation to be paid in respect of any product, article or thing placed at the disposal of the Governor-General in Council in pursuance of an order made under sub-rule (1) such person need not in determining such compensation have regard to the market value of such product, article or thing but shall have regard—

(a) if the owner of the product, article or thing was the producer or manufacturer thereof, to the cost of production or manufacture and to the rate of profit usually earned in respect of similar products, articles or things before the war and to whether such rate of profit was unreasonable or excessive and to any other circumstances of the case ;

(b) if the owner of the product, article or thing was not the producer or manufacturer thereof, to the price paid by the owner therefor and to whether such price was unreasonable or excessive and to the rate of profit usually earned in respect of the sale of similar products, articles or things before the war and to whether such rate of profit was unreasonable or excessive and to any other circumstances of the case ;

Provided that, if the owner of the product, article or thing himself acquired the same otherwise than in the usual course of his business, no allowance or an allowance at a reduced rate on account of profit shall be made ;

Provided further that the Governor-General in Council may by notification in the *Gazette of India* fix maximum prices to have effect within any area therein named for or in respect of any product, article or thing or class of product, article or thing which can in his opinion be utilized in connection with the prosecution of the present war, and that where a maximum price has been so fixed in respect of any product, article or thing for which compensation is determined under sub-rule (2) no sum shall be awarded as the price or value thereof in excess of such maximum price.”

2. After sub-rule (3) of Rule 11 D of the said rules the following sub-rule shall be added, namely :—

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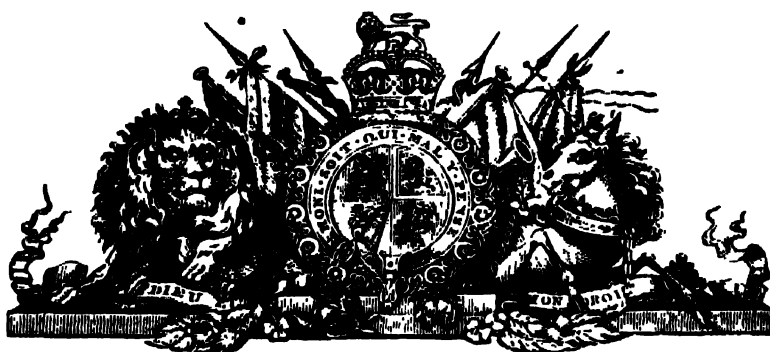
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These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bona fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge in powder can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of pure *amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPER-INTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.*

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

**SULPHATE OF QUININE.**

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery . . . . .	28 per lb
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	29 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs. . . . .	30 „

**CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.**

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . . . .	5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. . . . .	6 „
Small quantity in stock.	

**RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID.**

Very small quantity in stock.

Quinine is available in 1-oz.,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.

Cinchona Febrifuge is available in  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. and 1-lb. tins.

Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Local sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M. and 2 to 4 P.M.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamship Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

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**NOTICE.****DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.****INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.****Dhanbad, the 17th October 1917.**

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines, at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., E 1 Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

**G. F. ADAMS,**Chief Inspector of Mines in India and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.

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**THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.****NOTIFICATION.****Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.**

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
  - (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
  - (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

**W. G. WOOD,**

Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

## ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for October 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1917-18.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1917-18			RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 31ST OCTOBER 1917.		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.	Receipts in October 1917.	Imperial.	Special.
	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.	Ra.
I.—Land Revenue	...	22,77,000	22,77,000	11,715	...	11,74,984
II.—Opium	...	47,000	47,000	5,302	...	32,483
IV.—Stamps	...	7,25,000	7,25,000	52,677	...	3,94,499
V.—Excise	...	9,35,000	9,35,000	36,158	...	2,42,453
VI.—Provincial Rates	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	640
VII.—Customs	...	2,50,000	2,56,000	27,382	...	1,12,382
VIII.—Income Tax	6,000	2,42,000	2,42,000	1,04,957	...	1,89,376
IX.—Forest	...	45,000	45,000	3,812	...	30,809
X.—Registration	...	...	...	...	...	...
XI.—Tribute from Native States	...	...	...	...	...	...
XII.—Interest	30,000	...	30,000	...	16,486	...
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	...	2,30,000	2,30,000	985	...	16,468
XVIB.—Ditto	...	45,000	45,000	27,171	...	1,43,495
XVII.—Police	...	23,000	23,000	3,340	...	21,517
XIX.—Education	...	24,000	24,000	4,820	...	26,407
XXA.—Medical	...	1,000	1,000	1,941	...	15,266
XXB.—Sanitation	...	...	...	—92	...	267
XXIA.—Agriculture	...	6,000	6,000	...	...	350
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	...	...	...	8	...	203
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.	...	23,000	23,000	1,736	...	61
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	...	23,000	23,000	1,683	...	15,454
XXV.—Miscellaneous	...	1,24,000	1,24,000	26,009	...	15,343
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	9,03,000	4,08,000	13,11,000	62,096	3,56,970	81,859
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	...	1,59,000	1,59,000	...	...	7,13,940
XXXI.—Civil Works	...	...	...	17,329	...	80,290
ADD.—Debt Accounts	9,39,000	49,89,000	59,28,000	3,89,029	3,76,486	38,12,598
TOTAL REVENUE AND RECEIPTS	...	...	...	97,05,402	...	7,10,10,579
Total Opening Cash Balance	...	...	...	1,00,94,431	...	7,43,23,177
	...	...	...	(b) 33,63,397	...	(a) 23,71,420
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,34,57,828	...	7,66,94,597

(a) On 1st April 1917. (b) On 1st October 1917.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,  
LAKHORE;

The 2 th December 1917.

H. M. C. TROTTER,  
Accountant-General, Punjab.



## ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for October 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1917-18.

EXPENDITURE.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1917-18.			DISBURSEMENT FROM 1st APRIL TO 31st OCTOBER 1917.		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks . . . . .	14,000	13,000	27,000	3,913	7,404	11,317
2.—Assignments and Compensations . . . . .	9,000	9,000	18,000	188	4,389	4,577
3.—Land Revenue . . . . .	4,14,000	2,92,000	7,06,000	75,919	1,69,331	2,45,250
6.—Stamps . . . . .	14,000	15,000	29,000	2,507	6,088	8,595
7.—Excise . . . . .	9,000	8,000	17,000	1,106	4,524	5,630
10.—Income Tax . . . . .	1,000	...	1,000	78	297	375
11.—Forest . . . . .	70,000	71,000	1,41,000	6,944	27,556	34,500
12.—Registration . . . . .	6,000	7,000	13,000	6,983	3,720	10,703
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
16.—General Administration . . . . .	2,68,000	1,25,000	3,93,000	30,833	68,707	99,540
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law . . . . .	4,08,000	2,34,000	6,42,000	58,903	1,31,813	1,90,716
19B.—Ditto—Jails . . . . .	1,51,000	1,32,000	2,83,000	27,463	92,976	1,20,439
20.—Police . . . . .	12,60,000	12,49,000	25,09,000	2,19,456	7,47,918	9,67,374
22.—Education . . . . .	3,16,000	3,15,000	6,31,000	26,807	1,04,488	1,31,295
23.—Ecclesiastical . . . . .	57,000	...	57,000	5,233	31,257	36,490
24A.—Medical . . . . .	1,01,000	85,000	1,86,000	15,993	41,846	57,839
24B.—Sanitation . . . . .	1,20,000	1,19,000	2,39,000	2,002	56,132	58,134
25.—Political . . . . .	26,17,000	24,36,000	50,53,000	4,16,372	12,00,918	16,17,290
26A.—Agriculture . . . . .	78,000	77,000	1,55,000	3,882	17,076	20,958
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments . . . . .	4,000	5,000	9,000	691	2,777	3,468
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions . . . . .	61,000	...	61,000	3,290	24,459	27,749
28.—Civil, Furlough and Absentee Allowances . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions . . . . .	89,000	89,000	1,78,000	14,462	52,492	66,954
30.—Stationery and Printing . . . . .	61,000	61,000	1,22,000	11,579	30,635	42,214
32.—Miscellaneous . . . . .	21,000	21,000	42,000	2,543	11,537	14,080
33.—Famine Relief . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses . . . . .	13,19,000	2,88,000	16,07,000	45,298	1,39,201	1,84,499
43.—Minor Works and Navigation . . . . .	24,000	25,000	49,000	1,666	5,100	6,766
45.—Civil Works . . . . .	13,84,000	13,78,000	27,62,000	1,30,062	1,92,816	3,22,878
TOTAL EXPENDITURE . . . . .	89,23,000	70,74,000	1,59,97,000	1,11,133	30,30,349	41,41,482
Balance on 31st October 1917 . . . . .	...	...	...	98,68,713	...	98,68,713
GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	...	...	...	1,09,74,846	...	1,09,74,846

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL PUNJAB

LAHORE;

The 20th December 1917

H. M. C. TROTTER,  
Accountant-General, Punjab.

**CHIEF COURT OF THE PUNJAB.****NOTIFICATION.**

Lahore, the 18th December 1917.

**No. 6898-67.**—The following list of days to be observed as local holidays by the various Civil Courts in the Province of Delhi, during the year 1918, has been prepared by the Chief Court and approved by the Local Government, as required by section 47 (1) of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, and Home Department No. 1858-Judicial of 24th September 1914, and is published for general information:—

List of Local Holidays to be observed in the various Civil Courts of the Delhi Province during the year 1918.

Name of holiday.	Date on which the holiday falls.	Number of day allowed.
Urs Nizam-ud-Din . . . . .	1st February* . . . . .	1
Qutab Fair . . . . .	Not fixed . . . . .	2
Gunga Ashnan . . . . .	18th November . . . . .	1
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\* Subject to the appearance of the moon.

**NOTE 1.**—Where the actual or correct date has not been specified in the above list, the Senior Subordinate Judge will fix it in consultation with the District Judge and Deputy Commissioner and will give timely notice of the date so fixed to the public.

**NOTE 2.**—With the previous sanction of the Chief Court and Local Government (but not otherwise) any day not specified in this list may be substituted for any day which is specified therein.

**NOTE 3.**—The number of local holidays allowed will not ordinarily exceed 7 days in each year.

By order, etc.,

J. A. FERGUSON,  
Registrar.

**NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.****ERRATUM.**

Dated 11th December 1917.

**No. 235**—In notification No. 176, dated the 9th October 1917, under item 10 against Messrs. Rashiduddin Ahmad Qureshi and Shoo Raj Nath Koul, for "7th to 8th" and "9th" respectively read "7th to 9th" and "10th"  
(439 A. P. of 1917.)

J. F. CONNOLLY,  
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL  
IN BALUCHISTAN.****NOTIFICATION.**

Quetta, the 22nd December 1917.

**No. 3642-B.**—R. B. Diwan Jamiat Rai, C.I.E., an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd grade and Settlement Extra Assistant Commissioner in Baluchistan, was appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Revenue Assistant to the Revenue Commissioner in addition to his own duties with effect from the forenoon of the 20th January 1917.

By order,  
R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,  
First Assistant.

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## THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

### NOTIFICATION.

Dated Quetta, the 19th December 1917.

**No. 3598.**—In accordance with rule 10 of the rules for the grant of licenses to prospect for minerals and of mining leases published in the Resolution of the Government of India, in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7552-7581—121, dated the 15th September 1913, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the power conferred on him by rule 19 of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General's order No. 4695-R. M., dated the 31st December 1915, the Revenue Commissioner is pleased to renew the certificates of approval granted to the Indo-Burma Petroleum Company, Limited, of Rangoon under the above mentioned rules.

H. B. St. JOHN, Major,  
Offg. Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan.

## CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 21st December 1917.

**No. 10593-Home.**—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 15th December 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi . .	225,471	148	107	255	67	85	152	...	...	1	66	6	49	2	28	...	21	25	46	58.61	35.06
	Notified Area	3,678	1	1	2	3	1	4	..	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	..	1	...	1	28.81	58.63
	Total . .	229,144	149	108	257	70	86	156	...	...	1	70	6	49	2	28	..	22	25	47	58.32	35.40

The 22nd December 1917.

**No. 10610-Home.**—Under the provisions of Section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), Mr. S. S. Harris is appointed a Magistrate of the 1st class in the Delhi District, with effect from the date he assumed charge of his duties.

**No. 10611-Home.**—Mr. S. S. Harris, a Magistrate of 1st class, Delhi, is invested under Section 30 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), with powers to try as Magistrate all offences not punishable with death.

**No. 10639-C. & I.**—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information:—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th December 1917.  
(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.
	Srs. Chts.		Srs. Chts.
Wheat, white . . . . .	7 12	Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked) .	11 0
Barley . . . . .	11 0	Maize . . . . .	12 0
Rice { Best sort . . . . .	3 0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (D&I)	10 0
{ Common sort . . . . .	6 0	Firewood . . . . .	35 0
Jowar (Andropogon sorghum) . . .	10 0	Salt { Wholesale . . . . .	...
Bajra (Pennisetum typhoideum) .	9 0	{ Retail (Decrease is due to non im- portation of salt)	6 12
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana) . . .	...	Gur . . . . .	6 0
Kangni (Setaria Italica) . . . .	...	Cotton (unginned) . . . . .	8 8
		Bejhar . . . . .	11 0

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 15th December 1917.  
(Vide paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82½ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
Rice, unhusked . . . . .	...	Cotton seed . . . . .	4 0 0
,, husked . . . . .	6 4 0	Ghi . . . . .	63 0 0
Wheat, white . . . . .	5 0 0	Flour (Wheat) . . . . .	6 0 0
Barley . . . . .	3 8 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry) . . . . .	8 0 0
Oats . . . . .	...	Turmeric (unground) . . . . .	21 0 0
Jowar . . . . .	3 13 0	Salt, Sambhar (Increase is due to non importation of salt)	6 0 0
Bajra . . . . .	4 4 0	Raw Hides (Cow) . . . . .	90 0 0
Maize . . . . .	3 3 0	Bran . . . . .	1 14 0
Gram . . . . .	3 8 0	Grass (dry) . . . . .	1 4 0
Arhar D&I . . . . .	3 14 0	Bhusa (white) . . . . .	1 6 8
Linseed . . . . .	6 0 0	Jowar Stalks . . . . .	1 4 0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf) . . . . .	5 6 0	Bengal Coal . . . . .	0 12 0
Poppy-seed . . . . .	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, Victoria brand)	2 11 3
Til (jinjili seed) . . . . .	7 8 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair . . .	250 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur . . . . .	6 8 0	Sheep, per score . . . . .	80 0 0
Cotton (cleaned) . . . . .	38 0 0	Bejhar . . . . .	3 8 0

**No. 10645-Home.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1) of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (1 of 1910), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a leaflet printed in English, entitled "From the Secretary, Home Department, Indian Revolutionary Committee, Camp," addressed, "To the Princes and People of India" beginning with the words "Brothers, In view of the visit of Mr. Montague" and ending with the words "Indian Revolutionary Committee," and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government, and to commit murder, and appears to the Chief Commissioner to contain words of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (1), clause (a) of the said Act.

**No. 10649-Home.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1) of the Indian Press Act, 1 of 1910, the Chief Commissioner hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a book "Young India" by Lajpat Rai, republished in London by the Home Rule League, with a foreword by J. C. Wedgwood, M.P., on the ground that the said book contains matter which has a tendency to bring into hatred and contempt the Government established by law in British India.



Delhi, the 23rd December 1917.

**No. 10680-Education.**—In exercise of the powers vested in the Local Government in that behalf, by Section 5, Sub-Section (3) of the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to declare that the area described in his notification No. 8579-Education, dated the 8th October 1917, and the Schedule annexed thereto is included within the limits of the Municipality of Delhi.

W. M. HAILEY,  
Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

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**ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,  
AJMER-MERWARA.**

**NOTIFICATION.**

Dated Camp Ajmer, the 20th December 1917.

**No. 1637—979-C.**—Maulvi Abid Hussain, Professor of Persian, Government College, Ajmer, is granted furlough for one year with effect from the 1st December 1917, or the subsequent date on which he may be allowed to avail himself thereof.

Maulvi Hamid Ulla Khan, Head Maulvi of the Government High School, Ajmer, is appointed to act as Professor of Persian in the Government College, Ajmer, during Maulvi Abid Hussain's absence on leave or until further orders.

By order,  
B. J. GLANCY,  
First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana,  
and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara

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**REPORT OF DESERTION.**

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from The 1st Line, 4th Battalion, the Border Regiment, dated at Maymyo, this 14th day of December 1917.

Number, Rank and Name—35068, Private, R. C. Roberts.	Place of enlistment—Kamptec.
Age—25 years 9 months.	Parish and County in which born—Cawnpore.
Height—5 feet 10 inches.	Date of Desertion or absence—12th December 1917.
Colour of—Complexion, very dark, hair, black; eyes, dark brown.	Place of Desertion or absence—Maymyo, Upper Burma.
Trade—Clerk.	Mark—Scars on face.
Date of enlistment—5th August 1915.	On Furlough.
	Under 3 years' service.

J. F. WATERLOW, Lieut.-Col.,  
Commanding, 1st Line, 4th Battalion, The Border Regiment.

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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.  
In Insolvency.**

No. 238 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th December 1917.

*Re* Mahomed Musa Memon, of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant, residing at Colsa Molla, lately a dealer in coal and now unemployed, an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of 'adjudication made herein on the 7th day' of May 1917 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

## IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	DATE OF PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.			DATE OF THE ADJUDICATION.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
619—1917	Rowla Chhipka Janrakhwala	Hindu	Abdul Rahman Street	Lately tailor in the employ of Kalian Mati & Co., and now in the employ of Kashinath Wasudeo.	17th	December	1917	17th	December	1917.
620—1917	Jadhowji Jibhai Bhat	"	Vadgadi	Servant in the employ of Vadilal Chaturbhuj	"	"	"	"	"	"
621—1917	Devar Kather Sha	"	Grant Road	Lately grain dealer and now unemployed	18th	"	"	18th	"	"
622—1917	Dinmani Shankar alias Jinabbai Harishankar Sukal.	"	Do.	Lately boarding house keeper and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
623—1917	Javerial Mancklal Sha	"	Agiaarv Lane, Mandvi	Temporarily working as Teacher at High School at Navsari.	19th	"	"	19th	"	"
624—1917	Ravji Atmaram Loskey	"	Parel, Chorgully	Carpenter in the British India Steam Navigation Company's Dockyard.	20th	"	"	20th	"	"
625—1917	Chand Rehman Pathan alias Shaik.	Mahomedan	Telly Molla	Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway at Parel (Workshop).	21st	"	"	21st	"	"
626—1917	Henry Hudson Spooner	European	Vazagon	Gate Inspector in the Bombay Port Trust Docks.	"	"	"	"	"	"
627—1917	Maganlal Damodar Master	Hindu	Thakardwar	Lately petty dealer in kerosine oil and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
628—1917	Ramji Nagji Darji	"	Gaiwadi near Girgaum	Tailor in the employ of Government Military Department.	"	"	"	"	"	"
629—1917	Laxuman Narayan Naidoo	"	Ghorapdeo	Fitter in the E. D. Sassoon Mills, Ltd.	22nd	"	"	22nd	"	"
630—1917	Shaik Ahmed Shaik Hassan	Mahomedan	Belasis Road, New Nagpada	Formerly fitter in His Majesty's Mint and lately on field service at Basra and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
631—1917	Vithal Atmaram Pradhan	Hindu	Gopi Talao Road, Mahum	Clerk in the employ of Byramji Jijibhai	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,  
Bombay, this 22nd day of December 1917. }

R. B. PATEL,  
Chief Clerk.

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**IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.**  
**Insolvency Jurisdiction.**

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CASE No. 147 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of A. K. N. Nagoor Meeya Rowther, Trader of Nos. 71 and 72, Edward Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. K. N. Nagoor Meeya Rowther, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 6th day of December 1917.

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CASE No. 207 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of Radhay Singh, Peon in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Burma, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Radhay Singh an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 10th day of December 1917.

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CASE No. 230 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of Herbert Maximilian Gibson Miles, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Herbert Maximilian Gibson Miles, Clerk, No. 46, 47th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Herbert Maximilian Gibson Miles.

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CASE No. 231 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th December 1917.

In the matter of Rapaty Appanna, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Rapaty Appanna, Durwan of Darwood & Co., residing at Rosebank Road, Ahlone, Rangoon, on the 7th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Rapaty Appanna.

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CASE No. 232 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 17th December 1917.

In the matter of Maung Po Toke, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Toke, Broker, of No. 18, 106th Street, Kalabasti, Rangoon, on the 11th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Toke.

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CASE No. 233 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 17th December 1917.

In the matter of E. Gin Choung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by E. Gin Choung, clerk, of No. 23, 15th Street, Rangoon, on the 18th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said E. Gin Choung.



## CASE No. 234 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 17th December 1917.

In the matter of R. Saminathan Pillay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by R. Saminathan Pillay, Goldsmith of No. 98, 31st Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said R. Saminathan Pillay.

## CASE No. 235 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 19th December 1917.

In the matter of Vallur Jayaram *alias* Ramanjul Jayaram, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Vallur Jayaram *alias* Ramanjul Jayaram, Clerk of No. 36, 52nd Street, Rangoon, on the 17th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Vallur Jayaram *alias* Ramanjul Jayaram.

## CASE No. 236 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 19th December 1917.

In the matter of Peer Mahomed Khan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Peer Mahomed Khan, Trader of No. 20, 42nd Street, Rangoon, on the 17th day of December 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Peer Mahomed Khan.

(Illegible),

Offg. Registrar.

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM  
IN BENGAL.  
In Insolvency.**

**Summary Case.**

No. 48 of 1916.

Dated the 22nd December 1917.

*Re* Dharanidhar Saha.*Ex parte* the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of February 1918 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 140 of 1916.

Dated the 22nd December 1917.

*Re* Raj Krishna Dutt.*Ex parte* the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of February 1918 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

**Notice of Adjudication Order.**

No. 163 of 1917.

Dated the 21st December 1917.

*Re* Harihar Sircar, residing at No. 4, Dawn's Lane in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as Mica merchants under the name and style of Sirkar Brothers at No 62, Clive Street in Calcutta aforesaid but at present without any occupation.

*Ex parte* the debtor. A. C. Bose—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 16th day of October 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Insolvency Jurisdiction, adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

**NOTE.**—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,  
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(POST OFFICE.)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 20th December 1917.

**No. 3118-s-*Ap*.**—Mr. Khoo Po Ain, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Burma, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 7th December 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 3122-s-*Ap*.**—Mr. E. W. Hawkins, Postmaster, Ambala, Pay Rs. 300—400, is granted privilege leave for fifteen days with effect from the 16th November 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Iala Bhagat Ram, Deputy Postmaster, Ambala, is appointed to officiate as Postmaster, Ambala, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. E. W. Hawkins or until further orders.

**No. 3129-s-*Ap*.**—Babu Hem Chandra Guha, Inspector of post offices, Gauhati Sub Division, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 5th December 1917 and until further orders.

**No. 3133-s-*Ap*.**—Mr. V. Desikachari, Superintendent of post offices, 3rd grade, is granted an extension of leave on medical certificate for two months with effect from the 30th October 1917.

**No. 3137-s-*Ap*.**—Mr. Syed Akbar Hussain, Superintendent of post offices, 3rd grade, is granted a further extension of privilege leave for twenty-five days with effect from the 9th December 1917.

W. MAXWELL,  
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

**POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.**  
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Dated Camp Delhi, the 21st December 1917.

**No. 581c-E-E.**—Mr. C. Osborne, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 4th December 1917.

**No. 584-c-E-E.**—Mr. H. S. Pritamdas, Deputy Superintendent, Technical, is granted an extension of medical leave for three months with effect from the 27th November 1917 in continuation of the leave granted to him in this Department notification No 1144 s-E-E, dated the 12th June 1917.

**No. 591-c-E-E.**—The following reversion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. P. C. Potter	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd Class officiating.	Inspecting Telegraph Master.	14th November 1917.

**No. 594-c-E-E.**—Mr. Haripershad, Sub-Inspector, has been appointed as officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, in Force B (East Africa) with effect from the 14th January to the 27th February 1917 *vice* Mr. W. H. King, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, granted special (Field) leave.

W. MAXWELL,  
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

## POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS. (TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

### NOTIFICATION

Calcutta, the 28th December 1917.

**No. 6787-T.**—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 20th December 1917 to 26th December 1917.

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Hoshangabad City	Central Provinces	10th December 1917	Closed.
Sharakpur (Gujranwala)	Punjab	17th June 1917	Opened.
<i>Railway Telegraph Offices.</i>			
Elavur	Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway.	21th November 1917	Opened.
Polmeddipalem	Ditto.	3rd December 1917	"
Tondayarpettai	Ditto.	25th November 1917	"

The following alteration in the name of a Government Telegraph office is notified:—

“Mehmmudabad (Ghazipur)” instead of “Muhammadabad (Ghazipur).”

W. SUTHERLAND,  
Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

## MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

### NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 26th December 1917.

**No. 648-G.-Camp**—Mr. N. deRozario, B.A., Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary and supernumerary), Accountant, Kidderpore Dockyard, is granted privilege leave for three months on medical grounds, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

**No. 649-G.-Camp**—Mr. Hari Das Gupta, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, is temporarily transferred to the Kidderpore Dockyard, to carry on the duties of Accountant of that Dockyard during the absence of Mr. N. deRozario, B.A., on privilege leave.

**No. 650 G.-Camp**—Khan Sahib S. Mahmood Mean Sahib, a Superintendent in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, from the 2nd January 1918 *vice* Mr. Hari Das Gupta, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), transferred.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,  
Military Accountant-General.

**CONTROLLER OF MILITARY ACCOUNTS, BURMA DIVISION.**

List of Government promissory notes and other securities remaining in deposit with the Controller of Military Accounts, Burma Division, on 31st December 1917, on account of security deposits of contractors, etc.

No.	Designation of officer from whom received and to whom interest is sent.	AMOUNT OF INVESTMENT.								TOTAL.
		3½ per cent. 1842-43.	3½ per cent. 1854-55.	3½ per cent. 1865.	3½ per cent. 1879.	3½ per cent. 1901.	3 per cent. 1896-97.	Debentures and bonds.	Bank deposit receipts.	
275788 233443	Divisional Disbursing Officer.	...	...	500	...	...	...	..	...	500
108306 103585	Ditto	..	..	600	...	...	..	...	...	600
M. 008935 M. 005886	Ditto	...	..	100	...	...	...	...	...	100
108309 103585	Ditto	...	...	600	...	..	...	..	...	600
M. 009937 M. 005886	Ditto	...	...	100	...	..	..	...	...	100
M. 007375 083997	Ditto	...	..	700	..	...	..	..	...	700
100191 086150	Ditto	...	...	1,000	...	...	..	...	...	1,000
209170	Ditto	...	..	300	...	..	...	..	...	300
108637 065580	Ditto	...	..	500	...	..	..	..	...	500
150583	Ditto	..	300	..	..	..	...	...	...	300
011741	Ditto	..	..	..	..	..	100	..	...	100
M. 003358 M. 002164	Ditto	...	..	..	...	..	100	..	...	100
M. 004140	Ditto	..	...	..	..	..	500	..	..	500
140819	Bank of Rangoon, Rangoon.	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1,000
064186	Ditto	...	..	..	...	100	...	..	..	100
56-11	Divisional Disbursing Officer.	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	800	800
55-34 1. 3301	Ditto	..	...	..	..	..	...	..	700	700
55-50 1. 3317	Ditto	..	...	..	...	..	...	..	800	800
55-54 1. 3321	Ditto	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	400	400
55-59 1. 3326	Ditto	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	1,200	1,200
55-60 1. 3327	Ditto	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	800	800
55-61 1. 3328	Ditto	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	300	300
56-176	Ditto	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	400	400

List of Government Promissory Notes, etc.—*contd.*

No.	Designation of officer from whom received and to whom interest is sent.	AMOUNT OF INVESTMENT.								TOTAL.
		3½ per cent. 1842- 43.	3½ per cent. 1854- 55.	3½ per cent. 1865.	3½ per cent. 1879.	3½ per cent. 1900- 01.	3 per cent. 1896- 97.	Debe- tures and bonds.	Bank deposit re- ceipts.	
55-85 I. 3352	Divisional Disbursing Officer.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500	500
55-88 I. 3355	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500	500
55-100 I. 3367	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	800	800
55-248 H. 9992	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	700	700
55-340 H. 9590	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	300
56-436	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	300
56-492	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	300
55-160 I. 3428	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	800	800
55-167 I. 3435	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	430	430
240	Messrs. A. Scott & Co., Rangoon.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
241	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
242	Ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
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246	Ditto.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
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251	Ditto.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
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253	Ditto.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
254	Ditto.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
255	Ditto.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
256	Ditto.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000
257	Ditto.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,000

MAYMYO,  
20th December 1917.

H. F. PLAYNE,  
for C., M. A., Accounts Branch, Burma Division.

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**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES**

**RETURN SHOWING the WHOLESALE and RETAIL PRICES of CEREALS, PULSES, OILSEEDS, SUGAR (RAW), SALT, ETC., in INDIA by DISTRICTS for the FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 30TH NOVEMBER, 1917**

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TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER—concluded

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (Til or Jimfili)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gir)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURNERIE		GRASS		STRAW
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
<b>ajputana—</b>															
<b>Eastern—</b>															
Ajmer(a)	...	57.19	...	640	...	74.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Delhi—</b>															
Delhi	75	63.75	630	560	65	70	49.84	23.75	80	80	210	180	12.5	10	...
<b>Punjab—</b>															
<b>Southern—</b>															
Ferozepur	66.72	...	595.31	544.69	80	80	44.37	50	160	123.12	160	138.28	...	...	...
<b>Central—</b>															
Lahore	66.72	61.56	640	630	72.66	66.72	40	42.03	123.28	114.22	188.28	152.24	10	10	...
<b>Submontane—</b>															
Amritsar	67.5	63.75	620	630	63.75	53.12	40	47.5	100	...	170	155	...	...	...
<b>Northern—</b>															
Rawalpindi	...	...	540	580	47.19	52.5	44.87	41.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Western—</b>															
Lyallpur	57.5	...	572.5	565	58.75	58.75	42.5	50	140	...	140	...	...	...	...
Multan	60	55	565	557.5	56.87	66.56	43.12	53.28	100	110	210	190	10	10	...
<b>N.W. Frontier Province—</b>															
Peshawar	...	...	568.91	511.98	58.7	77.18	21.67	30.05	94.11	110.86	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	640	673.75	53.50	48.50	28.75	32.71	...	...	...	...	12.03	13.33	...
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>															
Karachi	...	...	...	...	...	...	32.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	...	637.5	...	66.25	...	...	...	45.62	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	570 to 640	550 25 to 600	...	...	23.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bombay—</b>															
<b>Konkan—</b>															
Bombay	81.41	65.73	600	628.50	95.26	122.45	30	...	...	...	178.23	152.4	17.6	8.88	...
<b>Deccan and Karnatak—</b>															
Dharwar	...	40.62	...	...	74.01	85.99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	500	442.19	85.68	1.00	33.25	...	131.25	91.93	...	173.18	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	505.26	501.77	...	62.55	...	...	210.52	210.52	...	123.33	...	...	...
<b>Khandesh and N.E. Deccan—</b>															
Ahmednagar	...	50.36	525	483.33	88.38	...	34.27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Gujarat—</b>															
Surat	...	...	589.17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	560	600	...	...	16.56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Central Provinces—</b>															
<b>Western—</b>															
Nagpur	80	71.12	590	500	...	...	38.75	27.5	108.31	53.31	...	...	9.37	...	7.5
<b>Central—</b>															
Jubbulpore	69.56	48.5	500	470	...	...	80	28.5	130	72.69	177.75	177.75	6.69	4.44	7
<b>Eastern—</b>															
Raipur	...	...	520	470	...	...	38	29	130	160	120	90	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>															
Akola	...	54.75	571.44	574	...	...	42.87	26.62	128.81	100	...	...	...	...	...
Amratoli	74.15	61.5	480	560	...	...	29	25	177.81	142.19	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Madras—</b>															
<b>South, central—</b>															
Coimbatore	82.8	72.4	457.8	503.1	157.9	70.4	22.6	17.5	...	...	222.2	192	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	488	1488	...	...	...	...	171.3	171.3	127	91.4	...	...	7.7
<b>Central—</b>															
Bellary	73.1	62	507.9	503.1	71.5	55.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	559.2	493.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	173	148.3	...	...	...
Karnal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	82.3	125.3	148	...	...	...
<b>East Coast, central—</b>															
Nellore	...	...	500	466.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5.7
<b>East Coast, south—</b>															
Madras	...	...	543.1	559.6	62.6	67.5	25.6	15	141.9	135	164.7	110.8	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466.7	466.7	...	...	23.4	28.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	608.1	540.5	...	...	23.1	20.6	123.4	123.4	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Southern—</b>															
Madura	66.8	66.7	675.7	675.7	...	...	...	...	141.1	141.1	...	...	...	...	15
<b>Mysore—</b>															
Mysore	40	72	582.86	480	38.75	102.86	...	...	205.78	214.27	154.27	137.13	4.43	5.1	4.43
Bangalore	72	64	617.18	548.54	77.18	77.18	...	...	240	240	120	85.68	8.4	8.8	8.8

\*Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 103 per 10 maunds.

(a) Figures have not so far been reported.

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

STRAW			JAWAR STALKS		BRUSA (WHITE)		BRAN		COAL (BENGAL)		SHEEP, PER SCORE		PLOWN BULLOCKS, PER PAIR		KEROSENE OIL, PER TIN		DISTRICTS
1916	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	1917	1918	
...	...	...	...	...	...	36.41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80 to 90	...	3.25	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer
...	15.81	5	16.25	11.25	17.5	22.5	7.5	5.62	80	...	250	200	2.58	2.28	...	...	Delhi— Delhi
...	...	...	8.91	7.97	22.19	25	...	...	142.5	142	225	225	3.5	3.19	...	...	Punjab— Southern— Ferozepur
...	...	...	14.84	11.41	28.59	29.06	10	7.5	160	150	170	170	3.87	3.25	...	...	Central— Lahore
...	...	7.97	13.28	11.25	20	23.75	10	7.19	140	120	...	...	3.62	3.25	...	...	Submontane— Amritsar
...	...	...	17.5	12.5	...	...	...	10.62	100	90	120	120	3.75	3.41	...	...	Northern— Rawalpindi
...	...	...	10	10	20	23.75	12.5	6.87	130	112	180	180	3.69	3.28	...	...	Western— Lyallpur
...	...	5	8.91	10	24.37	27.19	...	...	105	112	...	...	3.5	3.12	...	...	Multan
...	...	...	7.5	6.15	23.65	24.53	13.38	9.32	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3.87	3.44	...	...	N.W. Frontier Province— Peshawar
...	...	...	10	15	27.29	23.59	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.94	3.62	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchis- tan—
...	...	...	15	9.37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.03	2.72	Karachi
...	...	...	15	12.5	28.41	29.37	12.86	11.02	120 to 220	120 to 230	...	...	...	...	3.47	2.97	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	...	19.68	21.41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.06	2.84	Quetta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay— Konkan— Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Deccan and Karná- tak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.08	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.8	Poona
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.-E
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.39	Deccan— Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.91	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gujarat— Surat
...	...	...	...	...	26.25	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.5	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provin- ces—
...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	9.25	5.56	80	...	125	...	2.75	2.37	...	Western— Nagpur
6	...	...	...	...	28.60	30	...	...	60	60	70	70	2.37	2.19	...	...	Central— Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.62	Eastern— Raipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Berar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Amrāoti
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras—
...	6	4	...	...	90.5*	90.4*	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	3.24	2.98	South, Central— Coimbatore
7.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	...	2.72	Salem
...	10.8	10.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3.35	3	Central— Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.19	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.5	Karnul
5.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.11	East Coast, Centr- Nellore
...	...	...	...	...	26.5	27.9	11.4	5.9	202.5†	195†	...	...	...	...	...	2	East Coast, South Madras
...	...	...	...	...	10.6	13.6	...	...	150†	170†	...	...	...	...	...	2.97	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	28.2	38.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.53	Trichinopoly
15	...	...	...	...	20.4	20.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	3.5	2.69	Southern— Madura
3.1	4.48	4.48	...	...	40	40	15.42	15.42	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	...	...	...	3.75	Mysore
8.8	4.27	4.27	...	...	33.8	33.8	...	...	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	...	...	...	3.25	Bangalore

\*Superior quality

† Sheep or goat



TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER, 1917

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum</i> <i>Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum</i> <i>vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM ( <i>Andropogon</i> <i>sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR GUMBU ( <i>Pennisetum</i> <i>typhoides</i> )	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>Burma—</b>												
<b>Tenasserim—</b>												
Mergui . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...
Mealmeln and Amherst . . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	12 2	12 2	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
<b>Pegu (deltaic)—</b>												
Pegu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Rangoon . . . . .	...	...	...	...	14 9	14 9	16 3	16 3	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . . .	4 —	4 —	...	...	11 3	12 2	14 9	13 4	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
<b>Pegu (inland)—</b>												
Tharawadi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 12	10 13	16 8	15 8	...	...	...	...
Hensada . . . . .	5 1	5 1	...	...	11 3	14 9	13 14	15 6	...	...	...	...
Prome . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 9	14 9	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
<b>Upper Burma—</b>												
Mandalay . . . . .	8 14	8 14	...	...	10 1	10 1	13 14	13 14	19 10	19 10	...	...
Bhamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pakokku . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Mektila . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 2	13 2	16 3	17 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Arakan—</b>												
Sandoway . . . . .	2 10	2 10	...	...	11 2	12 12	18 3	15 14	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpysu . . . . .	3 8	3 8	...	...	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	11 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Assam—</b>												
<b>Burma—</b>												
Sylhet . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	...	14 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar . . . . .	4 —	4 —	...	...	7 —	6 —	14 14	11 12	...	...	...	...
<b>Hill Tracts—</b>												
Kháel and Jaintia Hills . . . . .	6 5	6 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 4	6 4	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur . . . . .	15 —	15 —	...	...	26 —	26 —	28 —	25 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 4	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Brahmaputra—</b>												
Goalpara . . . . .	10 —	12 —	...	2.	4 8	4 8	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Kámráp (Ganhati) . . . . .	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 4	6 —	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 —	12 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur . . . . .	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>												
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Baekerganj . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Malmensingh . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Tippera . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	7 11	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Deltaic—</b>												
Khulna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
24 Parganas . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 3	8 2	...	...	...	...
Calcutta . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 9	6 15	...	...	...	...
Hooghly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Kriahnagarh) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Jessore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	9 8	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district head quarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine coracana)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNDAGA (Oler aristinum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ARHAR DAL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14	Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 7	9 7	Moulmein and
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 7	11 3	Amherst
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	8 —	8 —	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Pegu
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 8	9 8	Maubin
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Bassein
...	...	...	...	11 7	11 7	...	...	5 9	5 9	8 2	8 2	Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Prome
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	17 14	17 14	6 6	6 6	8 —	8 —	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Thayetmyo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	43 12	43 12	...	...	9 6	9 6	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	11 6	9 8	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 —	3 —	6 8	6 2	Pakokku
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	10 —	Mektila
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kyaukpada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	Assam—
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	5 —	6 8	Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 11	10 10	10 10	6 14	6 14	6 4	6 14	Cachar
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 —	5 —	Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	20 —	20 —	5 8	5 8	5 —	6 —	Khasi and Jaintia
...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 4	6 4	Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	3 —	4 —	Garo Hills
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 4	13 —	13 —	8 —	9 —	5 8	6 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 —	...	...	7 12	7 —	5 8	6 4	Naga Hills
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	4 8	6 8	Lushai Hills
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	4 —	6 8	Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	5 —	7 —	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	5 8	6 8	Kamrup (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	5 —	7 5	Darrang

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR GUMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Best sort	Common	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month
<b>Bengal—continued</b>												
<i>Western—</i>												
Bankura . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	10 12	...	...	...	...
Burdwan . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Birbhum . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Pabna . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	...	...	...	...
Rajahm . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Malda . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bogra . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jaipalguri . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	...	...
Rangpur . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Darjeeling . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Bihar and Orissa—</b>												
<i>Bihar, north—</i>												
Purnea . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	10 5	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur . . .	8 12	9 —	18 —	20 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga . . .	9 5	9 14	18 11	18 11	...	...	10 7	10 7	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . .	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Saran . . .	9 —	9 —	19 —	17 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Champaran . . .	10 —	9 8	20 —	18 —	...	...	11 4	11 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, south—</i>												
Santhal Parganas . . .	8 8	9 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	11 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr . . .	9 —	10 —	26 —	24 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Gaya . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna . . .	10 —	10 —	17 —	22 —	...	...	12 8	13 —	17 —	18 —	...	...
Shahabad . . .	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Chota Nagpur—</i>												
Singbhum . . .	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	11 8	...	...	...	...
Manbhum . . .	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 8	...	...	11 12	10 —	...	...	20 —	20 —
Ranchi . . .	7 —	7 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	10 —	...	...	10 —	9 8
Palaman . . .	9 9	10 2	14 —	14 1	...	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	...	...
Hazribagh . . .	7 8	7 8	12 —	11 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>												
Puri . . .	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack . . .	7 14	9 3	...	...	...	...	11 13	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore . . .	7 —	7 2	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur . . .	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...	18 —	13 —	...	...	...	...
<b>United Provinces—</b>												
<i>(a) AGRA—</i>												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Mirzapur . . .	8 —	8 8	14 —	13 8	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	13 —
Benares . . .	8 13	8 15	13 13	13 13	6 12	6 12	8 7½	8 7½	14 10	14 10	14 1½	14 10
Ghazipur . . .	8 10	8 8	15 1	15 1	5 5	5 5	9 11	9 10	19 4	16 10	15 1	16 12
Jaunpur . . .	...	9 8	...	15 —	...	4 —	...	10 11	...	...	...	...
Allahabad . . .	9 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 —	8 8	8 4	15 —	14 8	12 8	14 12
<i>Central—</i>												
Banda . . .	9 8	9 10	13 4	12 4	5 —	5 —	10 —	9 —	14 8	14 4	12 8	...
Fatehpur . . .	9 4	10 4	15 —	16 —	3 8	3 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	14 —	15 —
Hamirpur . . .	9 4	9 4	12 —	12 —	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	14 12	13 14	11 8	12 13
Jaloun . . .	9 4	9 —	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 8	15 —	15 —	...	...
Cawnpore . . .	8 8	8 12	13 12	13 12	...	...	7 10	7 10	15 8	...	11 4	11 8
Jhansi . . .	7 4	8 —	14 12	15 5	4 12	4 12	8 —	8 —	12 7	13 1	12 15	13 14
Etawah . . .	8 14	8 12	13 14	13 2	3 —	3 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	10 14	10 8
Farrukhabad . . .	8 11	9 1½	13 10	13 15	4 1	4 1	9 9	9 9	...	...	11 4	12 2
Mainpuri . . .	9 4	9 12	14 —	15 —	4 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	13 —	14 —	11 8	12 —
Etah . . .	9 12	9 8	14 8	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 —	...	...	11 8	11 8
<i>Western—</i>												
Meerut . . .	8 4	9 —	18 —	14 —	3 —	3 —	8 4	8 4	...	...	12 —	...
Aggra . . .	7 8	8 —	...	12 —	5 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	12 8	13 8	9 8	10 —
Muttra . . .	9 8	9 8	14 —	13 12	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Aligarh . . .	9 8	9 4	14 —	14 3	3 —	3 —	6 —	5 8	15 8	16 1	11 12	12 2
Bulandshahr . . .	9 —	9 8	13 8	12 8	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	...	...	11 8	13 —
<i>Submontane, east—</i>												
Balla . . .	9 2	9 2	16 14	17 12	5 3	5 3	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh . . .	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	10 8	...	...	...
Gorakhpur . . .	10 6	10 —	15 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Basti . . .	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	6 4	6 4	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...

\* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seeds (or 80 coins), and the number of seeds (or 80 coins) that are not used.]

[The figures state the number of seeds (or so tops), and one bush]												DISTRICTS
RASI OR MARUA (Eleusine coracana)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, OHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Cicer arisatum)		MAISE (Zea Mays)		ARHAR DAL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												<b>Bengal—continued</b>
												<b>Western—</b>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	6 8	8 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	7 —	8 4	9 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	5 4	7 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	to	to	8 —	11 —	Murshidabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	8 —	6 —	<b>Northern—</b>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	5 —	6 —	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	4 14	6 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	7 —	8 —	6 8	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 —	5 7	7 8	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	4 8	7 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	6 —	7 12	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	6 12	Rangpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 —	<b>Hills—</b>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darjeeling
												<b>Bihar and Orissa—</b>
												<b>Bihar, north—</b>
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	24 —	20 —	7 —	7 —	5 8	8 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	14 2	14 8	19 —	22 8	8 8	8 12	7 —	7 8	Bhagalpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darbhanga
21 14	20 14	...	...	16 8	15 13	21 14	20 14	8 13	8 13	5 10	7 11	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	19 —	...	9 —	5 —	8 —	Saran
12 —	13 8	6 —	8 —	14 8	14 8	18 —	18 —	15 —	16 —	6 8	7 —	Champanan
20 —	20 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	21 —	21 —	10 —	10 —	5 —	6 8	<b>Bihar, south—</b>
...	...	...	...	15 —	12 12	28 —	27 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	14 2	18 10	19 —	20 —	13 10	12 4	5 —	7 3	Monghyr
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	20 —	...	10 —	10 —	5 —	7 12	Gaya
...	...	12 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	20 —	...	10 —	10 —	5 —	7 12	Patna
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 8	17 —	17 8	9 —	9 —	6 —	8 —	Shahabad
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	5 8	7 —	<b>Chota Nagpur—</b>
...	...	...	...	10 12	11 8	18 —	18 —	8 8	9 —	6 8	8 —	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 4	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	5 —	7 —	Manbhum
24 —	25 —	...	...	12 6	18 8	23 10	23 10	10 2	10 2	5 1	7 14	Ranchi
24 —	24 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	20 —	20 —	7 8	7 8	5 8	7 —	Palamau
...	...	...	...	9 3	9 3	...	...	7 14	7 14	12 —	12 —	Hasaribagh
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 —	14 —	<b>Orissa—</b>
...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	...	...	6 10	7 2	4 8	6 8	Puri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	25 —	7 —	7 8	8 8	10 —	<b>United Provinces—</b>
												<b>(a) AGRA—</b>
												<b>Eastern—</b>
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 8	17 —	16 —	10 —	10 8	4 —	6 —	Mirzapur
...	...	...	...	14 14	14 14	16 12	15 12	9 8	9 8	4 8	9 9	Bonares
...	...	14 14	14 14	15 1	16 —	19 10	19 8	10 14	11 8	5 2	9 10	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	19 2	...	11 8	...	9 9	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	11 —	12 8	6 —	9 4	Allahabad
												<b>Central—</b>
...	...	...	...	12 12	13 4	...	...	10 —	10 —	4 4	10 4	Banda
...	...	...	...	13 4	14 4	...	13 —	12 —	12 8	4 8	9 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	10 4	10 4	4 14	9 —	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	Jaloun
...	...	...	...	12 13	13 3	17 4	17 4	10 8	10 3	6 4	9 4	Cawnpore
...	...	13 —	13 8	11 8	12 —	14 13	15 5	7 13	8 —	...	8 4	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	15 —	15 4	11 —	11 4	5 —	7 —	Etawah
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	17 1	17 12	9 14	10 4	5 1	8 3	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	13 5	18 5	15 —	17 —	11 —	11 —	5 —	8 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	15 —	14 8	10 8	10 8	5 —	6 —	Etah
												<b>Western—</b>
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 8	13 8	13 12	10 —	10 —	6 8	...	Meerut
...	...	...	...	11 —	...	12 19	14 —	7 8	7 8	7 —	9 —	Agra
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 4	16 —	16 —	9 12	9 12	6 —	10 —	Muttra
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 6	15 8	15 8	10 —	9 15	7 8	8 5	Aligarh
...	...	10 —	10 —	11 8	11 8	13 8	14 —	9 8	9 8	6 —	8 —	Balandahahr
												<b>Submontane, east—</b>
...	...	...	...	15 10	16 4	19 8	20 12	10 6	11 —	6 8	10 —	Ballia
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	19 —	19 —	12 —	12 —	4 —	10 8	Amangarh
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	18 —	18 —	10 8	10 12	8 —	10 8	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	15 8	16 —	19 —	19 —	12 8	12 8	4 —	9 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR CHHUR ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Best sort		Common		Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
					Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month				
United Provinces— continued												
(a) AGRA—continued												
<i>Submontane, west—</i>												
Shahjahanpur . . .	9 2	9 12	14 10	15 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	—	13 8	—	12 8	13 —
Budaun . . .	9 5	9 4	13 6	13 10	3 8	3 8	7 —	7 —	13	13 4	10 12	10 14
Pilibit . . .	8 12	9 12	14 —	15 —	4 8	4 4	10 —	10 —	—	—	—	—
Bareilly . . .	9 —	9 3	14 —	14 5	3 12	3 14	8 7	9 1	16 —	15 15	11 14	13 —
Moradabad . . .	9 3	9 5	14 4	14 4	3 12	3 12	9 —	9 —	—	—	—	—
Bijnor . . .	9 4	9 4	14 —	14 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	—	—	—	—
Muzaffarnagar . . .	8 12	9 3	14 4	14 4	6 9	6 9	7 10	8 4	13 2	13 2	11 —	13 2
Saharanpur . . .	8 6	9 1	12 12	13 5	4 8	4 4	7 7	8 —	—	—	11 11	12 12
Dehra-Dun . . .	8 —	8 —	14 —	15 —	2 12	2 12	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
<i>Hills—</i>												
Naini Tal . . .	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
Almora . . .	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	2 12	2 12	6 4	6 4	—	—	—	—
Garhwal . . .	6 4	6 4	10 —	8 —	3 —	3 4	5 —	5 —	—	—	—	—
(b) OUDH—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Partabgarh . . .	9 —	9 12	14 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	11 —	11 —	—	—	12 8	14 8
Sultanpur . . .	9 8	—	15 —	—	—	—	12 —	—	—	—	—	—
Rae-Bareilly . . .	9 12	10 —	14 8	15 —	4 —	4 —	10 6	10 8	16 —	16 8	12 —	15 —
Unao . . .	8 2	8 4	13 4	13 8	4 8	4 8	9 8	8 8	14 12	14 8	12 —	13 —
Lucknow . . .	8 4	9 —	14 —	14 8	4 —	4 —	8 12	9 —	14 —	14 8	12 8	14 8
Hardoi . . .	8 4	9 4	14 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	8 —	—	—	12 —	13 —
<i>Northern—</i>												
Fyzabad* . . .	—	9 12	—	14 —	—	—	—	8 8	—	—	—	11 —
Barabanki . . .	9 9	10 1	14 —	14 —	4 7	4 5	10 6	10 4	16 8	17 —	14 —	15 8
Gonda . . .	9 6	10 —	13 8	13 —	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Bahraich . . .	9 —	10 —	15 8	15 8	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	23 —	24 —	16 8	16 —
Sitapur . . .	9 12	9 12	13 4	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	18 —	14 —
Kheri . . .	8 12	10 —	14 —	15 —	—	3 —	9 —	10 —	15 8	17 —	13 —	16 —
Rajputana—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Mewar (Udaipur) . . .	10 6	10 5	12 4	13 2	5 —	5 —	5 10	5 10	23 13	23 12	14 2	13 12
Ajmer* . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kishangarh . . .	8 —	9 —	12 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	16 —	10 —	15 —
Tonk . . .	7 2	6 9	12 1	12 1	4 6	4 6	6 9	7 10	14 8	15 5	—	—
Jaipur* . . .	—	6 15	—	12 9	—	4 15	—	5 3	—	13 14	—	12 5
Karauli . . .	8 12	10 5	12 8	15 10	6 14	7 8	8 2	9 6	13 12	16 14	12 8	13 12
Dholpur . . .	8 8	9 —	11 15	12 9	4 15	5 —	5 3	5 4	11 13	12 13	11 11	12 10
Bharatpur* . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alwar* . . .	—	9 4	—	13 4	—	5 2	—	6 10	—	16 1	—	13 2
Nasirabad . . .	7 12	8 —	—	—	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	12 4	13 8	11 8	11 8
<i>Western—</i>												
Bikaner* . . .	—	7 4	—	11 4	—	5 —	—	7 —	—	11 8	—	9 8
Jaisalmer* . . .	—	7 —	—	—	—	3 4	—	5 3	—	11 8	—	9 8
Jodhpur* . . .	—	{ 8 10 to 9 12 }	—	{ 13 — to 15 — }	—	5 4	—	6 8	—	13 —	—	{ 11 — and 12 — }
Central India—												
Indore . . .	8 12	8 8	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	7 8	12 4	12 8	10 —	11 —
Neemuch . . .	8 8	9 —	—	—	5 —	5 8	6 —	6 8	12 8	13 —	11 —	11 8
Gwalior . . .	8 —	8 4	—	—	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	—	—	—	—
Delhi—												
Delhi . . .	8 10	8 12	11 12	12 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	13 —	9 12	13 —
Punjab—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Hissar . . .	9 —	9 8	14 —	14 —	—	—	7 —	7 —	—	—	12 8	14 8
Ferozepur . . .	8 —	8 8	10 8	12 8	—	—	6 8	6 8	—	—	—	—
<i>Central—</i>												
Lahore . . .	8 8	8 4	13 —	13 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	12 —	12 —
Gujranwala . . .	9 —	9 2	14 8	15 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	—	—
Gujrat . . .	8 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	11 —	13 —
Jhelam . . .	8 8	8 12	14 —	14 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	—	—	11 8	13 —

\* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARWA OR RASI ( <i>Muscina</i> <i>coronata</i> )		KARONI OR KAKUM, ITALIAN MILLET ( <i>Scleria</i> <i>italica</i> )		GRAM, CHENNA, KADALAY, OR SUKAGA ( <i>Oryza</i> <i>aristinum</i> )		MAHE ( <i>Elaeag</i> )		ABHAR DAI ( <i>Oryza</i> <i>indica</i> )		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	14 —	16 —	13 12	14 —	17 —	17 —	10 —	11 —	5 —	8 8	United Provinces— <i>continued</i>
...	...	11 —	11 8	13 12	14 —	15 —	16 6	8 6	8 8	...	...	
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	10 —	9 —	5 8	...	(a) AGRA— <i>continued</i>
...	...	...	...	13 1	14 1	15 —	16 —	9 12	9 12	6 11	8 6	Submontana, west—
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 4	15 8	15 14	10 12	10 12	7 4	9 12	Shahjahanpur
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	...	...	9 8	9 8	8 —	8 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 1	13 2	13 2	7 10	7 10	6 9	7 10	Filibit
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	13 5	12 12	8 8	8 8	6 6	7 7	Baroli
12 —	10 —	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 —	14 —	8 8	8 8	7 4	9 —	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	11 —	11 —	7 8	7 —	7 —	7 —	Bijnor
10 —	10 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	5 4	7 —	Musaffarnagar
10 —	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	4 —	4 —	Saharanpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dohra-Dun
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Naini Tal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Almora
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Garhwál
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(b) OUDH—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Southern—
18 —	18 —	8 —	8 —	14 8	15 8	17 —	18 —	10 —	11 —	5 —	8 —	Parbhargarh
...	...	...	...	15 4	...	...	...	13 —	...	4 —	...	Sultanpur
21 8	21 —	12 —	13 —	15 4	16 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —	5 8	7 8	Rae-Baroli
...	...	...	...	13 12	14 12	16 8	18 8	10 4	8 4	4 12	8 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 8	17 —	17 8	12 —	12 —	4 —	9 —	Lucknow
...	...	...	...	14 —	15 —	18 —	19 —	10 —	10 —	4 8	8 —	Hardoi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Fyzabad
16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —	17 6	16 8	18 —	19 —	10 10	10 12	5 14	9 6	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	14 —	16 —	20 8	21 —	9 8	9 8	2 —	8 —	Gonda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bahraich
...	24 —	10 8	10 8	15 8	16 —	19 4	21 —	12 —	12 —	4 —	9 8	Sitapur
...	...	16 —	16 —	13 8	15 —	14 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	5 8	8 —	Kheri
20 —	24 —	9 —	10 —	18 —	15 —	16 —	20 —	10 —	10 —	5 —	9 —	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajputana—
...	...	7 8	8 2	12 8	12 8	28 14	28 12	7 8	7 13	10 6	10 10	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	12 8	15 —	...	...	8 —	16 —	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	8 12	9 5	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	Kishanganarh
...	...	...	...	...	11 12 and 11 14	...	13 14	...	11 —	...	11 12	Tonk
...	...	...	15 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	11 4	13 12	13 12	...	...	...	5 5	8 7	Karauli
...	...	8 —	9 —	11 7	12 5 1/2	...	...	9 4 1/2	9 12	6 14	8 10 1/2	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bharatpur
...	...	...	9 12	...	12 12 1/2	...	14 8	...	18 11	...	4 10	Alwar
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	8 8	7 8	9 8	Nasirabad
...	...	...	...	...	10 8	...	...	...	7 8	...	14 8	Western—
...	...	...	...	...	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	23 — and 24 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	...	10 4	...	...	...	5 — to 6 —	...	14 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jodhpur
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	15 —	15 —	7 8	7 8	8 —	10 —	Central India—
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	7 —	9 —	8 —	13 —	Indore
...	...	12 —	14 —	13 —	14 —	...	...	11 —	11 8	5 —	8 —	Neemuch
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gwalior
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	18 —	13 4	11 —	11 —	...	8 14	Delhi—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Delhi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Punjab—
...	...	...	...	12 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	Southern—
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 —	11 —	11 8	5 —	5 —	8 —	10 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ferozepur
...	...	12 —	12 —	10 12	11 —	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	10 —	Central—
...	...	...	...	10 4	...	...	11 4	...	...	8 —	13 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	10 —	11 —	11 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	12 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	10 4	11 —	10 8	11 —	7 —	7 —	9 —	14 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jhelum

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum</i> <i>Sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum</i> <i>vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM ( <i>Andropogon</i> <i>corymbosus</i> )		BAJRA OR GURBU ( <i>Pennisetum</i> <i>typhoides</i> )	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
<b>Punjab—continued</b>												
South-eastern—												
Gurgaon	9 —	9 4	12 8	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 8	12 —	12 8
Rohatki	8 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	14 —	15 —	12 —	13 8
Karnal	8 8	9 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	9 8	...
Submontane—												
Ambala	8 8	8 8	11 4	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	15 8	15 12	13 —	13 —
Ludhiana	8 8	3 8	12 8	14 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	18 8	18 2	12 —	13 —
Jullundur	8 4	9 4	13 8	14 —	...	...	6 12	7 —	14 —	14 —	10 —	11 —
Hoshiarpur	8 8	9 4	9 8	13 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	11 —	...	12 —	13 —
Gurdaspur	9 —	9 8	10 8	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 8	10 8	...	...
Amritsar	8 8	9 —	11 12	12 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 —	15 —	11 12	11 8
Shikot	9 —	9 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Simla	6 8	7 4	0 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 4	7 8	9 —	8 4	9 4
Kangra	9 —	9 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Rawalpindi	8 8	8 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	13 12	12 —	12 8
Attock	8 8	9 8	13 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	11 8	13 —
Western—												
Shahpur	8 7	0 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	13 8	14 8
Jhang	8 8	9 8	13 —	13 5	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —
Lyallpur	8 4	9 —	12 —	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	8 2	9 10	12 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	9 —	11 8	12 8	10 9	11 4
Montgomery	8 8	9 13	11 —	11 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Muzaffargarh	9 —	9 12	12 8	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	7 14	8 7	11 8	12 8	...	...	7 4	8 8	10 —	10 10	10 8	11 2
<b>N. W. F. Province—</b>												
Hasara	8 10	8 10	15 —	15 —	3 9	3 9	8 9	8 9	...	...	10 —	10 —
Peshawar	8 13	9 2	15 —	15 10	5 3	5 3	7 3	7 3	...	...	13 —	13 11
Kohat	8 6	8 14	14 10	15 1	3 13	3 13	8 —	8 —	...	...	15 5	15 1
Banna	9 14	10 5	16 4	16 14	4 6	4 6	8 2	8 7	16 4	16 4	12 8	14 1
Dera Ismail Khan	9 1	9 6	13 2	12 8	3 7	3 7	6 8	6 8	14 —	15 4	13 2	16 4
Tochi	10 12	10 12	15 —	16 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 8	6 12	6 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	10 —	10 —	17 —	17 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 11	7 8	11 8	12 —	2 15	2 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>												
Karachi	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	11 —	11 —	9 —	10 —
Hyderabad	6 4	7 —	...	...	6 —	5 8	6 2	6 8	10 —	11 —	9 8	9 —
Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	12 —	14 —	10 8	12 —
Shikarpur	7 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	12 —	13 —
Upper Sind Frontier	7 —	7 4	...	...	5 4	5 12	5 8	6 —	10 8	13 —	11 —	13 —
Quetta	...	...	9 14	10 —	3 2	3 2	6 4	6 8	11 10	11 12	10 9	10 13
<b>Bombay—</b>												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 5	6 5	...	...	5 9	5 9	7 4	7 4	9 10	9 2	...	...
Ratnagiri	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 3	7 3	10 11	8 11	8 13	8 13
Alibag	6 7	6 7	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 6	6 15	...	...	9 4	9 4
Bombay	5 12	5 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	7 10	8 —	7 —	7 10
Thana	7 2	7 2	...	...	5 9	5 9	6 7	6 7	10 1	10 8	8 —	8 14
Deccan and Karnatak—												
Dharwar	7 15	8 6	...	...	5 6	5 6	5 13	5 13	10 6	10 13	8 15	8 15
Belgaum	7 15	7 11	...	...	6 3	5 15	7 1	6 8	10 14	10 6	11 15	11 7
Satara	5 14	5 14	...	...	4 13	4 18	5 14	5 14	9 13	9 13	10 10	10 5
Sholapur	7 11	7 11	...	...	6 —	6 7	7 —	7 7	11 —	11 7	10 10	10 10
Bijapur	9 4	9 4	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 5	7 5	12 —	12 —	...	...
Poona	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	6 11	6 11	10 8	10 8	9 —	9 —
Chandesh and N. E.												
Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	7 4	7 10	...	...	6 2	6 2	6 14	6 14	10 1	12 3	9 2	9 13
Nasik	7 12	8 2	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	8 11	8 11
Dhule	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 7	7 7	10 8	12 4	10 2	11 15
Jalgaon	7 2	6 10	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	11 6	11 13	9 10	10 1
Gujarat—												
Surat	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 3	4 3	6 15	6 15	9 4	9 4	9 11	9 11
Broach	6 8	7 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 8	9 —	9 —
Kaira	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	13 8	13 6	10 —	10 —
Haroda	6 8	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 —
Ahmedabad	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	8 —	8 —
Godhra	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	8 8	8 8
Dasa	7 6	7 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 —	5 —	11 —	13 —	9 —	10 12
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	7 8	7 8	...	...	3 —	3 —	4 —	4 —	11 8	11 8	8 8	8 8
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
Nimar	7 2	7 2	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 6	7 6	11 6	11 6	...	...
Hoshangabad	7 13	8 13	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	11 11	11 11	...	...
Betal	8 5	8 15	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 2	7 2	11 5	11 14	...	...
Chhindwara	8 12	8 12	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	10 11	10 11	...	...
Nagpur	8 5	8 5	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 7	8 7	10 11	10 11	...	...
Wardha	8 2	8 2	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	12 2	11 8	...	...

\*Relates to Khadwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

RAGI OR KARVA (Eleusine coracana)		KANKANI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN WHEAT (Triticum italica)		GRAV, CHENNA, KADALAY, OR SUBASA (Oryza sativum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ANJAN DAL (Cajanus Indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 8	12 —	12 —	9 —	9 —	6 —	9 8	Punjab—continued
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	5 8	8 —	South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	12 12	14 —	8 —	8 —	6 —	8 —	Gurgaon
17 4	17 —	9 12	9 12	10 12	12 —	13 —	13 8	8 4	8 4	9 12	11 —	Rohtak
...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	12 8	15 —	9 —	9 —	9 —	11 —	Karnal
...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	11 8	11 —	12 —	...	...	9 4	11 4	Submontane—
...	...	...	...	10 —	11 —	12 —	13 —	...	...	8 8	11 —	Ambala
...	...	10 —	10 —	9 8	10 —	11 8	12 3	...	...	8 —	12 —	Ludhiana
...	...	12 8	12 8	10 4	10 12	11 12	11 8	7 8	8 8	9 —	12 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	11 —	12 —	...	...	11 —	12 —	Hoshiarpur
...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	10 —	10 12	6 4	6 4	6 —	7 8	Gurdaspur
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 8	12 8	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 12	12 —	11 12	6 —	8 —	8 12	13 —	Shikot
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	11 8	12 8	5 4	5 4	9 —	13 —	Hills—
...	...	...	...	11 15	12 8	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	10 —	13 —	Simla
14 8	14 8	11 8	11 8	10 8	11 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	11 —	Kangra
...	...	...	...	10 —	11 8	...	...	7 —	8 —	8 8	12 —	Northern—
...	...	13 —	13 —	9 14	11 —	10 8	11 12	...	7 12	8 —	11 8	Rawalpindi
...	...	...	...	10 6	11 10	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	Attock
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 4	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Western—
...	...	...	...	9 12	10 4	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 12	Shahpur
...	...	8 8	8 8	9 —	9 14	14 8	14 8	...	...	9 8	13 —	Jhang
...	...	13 —	13 8	10 15	11 11	12 6	13 —	9 2	9 13	18 8	19 18	Lyalpur
...	...	11 —	11 —	10 10	11 10	12 6	12 6	...	...	16 —	20 8	Multan
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	14 9	15 15	...	...	16 14	22 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 9	...	...	...	...	18 12	18 12	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	...	...	16 —	16 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	17 —	17 —	...	...	10 —	13 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	...	...	...	...	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wano
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	11 —	20 —	N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	...	...	8 8	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	16 —	Hazara
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...	18 —	16 —	Peshawar
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 4	Kohat
...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Bannu
...	...	...	...	8 15	9 5	8 7	8 7	...	...	16 —	16 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	to 9 7	to 9 7	...	...	...	...	Tochi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kurram
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wano
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karachi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Thar and Parkar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Konkan—
12 8	12 8	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	6 4	6 4	11 14	11 14	Karwar
10 12	10 12	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	5 6	5 6	10 10	10 10	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	6 5	6 5	11 8	10 6	Ahmadnagar
8 6	8 6	...	...	7 3	7 3	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 3	10 13	Bombay
11 —	11 —	...	...	9 —	9 14	...	...	6 8	6 3	12 9	15 12	Thana
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 15	...	...	5 10	5 10	10 8	10 8	Deccan and Karnatak—
14 8	15 9	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	6 —	5 8	11 —	11 —	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 13	6 13	8 11	8 11	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	8 11	10 8	...	...	6 11	6 11	10 8	10 12	Satara
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 2	6 2	12 5	12 5	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 14	6 14	11 6	11 6	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	6 14	6 14	9 6	9 6	Khandesh and N.-E.
12 10	12 10	...	...	10 1	9 11	...	...	7 4	7 4	11 15	10 10	Deccan—
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	7 7	7 7	8 7	9 7	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 9	6 9	10 8	10 8	Nasik
...	...	...	...	8 13	9 4	...	...	5 9	5 9	12 14	12 14	Dhule
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 5	12 5	Jalgaon
15 8	15 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	20 —	20 —	Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 —	8 —	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	22 —	22 —	Broach
15 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 8	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	8 8	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	16 —	10 12	Baroda
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	80 —	80 —	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	7 15	7 15	7 14	8 12	Godhra
...	...	...	...	10 6	9 6	...	...	9 2	9 2	5 6	8 —	Dia
...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 4	6 6	6 8	8 —	Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	10 2	9 8	...	...	7 15	7 15	6 —	8 —	Rajkot
...	...	...	...	10 —	11 —	...	...	7 14	7 14	8 11	8 11	Central Provinces—
...	...	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	8 6	8 6	9 —	8 —	Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nimar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Betul
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wardha



TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER, 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT ( <i>Triticum sativum</i> )		BARLEY ( <i>Hordeum vulgare</i> )		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUK ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR OUNKHU ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half-month
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
<i>continued</i>												
<b>Central—</b>												
Narsinghpur . . . . .	8 8	9 2	...	...	4 4	4 4	7 1	7 1	12 15	15 1	...	...
Saugor . . . . .	8 —	7 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 —	9 —	12 —	...	...	...
Damoh . . . . .	9 2	9 2	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 11	9 11	...	...	...	...
Jubbulpore . . . . .	7 14	7 14	...	...	5 4	5 —	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla . . . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni . . . . .	8 8	9 8	...	...	7 —	6 —	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Balaghat . . . . .	8 8	9 9	...	...	5 11	5 11	12 10	11 3	...	...	...	...
Bhandara . . . . .	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 11	13 8	12 4	...	...
Chanda . . . . .	8 11	8 5	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	11 14	11 14	...	...
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Bilaspur . . . . .	9 2	9 2	...	...	9 2	9 14	10 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur . . . . .	10 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Drug . . . . .	9 11	10 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 13	10 15	...	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>												
Buldana . . . . .	8 2	8 7	...	...	4 15	4 15	7 —	7 —	13 6	11 14	...	...
Akola . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 11	4 11	8 3	8 3	12 3	12 3	...	...
Amritoti . . . . .	8 1	8 1	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	11 8	11 8	...	...
Yotmal . . . . .	8 4	8 4	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 —	...	...
<b>Hyderabad—</b>												
Secunderabad . . . . .	6 1	5 15	...	...	4 8	3 8	8 4	8 3	9 5	9 6	10 8	10 5
<b>Madras—</b>												
<b>Malabar Coast—</b>												
Malabar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	...	...	...	...
<b>South, central—</b>												
Coimbatore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	...	...
Nilgiris . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 6	...	...	...	...
Salem . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	10 9	11 —	9 15	10 4
<b>Central—</b>												
Bellary . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	6 10	...	...	...	...
Anantapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	13 8	13 8	...	...
Cuddapah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	11 —	...	...
Karnul . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	10 8	10 8	...	...
<b>East Coast, north—</b>												
Ganjam . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 9	...	...	...	...
Visagapatnam . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godavari . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 1	...	...	19 —	19 —
<b>East Coast, central—</b>												
Kistna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	8 16	8 10	...	...
Guntur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 —	10 8	12 —	12 —	12 —
Nellore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	11 5	11 7	...	...
<b>East Coast, south—</b>												
Madras . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 15	6 15	...	...	...	...
Chingleput . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 5	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	12 11	12 5
Tanjore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	...	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	12 5	11 6	11 10	11 10
<b>Southern—</b>												
Tinnevely . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	7 —	9 7	9 7	8 15	8 15
Madura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 12	9 12	8 9	8 9
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore . . . . .	6 8	6 8	4 12	4 12	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	11 12	12 8	...	...
Bangalore . . . . .	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
<b>Coorg—</b>												
Coorg . . . . .	5 12	5 7	4 8	4 3	5 8	6 —	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
<b>Aden . . . . .</b>												
Aden . . . . .	4 5	4 5	...	...	3 6	3 6	4 3	4 3	6 9	6 9	4 12	4 12





**WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA**

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**RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA  
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Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pesay)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0		
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9		
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0		
	Lyalpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0		
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0		
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0		
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6		
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6		
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0		
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5		
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 3		
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0		
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0		
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0		
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1		
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3		
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1		
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11		
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1		
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5		
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7		
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6		
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0		
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...		
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7		
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0		
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0		
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0		
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0		
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4		
Bengal	Dacca	4 3 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0		
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9		
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5		
Index Numbers (a).		100	100	102	103	104	105		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above, which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs.

Fortnight ending

31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	29th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	-5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 8 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7	4 15 2
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 3 6
4 3 8	4 11 8	4 18 6	4 11 3	4 18 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0	4 6 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0	4 8 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0	5 4 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0	5 0 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10	4 15 3
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2	4 8 8
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	4 9 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 8	6 2 6	4 8 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0	4 5 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4	4 11 3
5 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3	4 9 2
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 5 3
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7	4 5 0
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4	4 8 2
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 9 7	5 3 2	3 14 5	4 0 0
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5	4 6 0
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10	4 8 7
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2	5 2 0
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2	5 7 10
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6	4 1 1
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 14 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 8	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6	3 3 5
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0	4 6 6
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6	4 11 3
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 12 5
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0	4 11 3
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121	114

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Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9		
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessey).	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...	...	...		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0		
Punjab	Lahore	4 8 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3		
	Ferozepur	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3		
	Lyallpur	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0		
	Amritsar	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3		
	Multan	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6		
	Rawalpindi	1 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0		
	Ambala	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0		
Delhi	Delhi	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6		
United Provinces	Benares	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4		
	Aligarh (Hathras).	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9		
	Cawnpore	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6		
	Meerut	1 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6		
	Shahjahanpur	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0		
	Agra	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0		
	Fyzabad	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6		
Lucknow	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1			
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0		
	Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 6		
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10		
	Akola	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7		
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2		
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1		
Bombay	Poona	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1		
	Ahmednagar	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9		
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0		
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3		
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0		
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0		
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0		
	Ranchi	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0		
	Cuttack	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3		
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0		
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 5 5	5 5 5	5 5 5	5 5 5	5 5 5	5 5 5	5 5 5	5 5 5		
	Mandalay	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7		
	(Median Average).	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9		
Index Numbers (a)		100	103	104	104	106	107	108	114		

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

## India per maund of 82½ lbs—contd.

Fortnight ending											
31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9
5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6
4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0
4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3
4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0
4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 8	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6
4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0
4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0
4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0
4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9
4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2
4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0
4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0
4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6
4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8
4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 8	4 13 6
4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2
4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1
4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5
3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8
4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6
...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0
4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...
5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0
3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0
4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2
4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10
111	114	116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117	117	114



A.—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 8 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 7 6	
Punjab	Lahore	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	
	Ferozepur	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	
	Lyallpur	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	
	Amritsar	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	
	Multan	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	
	Rawalpindi	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	
Delhi	Ambala	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	
	Delhi	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	
United Provinces	Benares	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	
	Aligarh (Hathras)	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	
	Cawnpore	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	
	Meerut	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	
	Shahjahanpur	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	
	Agra	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	
	Fyzabad	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	
Central Provinces and Berar.	Lucknow	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	
	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	
	Jubbulpore	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	
	Raipur	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	
	Peshawar	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	
Bombay	Poona	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 5 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	
	Ahmednagar	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	
	Ahmedabad	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	
	Bhagalpur	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
	Ranchi	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	
	Cuttack	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
	Mandalay	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	
	(Median Average)	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	
	Index Numbers(a).	113	101	95	92	92	92	92	92	90	

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.  
(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

India per maund of 82½ lbs - contd.

FORTHWEST ENDING													
15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 0 34	3 8 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	
4 8 74	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	
4 2 64	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	
3 7 63	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	
3 5 33	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	
3 6 63	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	
3 6 03	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	
3 4 03	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	
3 13 03	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	
3 6 03	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	
3 10 03	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	
3 15 53	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	
3 14 63	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	
4 0 04	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	
3 10 33	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	
3 9 33	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	
4 3 44	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	
3 14 63	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 9 0	
3 12 113	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	
3 13 23	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	
3 8 113	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	
3 10 53	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	
4 1 13	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	
3 12 113	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	
4 6 04	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	
4 0 54	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	
...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	
4 8 04	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	
3 1 103	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	...	3 11 11	3 4 10	
3 10 03	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	
3 13 63	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	
4 0 04	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
4 4 04	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	
3 12 113	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	
5 0 05	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	
7 3 17	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
4 14 95	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	
3 13 43	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	
93	92	94	97	97	95	94	94	97	110	108	107	110	

## A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

		FOETNIGHT ENDING									
Port or province.	District.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	4 13 3	4 13 3	4 5 3	4 7 3	
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	4 10 11	4 9 10	4 10 7	4 11 8	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 8 0	
Punjab	Lahore	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	3 13 0	3 14 3	
	Ferozepur	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 10 3	3 11 6	
	Lyallpur	4 4 6	4 2 0	1 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	3 11 0	3 12 0	
	Amritsar	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	1 1 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	
	Multan	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 12 0	
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	
	Ambala	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	
Delhi	Delhi	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 15 3	
United Provinces	Benares	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 5 10	4 5 0	4 3 1	4 3 1	4 1 2	4 2 10	
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 11 5	3 14 4	
	Cawnpore	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	
	Meerut	4 9 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	4 1 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	
	Shahjahanpur	1 6 0	1 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	1 1 9	3 12 0	3 8 3	3 9 0	3 11 0	
	Agra	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 9 1	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 7 1	
	Fyzabad	1 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	
	Lucknow	1 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 0	4 3 4	
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 6	4 1 11	3 13 2	4 0 4	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 1 11	
	Jubbulpore	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	1 5 2	4 1 8	3 13 6	3 10 2	3 11 6	
	Raipur	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	
	Akola	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	3 7 6	3 10 11	3 3 7	3 11 11	
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	1 8 7	4 10 2	4 2 14	4 2 10	4 2 11	
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	
Bombay	Poona	4 10 5	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	...	4 10 5	4 9 4	4 14 11	...	
	Ahmednagar	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	3 15 5	3 13 7	3 12 8	4 0 5	
	Ahmedabad	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	3 9 4	3 2 6	3 7 11	3 6 1	
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	
	Bhagalpur	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	
	Muzaffarpur	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 5 3	3 5 3	
	Ranchi	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	
	Cuttack	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 1 3	4 1 3	
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	
	Mandalay	1 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 7 8	3 3 5	
(Median Average)		4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 0 8	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	
Index Numbers (b)		107	106	106	106	104	98	97	92	94	

\* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Prices at ports after 30th November, 1917, are as follows—

Ports	Rate per	On 7th December 1917.	On 14th December 1917.	On 21st December 1917.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maud	5 3 9	5 3 9	...
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	"	5 0 10	5 0 10	...
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	5 5 0	5 2 0	5 3 6

(b) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100

India per maund of 82½ lbs—consolid.

FORTNIGHT ENDING												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th November 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	31st October 1917.	15th November 1917.	30th November 1917.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	A. P.	Per cent
4 7 3	4 7 3	4 7 9	4 10 9	4 8 3	4 9 3	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 12 3	4 14 3	5 2 3	5 6 4	+5
4 12 11	4 15 4	4 14 7	4 13 2	...	4 6 6	4 10 7	4 11 8	4 12 5	5 2 3	4 15 6	5 1 7	+3
4 7 0	4 8 6	4 8 6	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	5 6 0	+15
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 9	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 3	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	—3
3 12 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	+6
3 11 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 6 0	4 11 0	+7
3 11 6	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 18 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 4 3	4 5 3	1 8 0	+4
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 12 0	+17
4 5 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 9 2	4 11 0	+3
3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 0	4 0 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	1 8 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	Nil
4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 3	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	+4
4 2 10	4 8 5	4 3 5	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	4 1 7	4 3 5	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 5 5	+2
3 14 5	3 14 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 9	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 9 5	+6
3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	1 5 0	4 7 0	+3
4 1 6	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 9	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 12 11	3 14 5	4 0 0	4 5 2	4 11 4	+9
3 11 0	3 11 3	3 11 6	3 12 6	3 11 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	1 1 0	4 4 3	+5
4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	...	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 0 0	+6
4 1 6	...	...	4 3 4	4 2 0	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	...	4 1 0	4 0 0	...	...
4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	1 5 2	4 11 3	+9
4 1 11	4 1 11	1 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 1 10	4 3 2	4 3 2	4 3 2	5 11 4	1 11 4	4 11 4	Nil
3 15 2	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 10 10	4 0 0	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 14 10	4 14 10	Nil
3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 11 2	+6
4 3 6	4 8 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 7 11	...	...	...	...
4 2 1	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 5 8	4 8 0	+3
4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	4 13 6	4 12 10	4 14 6	5 0 6	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 1 6	5 4 0	+3
4 13 9	5 3 4	5 4 5	5 4 5	5 2 2	5 4 5	5 8 4	5 2 2	5 13 4	5 15 7	5 8 11	...	...
4 2 2	4 4 1	4 7 9	1 5 11	4 6 10	4 11 5	4 6 10	4 15 1	5 2 9	4 9 7	4 13 3	1 15 1	+2
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 5 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	Nil
3 11 8	3 11 8	3 11 8	1 1 7	4 1 8	4 1 8	3 11 8	4 8 11	4 6 0	4 5 1	4 1 8	...	...
3 5 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	3 12 0	—5
3 12 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	1 8 0	+3
3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Nil
4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	1 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	1 8 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	+7
4 1 3	4 1 4	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 4 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	5 1 3	+17
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	5 2 0	+8
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	Nil
3 8 7	3 14 1	3 14 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	1 13 7	4 10 2	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	4 4 3	Nil
4 1 6	4 0 2	4 0 11	4 2 10	4 1 10	4 1 10	4 2 10	4 3 3	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 6 6	4 11 3	+7
99	97	98	101	99	99	101	102	104	104	106	114	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 30th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th November	30th November	Increase or Decrease.	15th November	30th November	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . . . .	100	107	+7	100	114	+14
Punjab . . . . .	100	106	+6	100	113	+13
United Provinces . . . . .	100	106	+6	100	114	+14
Central Provinces and Berar . . . . .	100	100	Nil	100	119	+19

## B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING					
		31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moul- mein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING											
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	29th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0 5 14 7 8	7 8 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 14	7 0 5 14 6 5	7 0 5 8 ...	7 0 5 8 ...	6 8 4 14 ...	6 6 5 3 ...	7 8 5 3 ...	7 8 5 8 ...	7 8 5 14 ...
9 4 9 4 10 0 10 4 9 8 9 8 9 12	8 4 8 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 12	8 0 8 4 8 12 9 4 8 4 8 12 7 6	8 4 8 8 9 0 9 6 9 0 9 0 8 0	8 0 8 8 8 8 9 0 8 4 8 4 8 0	8 0 8 2 8 10 8 14 8 4 8 0 7 12	7 8 7 12 8 2 8 0 7 4 7 12 7 6	6 8 6 12 7 2 7 4 6 10 7 0 6 8	7 4 8 0 7 4 8 8 8 0 7 0 6 8	7 8 7 12 8 0 8 8 8 4 8 8 7 0	7 12 7 12 7 12 9 0 8 4 8 12 6 8	8 0 8 0 7 14 8 12 8 8 9 0 7 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0	7 12
8 8 8 4 8 8 8 0 8 8 8 12 9 8 9 8	8 6 7 8 8 0 7 0 7 12 7 4 8 8 8 12	8 14 7 4 7 8 6 8 7 8 7 4 8 0 7 14	7 9 7 4 8 0 7 0 7 0 7 0 8 2 7 12	7 7 7 4 7 12 7 0 7 0 7 0 7 14 7 12	7 3 7 0 7 0 6 12 6 12 7 0 7 0 7 2	7 1 6 12 6 8 6 8 7 0 7 0 7 4 7 0	5 9 6 0 5 12 5 12 6 4 6 12 6 12 6 4	6 6 6 8 6 8 5 12 6 4 6 0 6 12 6 6	6 12 6 12 7 4 7 0 7 14 6 0 6 4 8 5	7 5 7 12 6 4 6 0 8 0 5 14 7 4 8 2	7 12 8 8 8 4 8 0 9 0 8 2 8 12 8 8
8 4 8 8 9 8 7 6	8 5 8 0 8 0 7 6	8 5 8 0 7 4 7 6	8 3 7 8 7 8 7 6	8 4 7 8 7 8 6 5	7 0 7 0 7 0 5 4	6 6 6 8 6 0 5 6	6 6 6 0 6 0 6 5	7 11 6 8 6 0 6 5	8 4 6 8 7 8 7 6	8 15 8 4 10 0 7 6	8 15 8 8 9 12 8 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 18	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2	8 7
9 13	9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10 1/2	8 2 1/2	7 4 1/2	7 1	7 8 1/2	7 13
6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	6 13 8 2 7 8 8 2	6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	6 8 8 2 6 8 8 2	6 8 5 14 6 8 8 2	5 9 5 14 6 8 8 2	5 9 5 14 6 0 8 2	5 9 6 10 6 0 8 2	6 13 7 6 6 8 9 9	6 13 8 2 7 0 9 9	7 2 8 2 7 8 10 0	6 13 8 2 8 0 10 8
10 0 9 0 8 8 8 0 7 14	9 0 8 4 8 0 7 8 7 8	9 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	8 8 7 8 8 0 8 0 7 3	7 8 7 8 7 0 6 12 7 3	7 2 7 0 6 8 6 4 7 3	7 0 8 4 6 0 6 4 7 3	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 8 6 4 6 0 5 8 5 14	6 13 6 14 5 8 6 4 6 9	7 8 8 4 5 8 8 0 6 9	8 12 8 12 7 8 8 4 8 8
7 8 9 8 9 8	7 4 9 8 9 8	7 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 9 8 9 0	6 0 8 8 7 8	... ... ...	... ... ...	... ... ...	... ... ...	... ... ...	... ... ...	... ... ...
6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 7 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 8	6 13 6 14	6 13 7 5	5 10 7 12	5 10 8 0
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12	8 4
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123	116

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING							
		30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi . . .	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay* . . .	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore . . .	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4	8 4
	Ferozepur . . .	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 0
	Amritsar . . .	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 0
	Rawalpindi . . .	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Lyallpur . . .	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8	9 0
	Multan . . .	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0
	Ambala . . .	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12	8 8
Delhi	Delhi . . .	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares . . .	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4
	Cawnpore . . .	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Meerut . . .	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12	8 0
	Agra . . .	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 12
	Lucknow . . .	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh . . .	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4	8 12
	Shahjahanpur . . .	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10	9 0
	Fyzabad . . .	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur . . .	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12	8 2
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Balpur . . .	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 0
	Akola . . .	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7	9 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . . .	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7	8 14
Baluchistan	Quetta . . .	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2	9 13½
Bombay	Poona . . .	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar . . .	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2
	Ahmedabad . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8
	Dharwar . . .	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6	10 6
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna . . .	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Bhagalpur . . .	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	9 14	8 12	8 4
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 8
	Ranchi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
	Outtaek . . .	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay . . .	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
(Median Average) .		8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 4
Index Numbers(a) .		112	106	106	108	109	112	112	114

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100.  
\* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—contd. [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

## FOURTIH ENDING

31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 12
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 4
9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8
8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 12
9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10	10 4
8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4
8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
7 15	8 4	7 15	7 18	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 15
8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0
8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 4
8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14	8 0
8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0	9 0
9 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12
8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12	8 8
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7	8 7
9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½
7 7	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 12	7 13
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14	8 14
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8
10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4
8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 0
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 8	7 12	7 5
8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 2
116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	118



## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING								
		29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port . . .	Karachi . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8
	Bombay* . . .	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab . . .	Lahore . . .	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4
	Ferozapore . . .	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12
	Amritsar . . .	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4
	Rawalpindi . . .	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12
	Lyallpur . . .	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8
	Multan . . .	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4
	Ambala . . .	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0
United Provinces . . .	Benares . . .	8 4	8 12	9 1	9 8	8 15	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12
	Cawnpore . . .	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8
	Meerut . . .	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8
	Agra . . .	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4
	Lucknow . . .	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Aligarh . . .	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4
	Shahjahanpur . . .	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8
	Fyzabad . . .	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	10 4	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur . . .	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3 <sup>a</sup>
	Jubbulpore . . .	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8
	Raipur . . .	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
	Akola . . .	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . . .	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan . . .	Quetta . . .	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1	9 1	9 0½	9 0	9 0
Bombay . . .	Poona . . .	7 12	7 12	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar . . .	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad . . .	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar . . .	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa . . .	Patna . . .	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Bhagalpur . . .	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12
	Muzaffarpur . . .	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Ranchi . . .	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8
	Cuttack . . .	7 14	7 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 8
Burma . . .	Amherst (Moulmein) . . .	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay . . .	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12
(Median Average) .		8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
Index Numbers (a)		116	106	96	96	96	93	96	96	93

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, which is taken as 100  
<sup>a</sup> Related to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—contd. [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FOURTEENTH ENDING												
15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12
11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4
11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1
10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14	8 6	8 14	8 14	8 14
11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12
11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0
11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8
9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	9 8	7 15	7 15	8 4
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8
10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 8
9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0
10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8
10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4
11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0
10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6
10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9
11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8
10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0
9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2
9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6½	8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15½	7 11	7 8	7 8
9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8
11 5	11 5	11 8	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5
10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8
10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8
9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8
10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	7 14	7 14	7 14
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9
10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8
94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	96	112	112	111	112

## B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	29th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	31st May 1917.	
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	
Port	Karachi	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	
	Bombay*	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Punjab	Lahore	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 0	
	Ferozepore	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 12	10 8	
	Amritsar	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	9 14	9 12	11 2	10 6	
	Rawalpindi	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	
	Lyallpur	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	9 12	9 8	10 8	10 4	
	Multan	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 8	10 12	10 8	
Delhi	Ambala	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	9 12	9 10	10 8	10 8	
	Delhi	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4	9 12	9 12	
United Provinces	Banares	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 12	9 1	9 1	9 10	9 8	9 8	
	Cawnpore	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	10 4	9 12	9 12	
	Meerut	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	9 8	10 4	10 8	10 0	
	Agra	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	8 4	9 8	8 8	8 12	
	Lucknow	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 4	
	Aligarh	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	10 12	11 4	11 4	10 12	
	Shahjahanpur	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	11 4	11 4	11 0	
Central Provinces and Berar.	Fyzabad	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	
	Nagpur	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	9 9	10 3	10 8	9 9	
	Jubbulpore	8 12	9 2	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 12	10 8	
	Raipur	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	10 2	11 0	11 0	11 0	
North-West Frontier Province.	Akola	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	10 12	9 11	10 9	9 7	
	Peshawar	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	8 9	9 10	9 7	9 7	
Baluchistan	Quetta	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	
Bombay	Poona	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 12	7 12	
	Ahmednagar	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	
	Ahmedabad	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	
	Dharwar	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	10 11	10 11	10 11	10 11	
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	
	Bhagalpur	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	10 8	10 12	11 3	11 3	
	Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	12 0	12 0	
	Ranchi	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	8 4	8 14	8 14	
	Cuttack	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	9 3	9 8	9 12	9 12	
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	
	Mandalay	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 12	11 5	
(Median Average)		8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 3	9 8	9 10	10 4	9 14	
Index Numbers (a)		111	109	108	108	104	101	99	98	97	

(a) Based on the price for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1916, which is taken as 100

\* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—*continued*. (The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.)

Fortnight ending												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th November 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th June 1917.	30th June 1917.	15th July 1917.	31st July 1917.	15th August 1917.	31st August 1917.	15th September 1917.	30th September 1917.	15th October 1917.	31st October 1917.	15th November 1917.	30th November 1917.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent.
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	<i>Nil</i>
7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 6	6 6	5 12	5 12	<i>Nil</i>
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	8 8	8 4	8 8	-3
10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	8 0	+6
10 4	10 3	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 7	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	+6
9 4	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	<i>Nil</i>
10 8	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	8 4	+9
10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 10	8 2	+18
10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 4	8 8	8 8	<i>Nil</i>
9 10	9 12	9 12	9 7	9 8	9 8	9 6	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 10	+1
9 8	9 1	9 1	9 1	9 3	9 14	9 4	9 6	9 2	8 15	8 15	8 13	+1
9 4	9 4	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	+3
9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 0	8 4	+9
8 12	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	8 8	...	8 1	8 0	7 8	+7
9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 4	+9
10 8	10 7	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 12	10 6	9 8	9 4	9 8	-3
10 12	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 10	10 8	10 8	10 4	10 4	9 14	9 12	9 2	+7
9 8	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 10	9 10	10 2	9 12	9 8	9 12	...	...
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 15	8 5	8 5	8 5	<i>Nil</i>
9 14	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 10	9 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	7 14	7 14	<i>Nil</i>
11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	+10
8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	7 18	...	...	...	...
9 10	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 14	9 9	9 9	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 2	8 13	+4
8 3	8 3	8 3	8 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7 13	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	<i>Nil</i>
8 11	8 11	8 11	8 11	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 4	+5
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	<i>Nil</i>
9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	8 0	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 6	8 6	7 15	+6
12 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	<i>Nil</i>
10 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	8 12	+3
11 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	<i>Nil</i>
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 0	+11
9 13	9 13	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	7 14	+17
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	<i>Nil</i>
10 5	9 9	9 9	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 14	8 14	<i>Nil</i>
9 9	9 8	9 8	9 5	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 0	8 12	8 4	+6
100	100	100	108	108	100	103	103	105	106	109	115	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending the 30th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th November	30th November	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	15th November	30th November	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . . .	100	106	+6	100	115	+15
Punjab . . . .	100	100	<i>Nil</i>	100	114	+14
United Provinces . . . .	100	106	+6	100	1	+ 12
Central Provinces and Berar . . . .	100	100	<i>Nil</i>	100		+11

## DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

## Joint Stock Companies.

OCTOBER, 1917.

Table 1.

Abstract Statement of Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of October, 1917.

Classification of Companies	Number of Companies	Aggregate authorised capital
		Rs. (1,000)
Banking and Loan . . . . .	2	2,00
Printing, Publishing, and Stationery . . . . .	1	20
Trading other than Printing, Publishing, and Stationery . . . . .	7	12,80
Cotton Mills . . . . .	1	35,00
Mills and Presses other than Cotton Mills . . . . .	1	1,60
Tea Planting . . . . .	5	9,20
Coal Mining . . . . .	1	2,50
Mining and Quarrying other than Coal . . . . .	1	10,00
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>19</b>	<b>73,30</b>

Table 2.

Abstract Statement of Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the seven months, April to October, 1917, as compared with those in the corresponding months of the preceding year.

Classification of Companies	1916 (April to October)		1917 (April to October)	
	Number of Companies	Aggregate authorised capital	Number of Companies	Aggregate authorised capital
		Rs. (1,000)		Rs. (1,000)
Banking and Loan . . . . .	16	68,10	22	21,15
Insurance . . . . .	1	1,00	...	...
Railways and Tramways . . . . .	1	24,00	3	28,00
Shipping, Landing, and Warehousing . . . . .	...	..	1	5,00
Co-operative Association . . . . .	..	...	1	2,50
Printing, Publishing, and Stationery . . . . .	3	5,00	9	4,10
Trading other than Railways, Shipping, Co-operative Association, Printing, etc. . . . .	26	3,65,44	49	1,39,12
Cotton Mills . . . . .	3	68,00	1	35,00
Jute Mills . . . . .	4	2,18,50	...	...
Mill for wool, silk, hemp, etc. . . . .	...	...	1	1,00
Cotton and Jute Screws and Presses . . . . .	...	...	1	2,00
Paper Mill . . . . .	...	...	1	2,00
Rice Mills . . . . .	1	75	2	1,70
Flour Mill . . . . .	1	8,00	...	...
Other Mills and Presses . . . . .	1	20,00	2	16,60
Tea Planting . . . . .	12	32,40	20	44,13
Coffee and Cinchona . . . . .	...	...	1	3,00
Planting other than tea, coffee, and cinchona . . . . .	2	15,00	4	5,48
Coal Mining . . . . .	4	25,20	6	16,50
Mining and Quarrying other than Coal . . . . .	3	1,02	5	56,50
Land and Building . . . . .	1	50	1	1,07
Brewery . . . . .	...	...	1	6,88
Ice Manufacturing . . . . .	...	...	1	60
Companies other than those specified above . . . . .	1	45,00	6	32,35
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>80</b>	<b>8,97,91</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>4,24,61</b>

Table 3.

Detailed statement showing particulars of Joint Stock Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of October, 1917.

No.	Class and Name	Situation of Registered Office	Objects	Authorized capital
	<b>I.—Banking, Loan, and Insurance.</b>			Rs.
1	Coimbatore Sri Ramar Bank .	Coimbatore, Madras .	Banking and loan . .	1,00,000
2	Kandhagowdanchavadi Sri Balachandra Ganesa Nidhi .	" " .	" " .	1,00,000
	Total, Banking, Loan, and Insurance . . . .	.. ..	.. ..	2,00,000
	<b>II.—Trading.</b>			
	(a) <i>Printing, Publishing, and Stationery.</i>			
3	South Indian Catholic Union .	Madras . . . .	Printing and publishing .	20,000
	(b) <i>Others.</i>			
4	Steel Products . . . .	Howrah, Bengal . .	Dealing in steel shelving and other appliances etc.	5,00,000
5	S. Gupta & Co. . . .	Calcutta, Bengal . .	Manufacturing pens, buttons, etc. . . .	20,000
6	Muller and Phipps (India) .	" " . . . .	General merchants . .	10,000
7	Shrikrishna Stores Co. . .	Bombay . . . .	Store-keepers and manufacturers . . . .	5,00,000
8	Aniline and Alizarine Trading Company of Ahmedabad * .	Ahmedabad, Bombay .	Dyers . . . . .	1,00,000
9	Indian Emporium . . . .	Kumbakonam, Madras .	Development and improvement of arts and industries . . . .	50,000
10	Madura Swadeshi Co. . . .	Madura, Madras . . .	Trade in swadeshi goods .	1,00,000
	Total, others . . . .	.....	.....	12,80,000
	Total, Trading . . . .	.....	.....	13,00,000
	<b>III.—Mills and Presses.</b>			
	(a) <i>Cotton Mills.</i>			
11	Nizam Spinning, Weaving, and Manufacturing Co. . . .	Bombay . . . .	Spinning and weaving cotton . . . .	35,00,000
	(b) <i>Other Mills and Presses.</i>			
12	Behar Oil Mills . . . .	Calcutta, Bengal . .	Manufacturing, oils, etc. .	1,60,000
	Total, Mills and Presses .	.....	.....	36,60,000

\* This company went into liquidation on 15th July 1912 but has now been revived by the court.

Table 3—contd.

Detailed statement showing particulars of Joint Stock Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of October, 1917—contd.

No.	Class and Name	Situation of Registered Office	Objects	Authorized capital
				Rs.
	<b>IV.—Tea and other Planting Companies.</b>			
18	Assam Indigenous Tea Seed Co. *	Assam . . . . .	Cultivating and dealing in tea, etc. . . . .	20,000
14	Bengal Modern Tea Co. . . . .	Calcutta, Bengal . . . . .	Manufacturing tea, coffee, etc. . . . .	2,50,000
16	Hill Tippera Tea Co. . . . .	" " . . . . .	" " . . . . .	2,50,000
16	Assam Proper Tea Co. . . . .	" " . . . . .	Manufacturing and selling tea and tea seed.	2,00,000
17	Chandrapur Tea Co. . . . .	Comilla " . . . . .	" " . . . . .	2,00,000
	Total, Tea and other planting Companies.	.....	.....	9,20,000
	<b>V.—Mining and Quarrying.</b>			
	(a) Coal.			
18	Northern Coal Co. . . . .	Calcutta, Bengal . . . . .	Mining coal . . . . .	2,50,000
	(b) Others.			
19	Rangoon Wolfram Co . . . . .	Rangoon, Burma . . . . .	Acquiring and trading in wolfram, exploring and prospecting, gold, etc. . . . .	10,00,000
	TOTAL, MINING AND QUARRYING . . . . .	... ..	.....	12,50,000
	GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	.....	.....	73,30,000

\* This company was struck off the register in February 1917, but restored to the register during the month.

CALCUTTA :  
December 22, 1917. }

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# FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE.

## PREFATORY NOTE.

The returns of Indian imports and exports of merchandise (exclusive of treasure and Government stores) by sea during the six months of the present financial year show a trade balance (excluding treasure) in favour of India of over R38 crores or 10·1 per cent above that of the corresponding period of the previous year. Last year the balance in favour of India in the first half year was nearly R35 crores. The total exports in the six months amounted to R107 crores, of which nearly R59 crores went to ports within the British Empire, and R48 crores to ports outside the Empire. The United Kingdom took 24·8 per cent of exports, followed by Japan 15·3 per cent, the United States 11·2 per cent, and France 4·8 per cent. Italy took 2·6 per cent and Egypt 13·7 per cent, but a considerable portion of the shipments to Egypt was transit trade, the exports being consigned to Port Said for orders. During the half year there were imported into India goods of the value of nearly R69 crores. Of this amount over R46 crores were sent from ports within the Empire, R40 crores alone coming from British ports. The principal exporter to India, apart from the United Kingdom, was Japan which exported goods to the value of over R7 crores. The United States were the third largest exporter and Java the fourth.

The following figures showing India's trade with the British Empire and Allies and the Neutral countries during the six months of the three official years 1915-16, 1916-17, and 1917-18 are interesting :—

### *Trade with the British Empire and Allies April to September*

	1915 R	1916 R	1917 R
Total Imports . . . . .	56,49,28,000	66,70,90,000	62,25,75,000
Total Exports . . . . .	84,00,94,000	1,00,32,39,000	99,07,08,000
Balance (net exports) . . . . .	27,51,66,000	33,61,49,000	36,81,33,000

### *Trade with Neutral countries April to September*

	1915 R	1916 R	1917 R
Total Imports . . . . .	9,31,08,000*	8,62,58,000*	6,55,81,000*
Total Exports . . . . .	7,80,25,000	9,62,97,000	7,87,02,000
Balance (net exports) . . . . .	—1,50,83,000	1,00,39,000	1,31,21,000

There was a considerable increase in 1917 in India's net exports to the British Empire and Allies.

India's Balance of Trade in the same period was as follows :—

	Six months ended September.		
	1915	1916	1917
	R (Lakhs)	R (Lakhs)	R (Lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports (private).	94,02	1,13,51	1,10,33
Imports	65,80	75,33	68,81
Excess of Exports over Imports	28,22	38,18	41,52
Net Imports of Treasure (private)	6,04	4,12	12,99
Council Bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India.	5,40·2	10,28·1	29,24·2
Sterling Bills on London sold in India	7,38·3	...	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	86·5	11	61·5
Interest on Enfaced Rupee paper	16·6	14·9	14·3
Balance of Trade in favour of India	23,13	23,52	—
“ “ “ against “	—	—	1,50

The balance of trade is against India for the six months ended September 1917. The high balances in favour of India in the corresponding period of 1915 and 1916 are very noticeable.

\* Include cargoes of prize vessels.



INDIA'S CUSTOMERS—RETURN SHOWING the IMPORTS and EXPORTS of MERCHANDISE (i.e., EXCLUSIVE of TREASURE and GOVERNMENT STORES) by SEA from and to the PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES in the SIX MONTHS, APRIL to SEPTEMBER, 1917, as compared with the CORRESPONDING PERIOD of the previous year.

	VALUE OF TRADE IN MERCHANDISE (APRIL TO SEPTEMBER)				BALANCE OF TRADE *			
	1916		1917		1916		1917	
	Exports of Indian merchandise	Imports of foreign merchandise	Exports of Indian merchandise	Imports of foreign merchandise	Against India	In favour of India	Against India	In favour of India
	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)	₹ (000)
<b>BRITISH EMPIRE—</b>								
United Kingdom . . . . .	86,23,33	48,15,66	26,55,81	40,34,56	11,92,33	—	13,78,75	—
Gibraltar . . . . .	44	20	44	30	—	24	—	14
Aden and Dependencies . . . . .	74,54	36,96	40,07	33,14	—	37,58	—	6,93
Ceylon . . . . .	4,67,61	53,32	4,52,26	93,20	—	4,14,29	—	3,59,06
Straits Settlements (including Labuan) . . . . .	2,91,14	1,92,37	2,86,95	2,30,62	—	98,77	—	56,33
Hongkong . . . . .	2,16,33	54,44	2,16,46	67,09	—	1,61,89	—	1,49,37
Egypt . . . . .	87,91	32,96	14,69 11	38,28	—	54,95	—	14,31,13
Cape Colony . . . . .	23,33	6	37,80	3	—	23,27	—	37,77
Natal . . . . .	66,28	5,58	73,15	4,44	—	60,70	—	74,71
Mauritius and Dependencies (including Seychelles) . . . . .	90,99	32,27	53,19	30,11	—	58,72	—	23,08
East African Protectorate . . . . .	28,60	9,58	30,39	22,17	—	19,02	—	8,22
Zanzibar and Pemba . . . . .	29,20	15,41	18,48	10,81	—	13,79	—	7,67
Canada . . . . .	66,80	32	1,13,31	3,30	—	66,48	—	1,10,01 <sup>6</sup>
British West India Islands . . . . .	8,40	...	10,07	...	—	8,40	—	10,07
Australia (including New Zea- land) . . . . .	2,52,48	47,78	2,95,28	36,96	—	2,04,70	—	2,58,32
Other British Possessions . . . . .	65,78	17,96	1,30,49	26,37	—	47,82	—	94,12
<b>TOTAL BRITISH EMPIRE</b>	<b>53,93,16</b>	<b>53,14,87</b>	<b>51,79,56</b>	<b>46,31,38</b>	<b>11,92,33</b>	<b>12,70,62</b>	<b>13,78,75</b>	<b>26,26,93</b>
<b>FOREIGN COUNTRIES—</b>								
Russia . . . . .	3,40,08	5,85	63,15	2,39	—	3,34,18	—	60,76
Sweden . . . . .	6,79	43,25	...	17,71	36,46	—	17,71	—
Norway . . . . .	10,63	34,83	17,83	26,56	24,20	—	8,73	—
Germany . . . . .	...	7,61(a)	...	1,07(a)	7,61	—	1,07	—
Holland . . . . .	6,81	55,36	7,73	24,61	48,55	—	16,88	—
Belgium . . . . .	...	3,07	...	48	3,07	—	46	—
France . . . . .	6,22,00	1,11,70	5,15,36	1,03,56	—	5,10,30	—	4,11,80
Spain . . . . .	1,00,98	19,04	19,37	8,32	—	81,04	—	11,05
Switzerland . . . . .	2,90	37,11	27,04	23,97	34,21	—	—	3,07
Italy . . . . .	3,86,19	1,08,11	2,75,01	1,27,03	—	2,78,08	—	1,47,98
Austria-Hungary . . . . .	...	4(a)	...	5,56(a)	4	—	5,56	—
Turkey, Asiatic . . . . .	59,22	8,73	81,21	7,96	—	50,49	—	73,25
Arabia . . . . .	58,97	13,25	58,15	7,90	—	45,72	—	50,25
Persia . . . . .	65,45	23,60	1,08,86	40,70	—	41,85	—	68,16
Borneo (Dutch) . . . . .	72	38,26	1,57	12,36	37,54	—	10,79	—
Java . . . . .	1,42,77	5,22,06	1,45,39	4,18,95	3,79,29	—	2,73,56	—
Sumatra . . . . .	27,44	1,89	45,25	5,04	—	25,55	—	40,21
Siam . . . . .	53,95	17,49	73,70	28,63	—	36,46	—	45,07
Indo-China, etc. . . . .	72,23	1	62,44	3	—	72,22	—	62,41
China (exclusive of Hongkong and Macao) . . . . .	2,80,71	72,23	2,70,71	1,04,65	—	2,08,48	—	1,66,06
Japan . . . . .	13,44,24	5,43,96	16,39,10	7,18,62	—	8,35,28	—	9,30,48
Portuguese East Africa . . . . .	15,87	2,04	31,07	4,98	—	13,83	—	26,09
Italian East Africa . . . . .	3,57	7,96	6,13	8,70	4,39	—	2,57	—
United States of America . . . . .	14,57,52	5,05,91	12,11,27	5,33,66	—	9,51,61	—	6,67,61
West Indies . . . . .	1,44,38	...	53,31	...	—	1,44,38	—	33,81
South America . . . . .	2,83,72	1,35	80,43	7	—	2,82,37	—	80,36
Oceania . . . . .	29,43	...	8,08	...	—	29,43	—	8,08
Other Foreign Countries . . . . .	45,63	28,00	22,38	18,69	—	17,68	—	5,69
<b>TOTAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>56,02,20</b>	<b>22,18,61</b>	<b>48,14,54</b>	<b>23,50,18</b>	<b>5,75,36</b>	<b>39,58,95</b>	<b>1,37,33</b>	<b>29,01,69</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL ₹ (1,000)</b>	<b>1,09,95,36(b)</b>	<b>75,33,48</b>	<b>1,06,94,10(b)</b>	<b>68,81,56</b>	<b>17,67,69</b>	<b>52,29,57</b>	<b>17,16,08</b>	<b>55,28,62</b>
<b>NET BALANCE IN FAVOUR OF INDIA <sup>(a)</sup> (1,000)</b>						<b>34,61,88</b>		<b>38,12,54</b>

(a) Imports from prize vessels.

(b) Exports of Indian merchandise include the value of wheat, tanned bow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

\* The figures in the last four columns represent the excess of imports of foreign merchandise over exports of Indian merchandise

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COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 4 OF 1917-18.

PREFATORY NOTE.

THE COTTON SEASON 1917-18.

In the Cotton Forecast published on the 18th December, 1917, the yield of the crop is estimated at 3,938,000 bales on an area of 23,768,000 acres, as compared with 4,628,000 \* bales on an area of 21,212,000 acres, the final figures of last year. There is a decrease of 15 per cent in outturn. It will be seen from the press return below that the cotton is coming in much slower than last year. There were 57,800 bales of cotton pressed in the pressing factories, and 42,600 bales received in the spinning mills, from 1st September to 31st October, 1917, as against 112,700 bales and 55,500 bales, respectively, during the corresponding period of last year. The figures for Native States are, as will be seen from the footnotes to the tables, incomplete and have been omitted.

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\* This figure represents the sum of net exports and consumption. Net exports abroad from September 1916 to August 1917 were 2,083,000 bales, the mill consumption 1,795,000 bales, and the estimated extra-factory consumption 750,000 bales as accepted by the Bombay Cotton Trade Association.

## FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING NOVEMBER, 1917.

REVIEW of the SEA-BORNE TRADE and NAVIGATION of BRITISH INDIA for the month of NOVEMBER, 1917, and for the eight months ended November, 1917.

## FOREIGN COMMERCE.

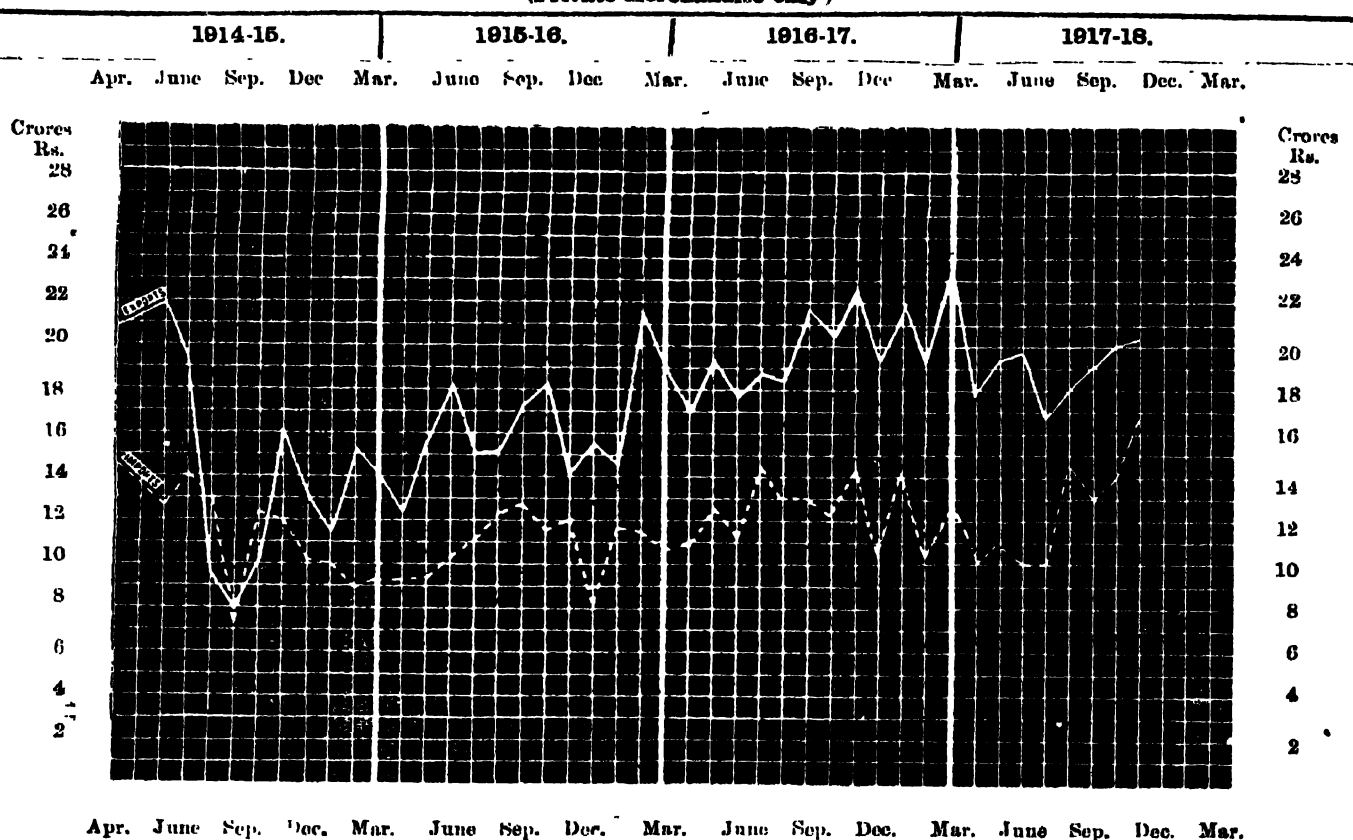
## FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING NOVEMBER, 1917.

The trade returns of British India for November, 1917, as compared with those of the preceding month, showed a great leap upwards in the value of the imports which were valued at nearly R17 crores as against R14 crores in the preceding month. The value of the total exports and re-exports also increased, the exports, including those of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance on Government account, being valued at nearly R20 crores, and the re-exports at nearly R82 lakhs. Imports increased by 20 per cent, exports by 2 per cent, and re-exports by 22 per cent. As compared with November, 1916, imports showed an increase of 17 per cent and re-exports of 21 per cent, while exports showed a decrease of 12 per cent. Another noticeable feature of the returns is the balance of trade which if all items be included shows an adverse balance of trade for the eight months April\* to November 1917.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to November, 1917, is appended below :—

## MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO NOVEMBER, 1917.

(Private Merchandise only)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R5,83 lakhs in October, 1917, and R3,65 lakhs in November, 1917. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during October and November, of the years 1915, 1916, and 1917, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods :—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
October . . . . .	R(lakhs) 11,55	R(lakhs) 18,22	R(lakhs) 12,38	R(lakhs) 20,47	R(lakhs) 14,01	R(lakhs) 19,84 (a)	R(lakhs) 6,78	R(lakhs) 8,19	R(lakhs) 5,83
November . . . . .	12,18	14,20	14,20	22,98	16,80	20,45 (a)	2,07	8,64	3,65

(a) Include the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account

*Comparisons with October, 1917.*—As compared with October, 1917, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under dates (+R12 lakhs), sugar, 16 D. S. and above (+R50 lakhs), salt (+R11 lakhs), cigarettes (+R16 lakhs), cotton yarn (+R22 lakhs), cotton piece goods, grey (+R13 lakhs), and coloured, printed, etc. (+R41 lakhs), but *decreases* under mineral oil (—R20 lakhs), and wood (timber) (—R22 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under raw skins (+R31 lakhs), castor seed (+R19 lakhs), linseed (+R13 lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,35 lakhs), raw wool (+R11 lakhs), and cotton twist and yarn (+R26 lakhs), but *decreases* under grain, pulse, and flour (—R82 lakhs), hides, raw (—R 24 lakhs), and jute manufactures (—R49 lakhs).

*Comparisons with November, 1916.*—As compared with November, 1916, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under spirit (+R13 lakhs), sugar 16 D. S. and above (+ R25 lakhs), salt (+R18 lakhs), cigarettes (+R21 lakhs), iron or steel sheets and plates (+R17 lakhs), cotton yarn (+R17 lakhs), cotton piecegoods, grey (+R29 lakhs), white (+R43 lakhs), and coloured, printed, etc. (+R31 lakhs), and matches (+R19 lakhs), but *decreases* under and raw silk (—R14 lakhs), motor cars and motor cycles (—R15 lakhs), railway plant and rolling-stock (—R15 lakhs), kerosene oil (—R17 lakhs), and other kinds of mineral oil (—R9 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under grain, pulse, and flour (+R1,29 lakhs), castor seed (+R17 lakhs), raw cotton (+R94 lakhs), and raw wool (+R40 lakhs), but *decreases* under raw hides (—R36 lakhs), raw skins (—R12 lakhs), groundnut seed (—R11 lakhs), linseed (—R64 lakhs), rape seed (—R21 lakhs), raw hemp (—R13 lakhs), raw jute (—R1,68 lakhs), opium (—R19 lakhs), indigo (—R29 lakhs), skins, tanned (—R71 lakhs), hides, tanned (—R19 lakhs), cotton twist and yarn (—R22 lakhs), cotton piece goods (—R15 lakhs), and jute manufactures (—R28 lakhs).

#### VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in November, 1916 and 1917, as compared with October 1916 and 1917, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows:—

	October 1916 R(lakhs)	November 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	October 1917 R(lakhs)	November 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
<b>IMPORTS</b>						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	2,93	2,92	—1	2,46	3,62	+ 1,16
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	85	1,17	+ 32	1,25	83	—42
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	8,36	10,02	+ 1,66	10,01	12,01	+ 2,00
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	14	18	+ 4	29	34	+ 5
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,28</b>	<b>14,29</b>	<b>+ 2,01</b>	<b>14,01</b>	<b>16,80</b>	<b>+ 2,79</b>

Exports	October 1916 R(lakhs)	November 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)	October 1917 R(lakhs)	November 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	6,38	5,33	—1,05	7,88	6,65	—1,23
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	7,45	8,81	+1,36	5,33	7,18	+1,85
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	5,73	7,87	+2,14	5,80	5,63	—17
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	22	24	+2	16	17	+1
Total	19,78	22,25	+2,47	19,17(a)	19,63(a)	+46

### COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (OCTOBER, 1917).†

#### I.—Imports.

##### AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF FOODSTUFFS AND CIGARETTES.

**Sugar.** The imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in November, 1917, increased by R1,16 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, in November, 1917, increased to 57,667 tons, valued at R1,90 lakhs from 41,630 tons, valued at R1,40 lakhs, in the preceding month (October, 1917). In the eight months ended November, 1917, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 254,262 tons, valued at R8,51 lakhs, as against 272,980 tons, valued at R9,07 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**Dates.** The imports of dates in November, 1917, increased to 356,000 cwts from 193,000 cwts in the preceding month, and of cigarettes to 494,000 lbs from 307,000 lbs.

##### A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MINERAL OIL AND AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF RAW SILK.

**Mineral oil.** The value of the imports of Raw materials in November, 1917, decreased by R42 lakhs. The quantity of mineral oil imported in November, 1917, decreased to 2,506,000 gallons, from 6,616,000 gallons in the preceding month. The value of these imports was R14 lakhs, as against nearly R35 lakhs in the preceding month. The quantity of kerosene oil imported increased to 1,746,000 gallons from 1,088,000 gallons, but other kinds of mineral oil decreased to 760,000 gallons from 5,528,000 gallons.

**Raw Silk.** Imports of raw silk increased to 167,000 lbs from 98,000 lbs in the preceding month.

##### AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.

**Cotton goods.** The value of the imports of Manufactured articles increased by R2,00 lakhs. The imports of cotton piece goods, including fents, in November, 1917, increased to 155 million yards, valued at R5,41 lakhs, from 154 million yards, valued at R4,89 lakhs, in the preceding month. Coloured goods increased by nearly 7 million yards to 44 million yards, but white goods decreased by 7 million yards to 49 million yards, and grey goods, which amounted to over 57 million yards, were almost on the level of the preceding month. In the eight months ended November, 1917, the total imports of cotton piece goods amounted to 1,124 million yards, valued at R34 crores, as against 1,385 million yards, valued at R31 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**Iron or steel sheets and plates.** The imports of iron or steel sheets and plates increased in November, 1917, to 5,713 tons, valued at R33 lakhs, from 3,427 tons, valued at R23 lakhs, in the preceding month.

(a) Include the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

† Comparison is made with the previous month and not with the corresponding month of last year, owing to the present abnormal circumstances brought about by the war.

**II.—Exports.****A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO.**

The exports of Food, drink, and tobacco decreased in November, 1917, by <sup>Grain, pulse, and</sup> R1,23 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The exports of grain, pulse, and flour showed a decrease in November, 1917, and amounted to over R4,53 lakhs, as against nearly R5,36 lakhs in the preceding month. In the eight months ended November, 1917, the value of the exports amounted to nearly R37 crores, as against over R22 crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW COTTON AND OF RAW JUTE.**

The value of the exports of Raw materials increased by R1,85 lakhs. The shipments of raw cotton increased in November, 1917, to 29,313 tons, valued <sup>Raw Cotton.</sup> at R3,38 lakhs, from 18,616 tons, valued at R2,03 lakhs, in the preceding month. In the eight months ended November, 1917, the exports amounted to 239,789 tons, valued at R25,17 lakhs, as against 304,872 tons, valued at R22,92 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

The exports of raw jute in November, 1917, increased to 32,232 tons, <sup>Raw Jute.</sup> valued at R70 lakhs, from 30,803 tons, valued at R68 lakhs, in the preceding month. In the eight months ended November, 1917, the exports amounted to 144,871 tons, valued at R3,62 lakhs, as against 311,372 tons, valued at R9,33 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF JUTE MANUFACTURES.**

The value of the exports of manufactured articles decreased by R17 lakhs. The exports of jute manufactures were valued in November, 1917, at R3,39 <sup>Jute manufactures</sup> lakhs as against R3,88 lakhs in the preceding month. In the eight months ended November, 1917, the value of the exports amounted to R24 crores, as against R29 crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**EIGHT MONTHS ENDED NOVEMBER, 1917.**

The summary of the results for the eight months ended November, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915 and 1916, is as follows:—

	1915		1916		1917		ACTUAL NET EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise(private)	80,48	1,26,50	1,01,90	1,56,91(a)	90,62	1,50,62(b)	37,02	55,01	51,00

In the eight months ended November, 1917, exports, including re-exports, were less by R6,29 lakhs or 4 per cent than in 1916, but higher by R24,12 lakhs or 19 per cent than in 1915. In the same period imports were less by R2,28 lakhs or 2 per cent than in 1916, but higher by R10,14 lakhs or 11 per cent than in 1915. The net excess of exports over imports in these eight months was R51 crores, as compared with R55 crores in 1916 and R37 crores in 1915. The total value of merchandise decreased by over R8½ crores, or 8 per cent, to R250 crores.

(a) Includes the value of wheat exported on Government account.

(b) Includes the value of wheat, tanned cow hides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

### CHIEF INCREASES AND DECREASES.

Comparing the values of the imports and exports during the eight months ended November, 1917, with those in the corresponding period of 1916, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

### I.—Imports.

		Increases	
		B	R
		(thousands)	(thousands)
Class I	Cigarettes . . . . .	22,89	{ Copper, wrought . . . . . 9,81 Cotton, white piece goods . . . . . 1,31,41 " coloured . . . . . 2,28,98 Woollen piece goods . . . . . 48,28 Cement . . . . . 13,47 Matches . . . . . 62,15 Articles imported by post . . . . . 92,26
Class II	Wood (timber) . . . . .	38,70	
Class III	Chemicals . . . . .	45,64	
	Dyeing and tanning substances . . . . .	35,74	
	Iron or steel-sheets and plates . . . . .	41,76	

## Declarations

Class I	Wines . . . . .	10,82	Class III	Bars and channel (steel) . . . . .	15,27	
	Biscuits and cakes . . . . .	48,05		Paper (excluding pasteboard) . . . . .	19,39	
	Canned and bottled provisions . . . . .	27,67		Stationery . . . . .	13,65	
	Sugar, 10 D S and above . . . . .	56,27		Railway carriages and wagons . . . . .	35,90	
	Molasses . . . . .	17,90		" materials for construction . . . . .	55,85	
Class II	Salt . . . . .	7,94	Class III	Machinery, etc.—prime movers, etc. . . . .	15,77	
	Kerosene oil . . . . .	60,20		Textile machinery . . . . .		
Class III	Boots and shoes . . . . .	20,51			(cotton) . . . . .	14,69
	Motor cars and motor cycles . . . . .	78,68			(jute) . . . . .	25,55
	Drugs and medicines . . . . .	18,82		Cotton, twist and yarn . . . . .	30,23	
	Hardware . . . . .	83,86	" gray piece goods . . . . .	44,71		
	Paints and colours . . . . .	15,10	" hosiery . . . . .	11,56		
	Earthenware and porcelain . . . . .	10,75	Haberdashery and millinery . . . . .	35,14		
	Iron or steel-pipes and fittings, cast . . . . .	15,49		Tea-chests . . . . .	21,63	
			Class IV	Toys and requisites for games . . . . .	12,41	
				Horses . . . . .	17,06	

## II.—Exports.

		Increases				
		R		R		
		(thousands)		(thousands)		
Class I	Grain, pulse, and flour	14,29.44		Class II	{ Cotton (raw)	2,24.87
					{ Wool (,,)	21.35
					{ Opium	20.95
Class II	{ Lao	74.45		Class III	{ Hides, tanned	47.95
	{ Coconut oil	11.88			{ Cotton, twist and yarn	9.17
	{ Rubber	15.01				

## Deceitmen

Class II	{ Coal, coke, &c. . . . .	86,97	Class II	{ Jute (raw) . . . . .	5,70,94
	{ Hides (raw) . . . . .	1,57,70		{ Silk (,,) . . . . .	14,83
	{ Skins (,,) . . . . .	72,16		{ Teakwood . . . . .	12,29
	{ Opéra or coconut kernel . . . . .	60,72		{ Manures . . . . .	14,61
	{ Cotton seed . . . . .	22,28	Class III	{ Skins, tanned . . . . .	1,58,75
	{ Linseed . . . . .	3,47,28		{ Myrobalans . . . . .	12,90
	{ Rapeseed . . . . .	36,98		{ Oor goods . . . . .	10,54
{ Sesamum seed . . . . .	48,69	{ Oilcakes . . . . .		22,21	
			Class IV	{ Jute manufactures . . . . .	5,00,15
				{ Bran and pollards . . . . .	26,68

## Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the eight months ended November, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916:—

Principal Articles	Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (-) in the eight months ended November, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	Rs (thousands)	Rs (thousands)	(thousands)	Rs (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)	—	—	1,08,24	96,14	—	—12,10
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)	—	—	1,62,58	81,83	—	—80,75
Chemicals	—	—	1,33,06	1,78,70	—	+45,64
Coal, coke, and patent fuel . . . tons	22	19	7,99	5,91	—3	—2,08
Drugs and medicines	—	—	1,06,70	88,08	—	—18,62
Dyeing and tanning substances	—	—	51,71	87,45	—	+35,74
Fruits and vegetables	—	—	57,40	63,01	—	+5,61
Glass and glassware	—	—	1,04,71	1,07,86	—	+2,65
Hardware	—	—	2,15,45	1,81,59	—	—33,86
Instruments, apparatus, etc.	—	—	1,32,42	1,17,98	—	—14,44
Liquors . . . . . gals.	3,297	2,297	1,73,95	1,71,51	—1,000	—2,44
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery	—	—	4,35,10	3,55,09	—	—80,02
Matches . . . . . gross	7,133	10,152	69,91	1,32,06	+3,020	+62,15
Metals, iron and steel . . . tons	186	111	6,07,80	5,50,65	—75	—56,65
„ copper . . . . . cwts	23	22	24,34	32,49	—1	+8,15
Oils—mineral . . . . . gals.	57,075	41,495	2,93,32	2,88,75	—16,480	—54,57
Paper and pasteboard	—	—	1,61,99	1,46,17	—	—15,82
Provisions and oilman's stores	—	—	2,16,39	1,13,61	—	—1,02,78
Railway plant and rolling-stock	—	—	1,39,08	33,67	—	—1,06,41
Salt . . . . . tons	304	186	1,21,15	1,13,21	—118	—7,94
Spices . . . . . lbs	94,730	88,319	1,26,34	1,16,36	—6,411	—9,98
Stationery	—	—	56,96	43,31	—	—13,65
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above . . . cwts	5,460	5,085	9,07,02	8,50,75	—375	—56,27
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . „	29	25	18,06	18,99	—4	+93
„ twist and yarn . . . lbs	21,805	11,869	2,78,38	2,48,18	—9,936	—30,23
„ grey piece goods . . . yards	626,340	425,039	11,06,86	11,52,15	—201,301	—44,71
„ white „ . . . „	427,987	377,942	8,90,71	10,22,12	—50,045	+1,31,41
„ coloured „ . . . „	300,175	208,479	9,56,32	11,85,25	—1,696	+2,28,93
„ other sorts of manufactures . . .	—	—	2,94,74	2,64,23	—	—30,51
Silk, raw . . . . . lbs	1,460	1,352	80,78	84,68	—117	+3,85
„ manufactures . . . . .	—	—	1,92,07	1,91,30	—	—77
Woollen manufactures . . . . .	—	—	1,20,05	1,57,18	—	+37,13



**Exports of Indian Merchandise.**

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the eight months ended November, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916 :—

Principal Articles	Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the eight months ended November, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	Rs (thousands)	Rs (thousands)	(thousands)	Rs (thousands)
Chemicals—saltpetre . . . cwt	345	338	68,75	66,05	—7	—2,70
Coal, coke, and patent fuel . . tons	628	218	57,15	20,18	—410	—36,97
Coin . . . . . cwt	399	308	46,53	35,80	—91	—10,73
Dyes, indigo . . . . . "	17	17	1,02,27	95,36		—6,91
„ myrobalans . . . . . "	841	642	50,20	37,00	—199	—13,20
Grain, pulse, and flour . . . value	—	—	22,52,02	36,82,06	—	+ 14,29,44
Hides, raw . . . . . cwt	541	364	4,27,04	2,69,34	—177	—1,57,70
Skins, raw . . . . . "	366	282	8,79,18	3,06,92	—84	—72,26
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed—						
Hides { Private . . . . . "	158	14	2,18,82	15 08	—144	—2,03,74
Government . . . . . "	59	242	77,38	3,29,07	+ 183	+ 2,51,69
Total . . . . . "	217	256	2,96,20	3,44,15	+ 39	+ 47,95
Skins . . . . . "	116	33	2,97,26	1,37,51	—83	—1,59,75
Total Hides and skins, tanned or dressed (including cow hides on Government account) . . . . . "	333	289	5,93,46	4,81,66	—44	—1,11,80
Lac . . . . . "	262	203	1,57,35	2,31,80	—59	+ 74,45
Manures . . . . . tons	40	18	35,89	21,28	—22	—14,61
Castor oil . . . . . gals.	1,405	1,287	21,10	22,41	—118	+ 1,31
Coconut oil . . . . . "	1,423	2,053	28,28	40,11	+ 630	+ 11,83
Oilcakes . . . . . cwt	1,629	917	66,65	38,44	—712	—28,21
Opium . . . . . "	8	7	1,19,07	1,40,02	—1	+ 20,95
Seeds—total . . . . . "	12,751	6,373	10,93,31	5,67,45	—6,378	—5,25,86
Castor . . . . . "	1,256	1,239	96,75	1,04,89	—17	+ 8,14
Copra . . . . . "	428	110	80,56	19,84	—318	—60,72
Cotton seed . . . . . "	603	25	23,29	1,01	—578	—22,28
Groundnuts . . . . . "	1,766	1,623	1,48,89	1,38,88	—143	—9,51
Linseed . . . . . "	6,178	2,053	5,32,20	1,84,92	—4,125	—3,47,28
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . cwt	6,097	4,796	22,91,84	25,16,71	—1,301	+ 2,24,87
„ twist and yarn . . . lbs	114,966	91,689	5,10,14	5,19,31	—23,277	+ 9,17
„ piece goods . . . yards	183,040	115,377	2,99,52	2,99,24	—37,663	—28
Hemp, raw . . . . . cwt	267	269	76,26	75,47	—98	—79
Jute, raw . . . . . tons	311	145	9,33,01	3,62,07	—166	—5,70,94
„ manufactures . . . value	—	—	28,90,17	23,90,02	—	—5,00,15
Wool, raw . . . . . lbs	32,610	30,692	2,51,47	2,72,82	—1,918	+ 21,35
Wood, teak . . . . . cubic tone	19	11	34,77	22,48	—8	—12,29
other timber . . . . . „ „	2	1	1,46	92	—1	—54

## TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of November 1917, as compared with those of October, 1917, are stated below :—

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS, INCLUDING RE-EXPORTS	
	October, 1917	November, 1917	October, 1917	November, 1917
	₹ (lakhs)	₹ (lakhs)	₹ (lakhs)	₹ (lakhs)
Bengal . . . . .	5.52	6.84	8.27	7.27
Bombay . . . . .	5.40	6.05	4.80	7.11
Sind . . . . .	1.16	1.02	3.28	2.16
Madras . . . . .	1.80	1.59	1.96	2.43
Burma . . . . .	68	1.30	1.53	1.48
Total . . . . .	14.01	16.80	19.84(b)	20.45(b)

Under imports, Bengal showed an increase of 24 per cent, Bombay of 12 per cent, Madras of 22 per cent, and Burma of 106 per cent, while Sind showed a decrease of 12 per cent. Under exports, Bombay showed an increase of 48 per cent and Madras of 24 per cent, while Bengal showed a decrease of 12 per cent, Sind of 34 per cent, and Burma of 3 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (October, 1917).

## BALANCE OF TRADE.

The following table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise on private account only, as well as the value of wheat, tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account :

	Eight months, April to November, 1916	Eight months, April to November, 1917
	₹ (lakhs)	₹ (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports † . . . . .	1,56,91(a)	1,50,62(b)
Imports „ „ † . . . . .	1,01,90	99,62
Excess of Exports over Imports . . . . .	55,01	51,00
Net imports of Gold . . . . .	•	•
„ „ „ Silver . . . . .	•	•
Net Imports of Treasure . . . . .	•	•
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India . . . . .	23,97.5	37,63 4
Sterling bills on London sold in India . . . . .	...	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports) . . . . .	19.9	61.1
Interest on Enfaced Rupee paper . . . . .	17.6	16.9
Net Balance of Trade . . . . .	•	•
	November (1916)	November (1917)
Average rate of exchange . . . . .	d. 16.144	d. 17.00(c)

In the eight months ended November, 1917, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was ₹51,00 lakhs, as against ₹55,01 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, and ₹37,02 lakhs in 1915. As the publication of the treasure figures has been temporarily discontinued, it is not possible to give here the net (private) exports from April to November nor the net balance of trade in the same period. It may be of interest to note that the net (private) exports are considerably below those of 1916 and also below those of 1915. A very interesting feature of the eight months' trade is that the balance of trade is

• Temporarily discontinued

† Exclusive of Government transactions (other than wheat, tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance in the case of exports).

(a) Include the value of wheat exported on Government account.

(b) Include the value of wheat, tanned cowhides, and other articles of national importance exported on Government account.

(c) Approximate rate for Telegraphic Transfers.

again India while in the corresponding periods of 1915 and 1916 the balance was to a very large extent in favour of India.

The amount of Council Bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the eight months ended November, 1917, was about R37,63½ lakhs, of which nearly R2,14½ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R10,93 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R24,56 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the eight months ended November, 1916, the amount was about R23,97½ lakhs, of which nearly R3,78½ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R12,24½ lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and about R7,95 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the eight months ended November, 1915, the amount of Council Bills paid was R9,69 lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R8½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and over R69½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the eight months, April to November, 1917, while in the corresponding period of 1916, R43½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and about R63½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

#### DECLARED VALUE PER UNIT OF SELECTED ARTICLES.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during November 1915, 1916, and 1917, are noted below :—

Imports	NOVEMBER				NOVEMBER		
	1915	1916	1917		1915	1916	1917
	R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.		R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	15 0 6	17 9 1	16 7 10				
Cotton, twist and yarn lb	0 14 6	1 5 11	2 9 0				
" grey piecegoods yard	0 2 7	0 3 4	0 5 1	Indigo	403 2 5	543 0 3	519 3 8
" white	0 2 10	0 3 7	0 4 11	Cotton, raw	30 5 7	41 10 0	57 9 8
" coloured	0 3 9	0 5 9	0 7 0	Jute, raw	47 6 0	55 3 10	38 15 1

As compared with the corresponding month of the previous year (November 1916), under imports, the declared unit value of cotton twist and yarn rose in November, 1917, by 87 per cent, and of cotton piece goods, grey by 52 per cent, white by 37 per cent, and coloured by 22 per cent, while sugar fell by 6 per cent. Under exports, raw cotton showed an increase of 39 per cent, while indigo showed a decrease of 4 per cent and raw jute of 29 per cent.

#### CUSTOMS REVENUE.\*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal articles in November, 1917, as compared with October, 1917, and November, 1916 and 1913 :—

IMPORT DUTY	November 1913 (pre-war month)	November 1916	October 1917	November 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in November, 1917, as compared with		
	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	October 1917	November 1916	November 1913
	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)
<i>Special duties</i>							
Arms	57	76(a)	30(a)	41(a)	+11	—35	—76
Liquors	11,66	11,14	10,68	12,31	+1,63	+1,17	+65
Petroleum	5,29	4,92 (b)	2,68(b)	3,12(b)	+44	—1,80	—2,17
Silver bullion and coin	5,24	49	86	51	—37	+2	—4,73
" manufactures	—	31	22—	8	—14	—23	—
Sugar	11,20	13,88(c)	13,65(c)	18,76(c)	+5,11	+4,88	+7,56
Tobacco	2,77	3,59	4,72	5,07	+95	+2,08	+2,90
<i>Duty at 2½ per cent</i>							
Machinery	—	85	87	1,07	+20	+29	—
Metals—Iron and steel	1,40	1,18	1,28	1,61	+33	+43	+12
Railway plant, etc.	—	39	9	12	+8	—27	—
<i>Duty at 7½ per cent</i>							
Articles of food, etc., excluding sugar	3,45	6,18	6,73	7,00	+27	+82	+3,55
Raw materials, etc.	1,45	4,53	4,80	4,10	—70	—43	+2,65
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—							
Cotton manufactures	18,12	15,80	39,61	40,93	+1,32	+25,63	+22,81
Others	19,66	26,81	26,46	29,68	+3,22	+3,37	+10,02
Total (including other articles)	81,87	93,00	1,14,53	1,28,11	+12,58	+35,11	+46,24
EXPORT DUTY (Total)	7,15	31,52	27,20	36,12	+8,92	+4,60	+28,97

\* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.

(a) Excludes the 7½ per cent duty on explosives.

(b) " " " petroleum.

(c) " " " confectionery.

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the eight months ended November, 1917, the import duties increased to more than R7,94½ lakhs from over R6,52½ lakhs in the eight months ended November, 1916, and the export duties rose to R1,85½ lakhs from R1,47½ lakhs. The grand total of gross Indian sea and land customs revenue (excluding salt) in the eight months, April to November, 1917, amounted to R10,48 lakhs, as compared with R8,37½ lakhs in the same period of last year.

### RAILWAY STATISTICS.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable index to the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April to 1st December, 1917, were R49,48 lakhs, as against R45,34 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, or an increase of R4,14 lakhs.

### TRADE OF ADEN DURING OCTOBER, 1917.

The grand total value of the imports and exports of merchandise, by sea, into and from the port of Aden amounted to over R71 lakhs in the month of October, 1917. The value of the principal articles of imports and exports during October, 1917, was as follows:—

	OCTOBER, 1917.	
	Imports ₹ (thousands)	Exports ₹ (thousands)
Cotton manufactures . . . . .	1,31	7,57
Hides and skins, raw . . . . .	2,32	15
Grain and pulse . . . . .	8,47	2,77
Coffee . . . . .	5,21	6,26
Tobacco, unmanufactured . . . . .	1,99	2,24
Provisions . . . . .	70	13
Sugar . . . . .	2,35	—
Spices . . . . .	4,39	—
Salt . . . . .	—	2,41
Other articles . . . . .	13,59	9,46
TOTAL VALUE . . . . .	40,33	30,99

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## Final General Memorandum on the INDIGO Crop of 1917-18.

This memorandum is based upon reports received from provinces containing practically the whole area under indigo in British India. The figures refer to the crop which is now being marketed.

The total area is estimated at 690,600 acres, which is 10 per cent below the finally revised acreage (770,000 acres) of last year.

The total yield of dye is estimated at 87,800 cwts, as against 95,700 cwts, the finally revised estimate of last year, or a decrease of 8 per cent.

The season has not been altogether favourable. Heavy rainfall and floods adversely affected the crop in Bihar and Orissa, and in parts of the United Provinces. In Sind the crop suffered from low inundation in the beginning of the season.

The figures for the provinces are given below :—

Provinces.	Estimated total yield		Acreage.		Average yield per acre.	
	1917-18	1916-17	1917-18	1916-17	1917-18	1916-17
	cwts.	cwts.	acres	acres	lbs.	lbs.
Madras	42,900	59,100	312,200	459,700	15	14
Bihar and Orissa	10,200	10,900	86,700	80,600	13	15
Punjab	15,200	10,000	84,100	60,300	20	19
United Provinces	17,400	14,100	180,300	159,300	10	10
Bombay and Sind (including Native States)	1,600	1,400	10,300	7,000	17	20
Bengal	500	200	7,000	2,200	8	10
Total	87,800	95,700	690,600	770,000	14	14

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

**Madras (43·4 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India):**—The area sown is reported to be 312,200 acres, which is 32 per cent below the finally revised area of last year. The area under indigo has diminished in all the important areas in the Circars and the Deccan, and has increased slightly in North and South Arcot. The total yield from the area sown is estimated at 42,900 cwts, as against 59,100 cwts last year, or a decrease of 27 per cent. This estimate is based on the assumption that the whole of the green plant is manufactured into dye. It is, however, stated that owing to the practical cessation of export and the consequent dislocation of the market, a large proportion of the crop has certainly been ploughed in as green manure and not manufactured into dye. There are no means of arriving at any satisfactory estimate of what this proportion actually is. The condition of the crop is reported to have been moderate to fair.

**Bihar and Orissa (31·1 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India):**—The area sown is estimated at 86,700 acres which is nearly 8 per cent larger than that of last year. According to the estimates furnished by the Bihar Planters' Association for Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, and Darbhanga, and by the District Officers for the remaining four districts, the crop of the province is estimated at 10,200 cwts (15,300 factory maunds), as against 10,900 cwts (16,300 factory maunds) last year, or a decrease of 6 per cent. The weather conditions were favourable at sowing time and also for the growth of the crop. Owing, however, to unfavourable weather and floods during the manufacturing season the outturn has been disappointing.

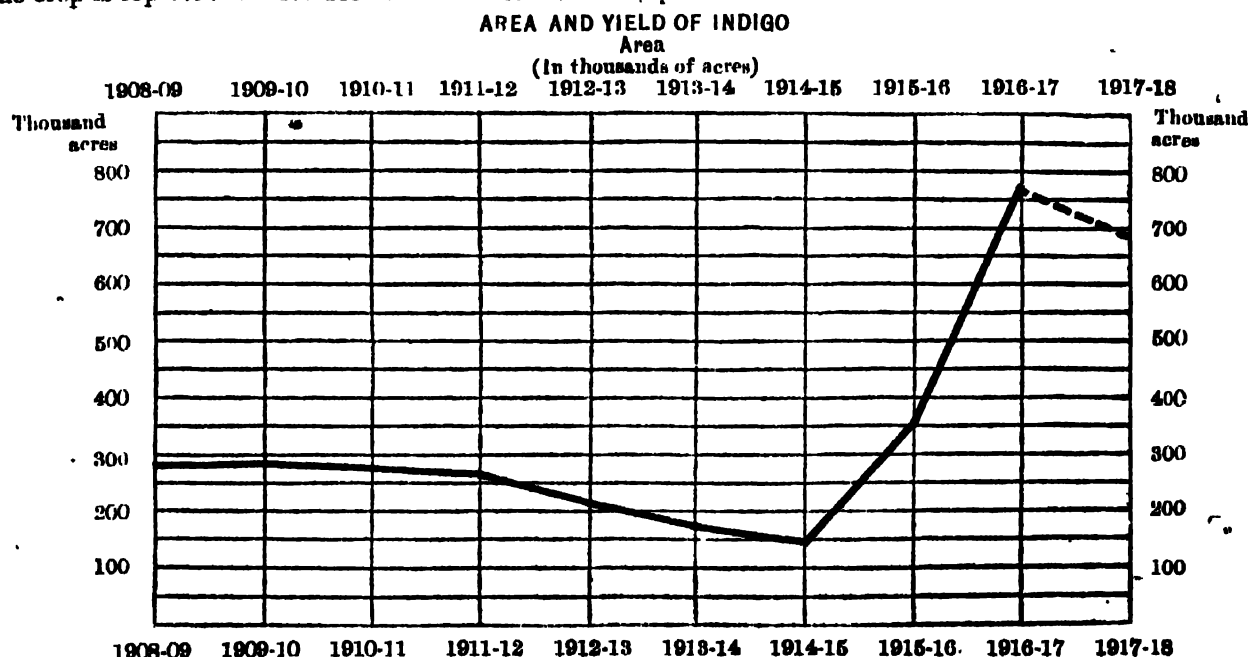
**Punjab (12 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India):**—The total area is estimated at 84,100 acres, which is in excess of the actual area of last year by nearly 40 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 15,200 cwts, as against 10,000 cwts last year, or an increase of 52 per cent.

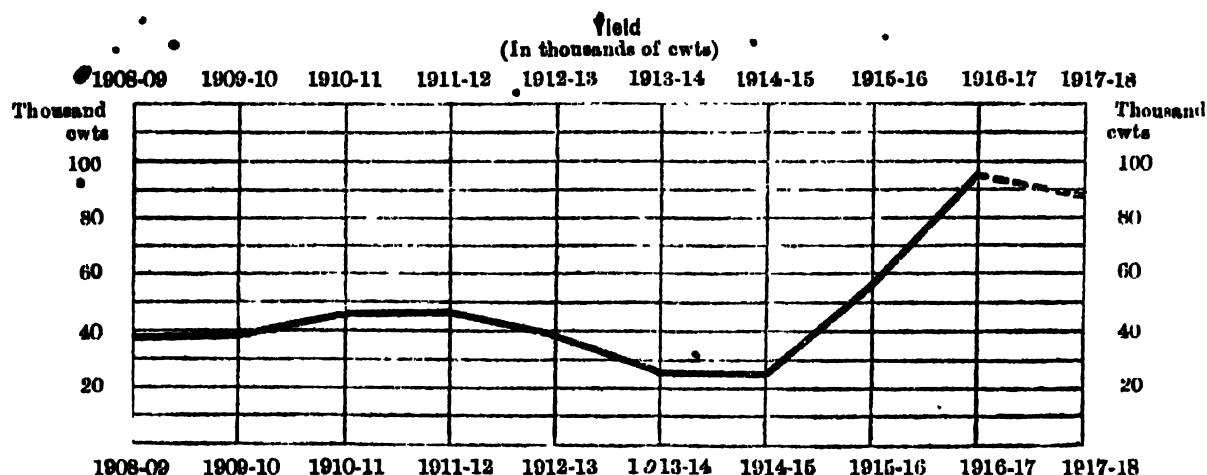
**United Provinces (11·7 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India):**—The area is reported to be 180,300 acres, as against 159,300 acres last year, or an increase of 19 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 17,400 cwts of which a certain proportion is *kutchra* indigo and consumed locally. This is 23 per cent in excess of last year's estimate. The early sown crop on the whole did well, except in the Agra and Muttra districts where it was damaged by excessive rainfall; but the late sown crop was generally indifferent.

**Bombay and Sind (1·2 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India):**—The total area sown is reported to be 10,300 acres (including 7,700 acres in the Khairpur State), which is 30 per cent in excess of the area of last year. The total yield is estimated at 1,600 cwts, as against 1,400 cwts last year, or an increase of 14 per cent. The crop suffered from low inundation in the beginning of the season.

**Bengal (0·5 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India):**—The area and outturn are 7,000 acres and 500 cwts, as compared with 2,200 acres and 200 cwts last year.

**Chart.**—The chart below shows the variations in the present figures of area and yield as compared with the finally revised figures of the last nine years.





**Exports and prices.**—The exports by sea to foreign countries in each of the last five years have been (in cwts) :—

From	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
	Cwts	Cwts	Cwts	Cwts	Cwts
Calcutta	9,229	8,752	9,897	13,147	18,614
Madras ports	2,065	1,787	5,393	26,161	12,280
Bombay	320	173	1,426	2,565	7,411
Karachi	286	227	425	58	284
Rangoon	7	..	1	1	..
Total	11,857	10,939	17,142	41,932	83,539

The exports in each month of the last two years are stated below with the declared value per cwt :—

	Exports		Average declared value per cwt	
	1916-17	1917-18	1916-17	1917-18
	Cwts	Cwts	Rs.	Rs.
April	2,968	2,469	733	577
May	2,518	4,440	713	553
June	1,098	3,541	516	539
July	873	2,170	590	564
August	476	550	597	629
September	1,196	2,131	631	583
October	949	612	584	544
November	6,517	1,153	543	519
December	5,737	..	597	..
January	4,198	..	610	..
February	2,855	..	610	..
March	3,959	..	689	..

Prices realised at the Calcutta sales in each month of the last four indigo seasons are stated below (in rupees per cwt of good to fine Bengal and Tirhoot indigo) :—

	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
	Rs. Per cwt.	Rs. Per cwt.	Rs. Per cwt.	Rs. Per cwt.	Rs. Per cwt.
December	255	1,012	937	1,012	450
January	262	1,050	937	1,012	..
February	262	1,050	937	937	..
March	262	1,012	975	919	..

The imports of synthetic and natural indigo into the United Kingdom in the last five calendar years are stated below. Synthetic dye has been shown separately. Of the total amount of natural indigo (30,527 cwts) thus imported last year (1916), 29,281 cwts were imported from India, 929 cwts from Java and the rest from other countries :—

	Synthetic indigo.	Indigo.	Total.
	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.
1912	28,402	7,073	35,375
1913	23,889	4,174	28,063
1914	15,517	5,314	20,831
1915	6,542	25,157	31,699
1916	..	30,527	30,527
1916 (10 months)	..	28,245	28,245
1917 (.. ..)	..	12,983	12,983

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### Final Estimate of the Indigo crop of 1917-18

Provinces and States	AREA (IN ACRES)			INCREASE (+) OR DECREASE (-) IN THE CURRENT YEAR OVER	
	Current year (1917-18)	Previous year (1916-17)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1916-17)	Average of preceding five years
Madras	312,200	459,700	100,200	Per cent — 32.1	Per cent + 211.6
Bihar and Orissa	86,700	80,600	72,400	+ 7.6	+ 19.8
Punjab	84,100	60,300	27,800	+ 39.5	+ 204.7
United Provinces	180,300	159,300	27,200	+ 19.5	+ 599.6
Bombay and Sind (including Native States)	10,300	7,900	5,100	+ 30.4	+ 102.0
Bengal	7,000	2,200	1,200	+ 218.2	+ 483.3
TOTAL	690,600	770,000	233,700	— 10.3	+ 195.5

Provinces and States	YIELD (IN CWTs) OF DYE			INCREASE (+) OR DECREASE (-) IN THE CURRENT YEAR OVER	
	Current year (1917-18)	Previous year (1916-17)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1916-17)	Average of preceding five years
Madras . . . . .	42,900	59,100	17,100	Per cent — 27·4	Per cent + 150·9
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	10,200	10,900	10,400	— 6·4	— 1·9
Punjab . . . . .	15,200	10,000	4,300	+ 52·0	+ 258·5
United Provinces . . . . .	17,400	14,100	3,000	+ 23·4	+ 480·0
Bombay and Sind (including Native States) . . . . .	1,600	1,400	1,100(a)	+ 14·8	+ 45·5
Bengal . . . . .	500	200	100	+ 150·0	+ 400·0
TOTAL . . . . .	87,800	95,700	36,000	— 8·3	+ 143·0

(a) For three years

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CALCUTTA, DECEMBER 21, 1917.

## Second RICE Forecast, 1917-18.

This forecast is based on reports received from provinces which contain 99 per cent of the total area under rice in British India. It refers practically to the whole rice crop (early and late) in all the reporting provinces, with the exception of the crop in Coorg and the late (spring) crop of Bombay. These, however, are insignificant, amounting to about 97,000 acres. The reports relate to conditions up to and including the beginning of December.

2. The total area reported amounts to 77,745,000 acres, as against 78,962,000 acres at the corresponding date of last year, or a decrease of 1 per cent. As compared with the revised final figure of last year (80,000,000 acres), the present estimate shows a decrease of 3 per cent. The season has on the whole been favourable, especially for the winter crop, except in parts of Bombay and Sind where heavy rain adversely affected the crop.

3. The following table gives the acreage and estimated outturn as far as available. The table of outturn is incomplete owing to the absence of estimates from Madras and the United Provinces. These latter provinces furnish outturn figures for the final forecasts published in February.

## Second Forecast

## A—ACREAGE

Provinces	1917-18	1916-17	Increase + or Decrease -
	Acres	Acres	Acres
Bengal (a) . . . . .	20,997,000	21,121,000	-124,000
Bihar and Orissa (a) . . . . .	15,567,000	(b)16,443,000	-876,000
Madras . . . . .	10,006,000	10,700,000	-694,000
Burma . . . . .	10,720,000	(b)10,570,000	+150,000
United Provinces (a) . . . . .	7,366,000	6,901,000	+375,000
Central Provinces and Berar . . . . .	5,326,000	5,066,000	+140,000
Assam (a) . . . . .	4,343,000	(b)4,160,000	+183,000
Bombay (including Native States) . . . . .	2,436,000	(b)2,372,000	-164,000
Sind (including Native States) . . . . .	1,066,000	(b)1,280,000	-194,000
Total . . . . .	77,745,000	(b)78,962,000	-1,217,000

## B—OUTTURN

Provinces	1917-18	1916-17	Yield per acre	
			1917-18	1916-17
	Tons	Tons	lbs	lbs
Bengal (a) . . . . .	8,524,000	8,028,000	900	851
Bihar and Orissa (a) . . . . .	8,520,000	(b)8,920,000	1,226	1,215
Madras . . . . .	(c)	...	...	...
Burma . . . . .	4,800,000	4,574,000	1,003	960
United Provinces . . . . .	(c)	...	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar . . . . .	1,647,000	1,481,000	706	653
Assam (a) . . . . .	1,717,000	(b)1,437,000	886	767
Bombay (including Native States) . . . . .	1,132,000	(b)1,103,000	1,041	1,012
Sind (including Native States) . . . . .	399,000	(b) 504,000	823	883

(a) Includes summer, autumn, and winter rice.  
(b) Revised figures.  
(c) Not yet available.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

**Bengal (26.6 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—**(i) The total area sown with autumn (*aus*) rice is reported to be 5,076,000 acres as against 5,048,000 acres last year, or an increase of 0.6 per cent. For the province as a whole, the average outturn for autumn rice is estimated at 88 per cent of the normal, and on this basis the gross yield of cleaned rice works out to 1,641,000 tons, as against 1,372,000 tons last year, or an increase of 20 per cent. The weather conditions were generally favourable in Western Bengal, although some damage was caused to the crop by the rise of rivers in certain districts. In Northern Bengal the rainfall was deficient in the early stages but subsequent rainfall proved favourable on the whole. In Eastern Bengal, although the crop suffered either from unequal distribution of rainfall, floods, or insect pests, the conditions were not altogether unfavourable. Considerable damage was, however, done in Tippera by drought and in Noakhali by floods.

(ii) The area under winter (*aman*) rice is estimated at 15,546,000 acres as against 15,668,000 acres at the corresponding date of last year, or a decrease of only 0.8 per cent. The average outturn per acre for winter rice for the province is at present estimated at 98 per cent of the normal. On this basis the gross yield is estimated at 6,716,000 tons, as against 6,492,000 tons last year, or an increase of 3 per cent. Transplanting operations were greatly hampered owing to deficient rainfall in August and in the first half of September. Subsequently the weather became favourable, although excessive rain accompanied by high wind in the end of October did some injury to the crop. In the Bardwan division a wide area was affected by floods, but the damage was not very serious. After allowing for all adverse conditions, the season may be regarded as a good one.

(iii) An area of 375,000 acres was reported in March last to be under summer (*boro*) rice with an estimated yield of 167,000 tons, as against 405,000 acres and 164,000 tons last year.

**Bihar and Orissa (21 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—**(i) The total area sown with autumn rice is estimated at 3,795,000 acres, as against 3,745,000 acres, the revised area of last year, or an increase of 1 per cent. A normal (100 per cent) outturn is estimated for the province for autumn rice, and on this basis the total yield is calculated at 1,394,000 tons, as against 1,238,000 tons, the revised estimate of last year, or an increase of 13 per cent. Heavy rain and floods in the early part of August somewhat damaged the crop in Patna, Gya, and Shahabad, and also in parts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Hazaribagh, and Palamau. Some damage was also done to the crop in parts of Cuttack and Puri by floods towards the end of the month.

(ii) The area under winter rice is now estimated at 11,733,000 acres, which is 7 per cent below the area of last year. According to the estimates of District Officers, the average outturn for the province works out to 98 per cent of the normal, but the provincial Director remarks that the outturn has been under-estimated in some districts and that the



damage done by rain and floods was on the whole slight, while material benefit was caused by favourable late rains. He is therefore of opinion that the average outturn will not fall short of 110 per cent. On this basis the total yield is estimated at 7,112,000 tons, which is about 7 per cent below the estimate of last year. Heavy rain and floods in the early part of August damaged the seedlings and delayed transplantation in parts of South Bihar. Some damage was also done in parts of Cuttack by floods towards the end of the month. In Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, and Purnea although deficient rainfall in August retarded transplantation, the September rainfall was sufficient for facilitating operations and benefiting the standing crop. The October rain was also beneficial to the crop, but some damage was done by excessive rain in the coast districts of Orissa. The prospects of the crop are on the whole very good.

(iii) An area of 39,000 acres was reported in March last to be under summer rice with an estimated yield of 14,000 tons, as against 53,000 acres and 18,000 tons last year.

**Madras (13.9 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).**—The total area sown up to the 1st December is estimated at 10,005,000 acres, which is 7 per cent below the area reported at the corresponding date of last year. As compared with the revised final estimate of last year (11,533,000 acres), the present figure shows a decrease of 13 per cent. It is, however, reported that the final area for this year, including the second crop, which has yet to be sown, is not likely to fall below last year's final figure. The season, on the whole, has been favourable and the outturn is expected to be normal or slightly above.

**Burma (13.3 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).**—The total area sown is reported to be 10,720,000 acres, which is 1 per cent above the revised area of last year. For the province as a whole, the average outturn per acre is estimated at 97 per cent of the normal and the total yield at 7,164,000 tons of unhusked rice (=4,800,000 tons of cleaned rice), which is 5 per cent above the estimate made at this date last year. In Lower Burma the rains were generally timely and sufficient, except in Akyab and Amherst, where late rains were unfavourable. In Akyab the November rains were heavy, causing some damage to the crop in ear, while in Amherst the absence of timely ripening showers somewhat affected the outturn. In Upper Burma the rains were generally favourable. A very large area in Shwebo was, however, affected by floods caused by the late heavy rains. The surplus available for export is expected to be 3,600,000 tons of unhusked rice (equivalent to 2,850,000 tons of cargo rice or 2,415,000 tons of cleaned rice), as against 3,480,000 tons of unhusked rice (equivalent to 2,750,000 tons of cargo rice or 2,330,500 tons of cleaned rice) estimated at this time last year.

**United Provinces (8 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).**—(i) The total area now reported amounts to 7,342,000 acres, as against 6,968,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 5 per cent. As compared with the final estimate of last year (7,133,000 acres), the present estimate shows an increase of 3 per cent. The rainfall of July was favourable for the crop, but that of August was unevenly distributed and insufficient in the principal rice-growing districts. In the latter half of September there was heavy rain, which was generally excessive for the early (autumn) rice, though beneficial for the late (winter) crop. Towards the end of October, rain fell all over the provinces, and was valuable for maturing the late rice. For the province as a whole the outturn of early rice is at present estimated at 90 per cent of the normal and that of late rice as equal to the normal.

(ii) The area under hot weather rice was reported in October last to be 24,000 acres and 11,400 tons, as against 23,000 acres and 10,500 tons last year.

**Central Provinces and Berar (6.4 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).**—The total area is estimated at 5,226,000 acres (34,000 acres being in Berar) as against 5,086,000 acres last year or an increase of 3 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 1,647,000 tons (7,000 tons being in Berar) as against 1,481,000 tons for last year, showing an increase of 11 per cent. Climatic conditions at sowing time were favourable and germination and transplantation were successful. Resowing on a very small scale was necessary in a few places owing to excessive rain. The crop was slightly damaged in parts of certain districts on account of excessive rainfall. On the whole the seasonal conditions were favourable for rice.

**Assam (6 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).**—(i) The total area sown with autumn rice is estimated at 836,000 acres as against 823,000 acres, the revised estimate of last year, or an increase of 2 per cent. The average outturn per acre is estimated at 90 per cent of the normal, and the total yield at 237,000 tons, which is 28 per cent above the revised estimate of last year. The uneven distribution of rainfall prevented the crop from being a bumper one.

(ii) The area under winter rice is estimated at 3,256,000 acres, as against 3,126,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 4 per cent. A normal (100 per cent) outturn is expected and the total yield is estimated at 1,384,000 tons, which is 18 per cent above the corresponding estimate of last year. Since the issue of the first forecast, weather conditions have been very favourable.

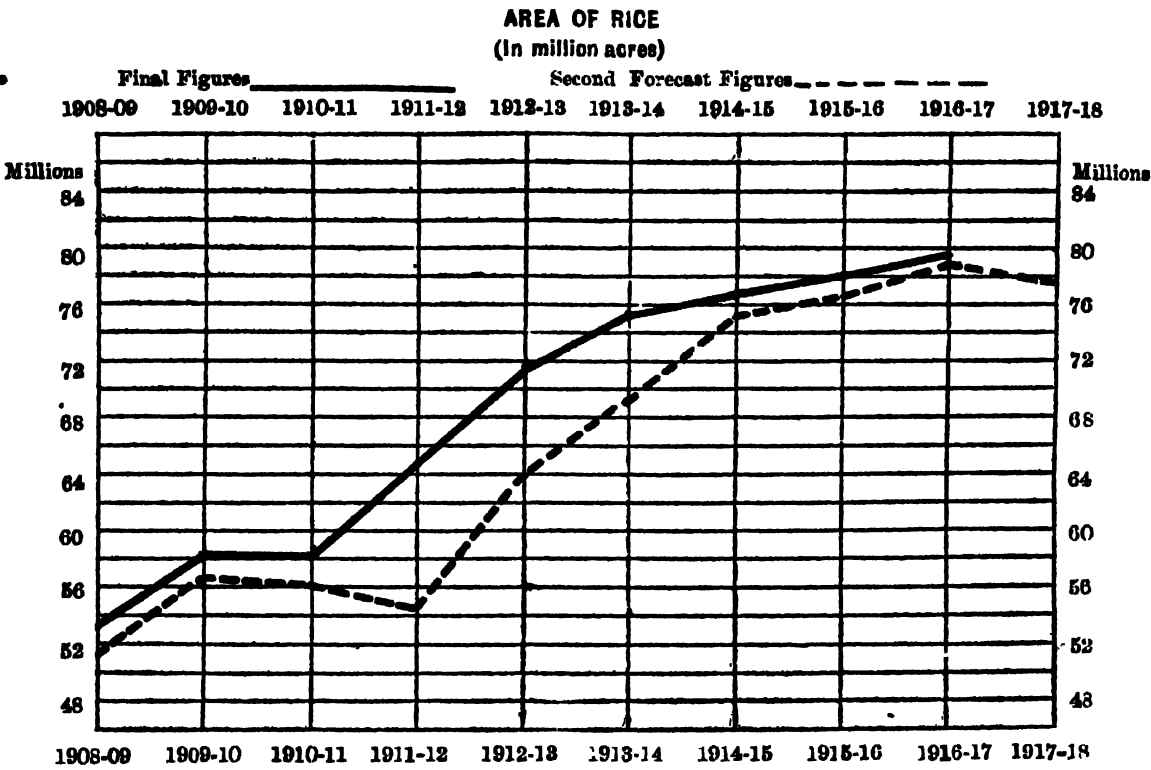
(iii) An area of 250,000 acres was reported in March last to be under summer rice, this being the same as reported in the preceding year. The outturn was estimated at 96,000 tons, against 84,000 tons last year.

**Bombay (2.3 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).**—The total area is reported to be 2,436,000 acres (674,000 acres being in the Native States) as against 2,572,000 acres, the revised estimate of last year, or a decrease of 5 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 1,132,000 tons (307,000 tons being in the Native States) as against 1,162,000 tons, the revised estimate of last year, or a decrease of 3 per cent. In the beginning the rainfall was adequate and transplantation was done timely, but later the crop suffered to some extent from deficient rain in North Gujarat, Kutchiawar, and in parts of the Karnatak. Elsewhere it progressed fairly well. Plentiful rains in August and September improved the crop in the Deccan and the Karnatak, but they proved somewhat excessive in Gujarat and the Konkan. The fall in October was again excessive, and was injurious to the ripe early crop and delayed harvesting operations everywhere.

**Sind (1.4 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).**—The total area is estimated at 1,086,000 acres (8,000 acres being in the Khairpur State), which is 15 per cent below the revised estimate of last year and is attributed to low inundation early in the season. The total yield is estimated at 399,000 tons, which is 21 per cent below the revised estimate of last year. The crop is reported to have been damaged by heavy rain in Larkana and Khairpur. In Thar and Parkar it is good; elsewhere it is fair.

**Chart.**—The chart below shows the variations in the second forecast estimates, as compared with those in the final figures for the last nine years. It should

be borne in mind that the large increases from 1911-12 to 1913-14 are due to a considerable extent to the addition of reporting tracts from year to year.



**Rice crop in foreign countries.**—From the latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, it appears that in Japan the total area under rice is estimated at 7,608,000 acres as against 7,540,000 acres last year. In the United States of America the total area and yield are estimated at 969,000 acres and 667,000 tons as against 866,000 acres and 816,000 tons last year. In Italy

the estimates are 346,000 acres and 503,000 tons as against 352,000 acres and 511,000 tons last year. In Egypt the total area is estimated at 266,000 acres against 150,000 acres last year. From un-official sources it appears that in Egypt water supply was plentiful and the crop is on the whole growing well, but the late-sown rice is not as satisfactory as the early one which is now flowering.

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*Second estimate of the Rice crop*

Provinces		Area (acres)		Increase + or decrease —		Yield (tons)		Increase + or Decrease —	
		Current year (1917-18)	Corresponding date previous year (1916-17)	Actual	Per cent	Current year (1917-18)	Corresponding date previous year (1916-17)	Actual	Per cent
Bengal	Summer	375,000	405,000	—30,000	—7.4	167,000	164,000	+3,000	+1.8
	Autumn	5,076,000	5,048,000	+28,000	+0.6	1,641,000	1,372,000	+269,000	+19.6
	Winter	15,546,000	15,668,000	—122,000	—0.8	6,716,000	6,492,000	+224,000	+3.5
Bihar and Orissa	Summer	39,000	53,000	—14,000	—26.4	14,000	18,000	—4,000	—22.2
	Autumn	3,795,000	(a)3,745,000	+50,000	+1.3	1,394,000	(a)1,238,000	+156,000	+12.6
	Winter	11,783,000	12,645,000	—912,000	—7.2	7,112,000	7,664,000	—532,000	—7.2
Madras		10,005,000	10,700,000	—695,000	—6.5	(b)	(b)	...	...
Burma		10,720,000	(a)10,570,000	+150,000	+1.4	4,800,000	4,574,000	+226,000	+4.9
United Provinces		(d)7,386,000	(d)6,991,000	+375,000	+5.4	(c)11,400	(c)10,500	+900	+8.6
Central Provinces and Berar		5,226,000	5,086,000	+140,000	+2.8	1,647,000	1,481,000	+166,000	+11.2
Assam	Summer	250,000	250,000	...	...	96,000	84,000	+12,000	+14.3
	Autumn	836,000	(a)823,000	+13,000	+1.6	237,000	(a)185,000	+52,000	+28.1
	Winter	3,256,000	3,126,000	+130,000	+4.1	1,384,000	1,168,000	+216,000	+18.5
Bombay (including Native States)		2,436,000	(a)2,572,000	—136,000	—5.3	1,132,000	(a)1,162,000	—30,000	—2.6
Sind (including Native States)		1,086,000	(a)1,280,000	—194,000	—15.2	399,000	(a)504,000	—105,000	—20.8
Total		77,745,000	78,982,000	—1,217,000	—1.5	...	...	...	...

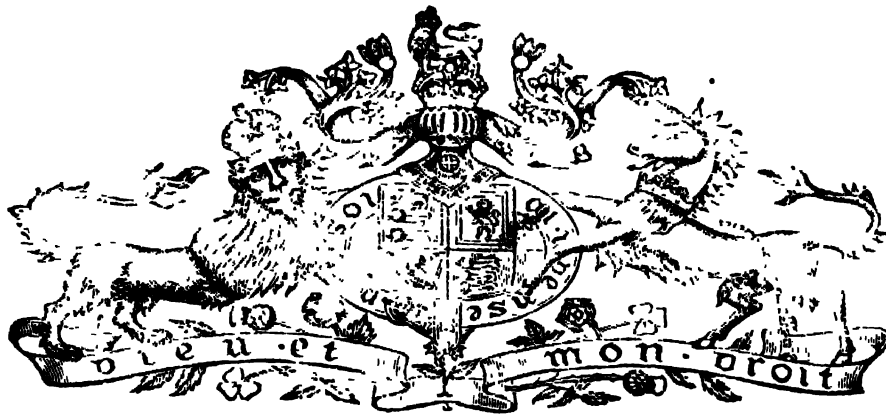
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(b) Not yet available.

(c) Summer rice only.

(d) Includes summer, autumn, and winter rice.





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## PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTIFICATION

*Dated, the 27th December 1917.*

**No. 56.**—In pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI (b) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the non-official Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal have elected Babu Surendra Nath Banerjee to be an Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council, *vice* the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, resigned.

H. M. SMITH,

*for Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**HOME DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATIONS.****JUDICIAL.***Delhi, the 28th December 1917.*

**No. 1065-C.**—In pursuance of sub-section 2 (i) of section 101 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, Cap. 61), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice C. F. Napier, Barrister-at-Law, and the Hon'ble Mr. Justice C. V. Kumaraswami Sastri to act as additional Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Madras for a period of one month with effect from the 1st January 1918.

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**MEDICAL.***The 22nd December 1917.*

**No. 1024-C.**—In pursuance of section 3 of the Indian Medical Degrees Act, 1916 (VII of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to authorize the institution known as the Assam Medical Examination Board to confer, grant, or issue in British India degrees, diplomas, licenses, certificates or other documents stating or implying that the holder, grantee or recipient thereof is qualified to practise western medical science.

**G. M. YOUNG,***for Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.****NOTIFICATION.****CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.***Delhi, the 27th December 1917.*

**No. 121-C.**—Mr. S. G. M. Hickey, M.R.C.V.S., is confirmed in the Civil Veterinary Department with effect from the 25th October 1917.

**R. A. MANT,***Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.****NOTIFICATIONS.***Delhi, the 22nd December 1917.*

**No. 2989-I.B.**—The Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of section 29 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (V of 1908), shall apply to the following Courts of the Jind State, namely :—

*Civil Courts.*

1. Council Wizarat.
2. Chief Court.
3. Nazim, Sangrur.
4. Nazim, Jind.
5. Nazim, Charkhi Dadri.
6. Tehsildar, Sangrur.
7. Tehsildar, Jind

- 8. Tehsildar, Charkhi Dadri.
- 9. Magistrate, Mandi Julana.
- 10. Magistrate, Mandi Safidon.
- 11. Magistrate, Mandi Dadri.
- 12. Honorary Magistrate, Ramrai.
- 13. Honorary Magistrate, Bend.
- 14. Honorary Magistrate, Kaliaana.
- 15. Bench of the Honorary Magistrate, Dyalpura.
- 16. Bench of the Honorary Magistrate, Sangrur.
- 17. Bench of the Honorary Magistrate, Jind.
- 18. Bench of the Honorary Magistrate, Dadri

*Revenue Courts.*

- 1. Council Wizarat.
- 2. Chief Court.
- 3. Nazim, Sangrur.
- 4. Nazim, Jind.
- 5. Nazim, Charkhi Dadri.
- 6. Nahar Nazim, Sangrur.
- 7. Naib Nazim Nahar, Sangrur.
- 8. Naib Nazim Nahar, Jind.
- 9. Tehsildar, Sangrur.
- 10. Tehsildar, Jind.
- 11. Tehsildar, Charkhi Dadri.

(2) The Governor General in Council is further pleased to declare that service by the under-mentioned Courts of the Jind State of any summons issued by a Court in British India under the said Code shall be deemed to be valid service :—

- 1. Chief Court, Jind State, Sangrur
- 2. Nazim, Sangrur.
- 3. Nazim, Jind.
- 4. Nazim, Charkhi Dadri.

The entries under the heading JIND STATE in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 504-I. B., dated the 19th April 1915, are hereby cancelled.

*The 27th December 1917.*

**No. 3017-I. B.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to apply to Carbide of Calcium the provisions of sections 8 to 15, 17, 18, 23 and 24 of the said Act, and to prescribe that, for the quantity of petroleum mentioned in section 11 of the same Act, such quantity or quantities of Carbide of Calcium shall be substituted as may be prescribed by the rules for the time being in force relating to the importation, possession and transport of Carbide of Calcium in Berar.

J. B. WOOD,

*Secretary to the Government of India*

*Sinla, the 27th December 1917.*

**No. 312-G. — S.**—With reference to Notification No. 1851-G, dated the 26th November 1917, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Count G. Viola di Campalto as Consul for Italy at Calcutta, has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

**No. 315-G. — S.**—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Consulate-General for Italy at Calcutta has been reduced by the Italian Government to the rank of a Consulate.

A. H. GRANT,

*Secretary to the Government of India*

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## NOTIFICATION.

## ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE

## ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS

Delhi, the 24th December 1917.

No. 2742-F.—Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.

November 1917.

Lakhs of Rupees.

	NOVEMBER.		TO END OF NOV.		WHOLE YEAR.	
	1917-1918.	1916-1917.	1917-1918.	1916-1917.	Budget, 1-17-1918.	Actuals, preliminary, 1916-1917.
<b>Civil Revenue.</b>						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	64	82	14 67	14.15	36.12	36.09
Opium	25	40	2.15	2.95	5.08	4.44
Salt	99	99	5.90	4.55	5.96	7.22
Stamp	66	78	5.62	5.61	8.93	8.48
Excise	1.18	1.05	9.55	8.70	13.99	13.79
Provincial Rates	1	..	8	2	4	5
Customs	1.74	1.30	10.47	8.37	14.09	12.97
Income Tax	71	51	4.10	3.39	7.48	5.41
Forest	23	30	1.76	1.58	3.46	3.55
Registration	5	6	54	51	83	81
Tributes from Native States	8	5	28	26	93	83
Other Civil Revenue	44	68	3.94	3.20	5.10	5.56
<b>TOTAL CIVIL HEADS</b>	<b>6.98</b>	<b>6.94</b>	<b>59.87</b>	<b>53.34</b>	<b>1,01.95</b>	<b>99.20</b>
Major Irrigation Revenue	4	5	2.37	2.45	4.45	4.27
Other Public Works Ordinary Revenue	1	1	38	39	77	66
<b>TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE (including Ordinary Public Works)</b>	<b>7.01</b>	<b>7.00</b>	<b>62.62</b>	<b>56.18</b>	<b>1,07.17</b>	<b>1,04.12</b>
<b>Civil Expenditure.</b>						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	-86	-58	-4.72	-3.44	-6.61	-5.65
Opium	-1	-1	-1.55	-1.30	-1.98	-1.86
Famine Relief (Civil)	..	..	..	-25	-8	-27
Other Civil Expenditure	-3.61	-3.55	-31.25	-30.24	-51.80	-40.28
<b>TOTAL CIVIL HEADS</b>	<b>-4.48</b>	<b>-4.14</b>	<b>-31.55</b>	<b>-35.28</b>	<b>-60.47</b>	<b>-58.06</b>
Major Irrigation Working Expenses	-12	-14	-1.21	-1.22	-2.09	-1.99
Buildings and Roads Expenditure	-48	-42	-3.28	-3.18	-7.20	-5.79
Famine Relief (Public Works)	..	-3	-25	-32	-60	-50
Other P. W. Ordinary Expenditure	-9	-7	-72	-64	-1.25	-1.09
<b>TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE (including Public Works)</b>	<b>-5.17</b>	<b>-4.80</b>	<b>-43.04</b>	<b>-40.59</b>	<b>-71.14</b>	<b>-62.93</b>
Irrigation Capital Expenditure	-4	-5	-39	-42	-88	-84
Delhi Capital Expenditure	-2	-2	-18	-25	-58	-36
<b>TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>-7</b>	<b>-57</b>	<b>-67</b>	<b>-146</b>	<b>-120</b>
<b>Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and Issues from these Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments.</b>						
The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.						
Posts and Telegraph (Net)	-75	+6	-9.88	-58	-1.24	-1.99
Marine (Net)	-98	-1.18	-8.30	-7.32	-10.92	-11.72
Military Works (Net)	-32	-42	-4.17	-2.16	-3.74	-4.91
Military Receipts	+40	+22	+2.45	+1.75	+2.55	+2.93
Military Issues	-8.19	-5.67	-68.33	-36.76	-61.09	-63.68
<b>Railway Receipts.</b>						
East Indian Railway	+76	+78	+5.87	+5.86	+9.25	+8.97
Other Railways	+4.57	+4.61	+37.46	+34.55	+54.15	+53.44
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>+5.33</b>	<b>+5.39</b>	<b>+43.33</b>	<b>+40.41</b>	<b>+64.00</b>	<b>+62.41</b>
<b>Railway Issues.</b>						
East Indian Railway	-52	-54	-3.68	-3.80	-5.30	-5.38
Other Railways	-2.2	-2.53	-22.89	-21.33	-33.20	-33.05
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>-2.84</b>	<b>-3.07</b>	<b>-26.57</b>	<b>-25.13</b>	<b>-38.50</b>	<b>-38.43</b>
<b>TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS</b>	<b>-7.85</b>	<b>-4.67</b>	<b>-60.37</b>	<b>-29.79</b>	<b>-22.51</b>	<b>-55.39</b>
<b>Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.</b>						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net + Receipts more, — receipts less than payments)	+18	..	+46.27	+6.73	+10.37	+12.32
Temporary Loan	+7.28	..	+14.53	..	-50	-6.00
Mint (certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	-12	+16	+9	+1.08	+10	+1.19
Remittance of Gold	..	..	..	..	..	..
Currency Transfers against silver	+87	+2.32	+12.70	+14.73	+6.29	+22.43
Deposits of District Funds	-7	-3	-45	+8	-28	+18
Loans by Governments	-10	-2	+11	+53	+24	+86
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs 15 per £	-4.59	-78	-25.41	-8.14	-70	-13.53
Other Debt Heads	+4	-25	-7.01	-2.64	-2.18	+1.87
<b>TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS</b>	<b>+3.19</b>	<b>+1.40</b>	<b>+40.92</b>	<b>+12.89</b>	<b>+13.34</b>	<b>+20.34</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES</b>	<b>-2.08</b>	<b>-1.14</b>	<b>-6.44</b>	<b>-2.48</b>	<b>-4.43</b>	<b>+4.92</b>
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	18.58	16.68	22.94	18.02	22.72	18.02
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	16.50	15.54	16.50	15.54	18.29	22.84

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

*Delhi, the 29th December 1917.*

**No. 1926-D.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India of any copy of the pamphlet entitled "Self Government for India," published by Aktiebolaget Chelius and Company, Stockholm, and issued by the Indian Nationalist Committee (European Centre).

**No. 1940-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made to the schedule appended to the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 5385-C.W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

*Insert* as a new item the following :—

(B) Glycerine.

**No. 1991-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6168—158-W.-II, dated the 22nd July 1916 :—

After the word 'Switzerland' add the words "Argentina, Azores, Bolivia, Brazil, Canary Islands, Cape Verde Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Danish West Indies, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Faroe Islands, Greece, Guatemala, Hayti, Honduras, Liberia, Madeira, Mexico, Netherlands East and West Indies, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portuguese East and West Africa, San Salvador, Spain, Spanish West Africa, Tangier and the Spanish Zone of Influence in Morocco (*i.e.*, Larache, Tetuan, Alcazar and Arzila), Uruguay and Venezuela."

In the first proviso for the words 'by certificates of origin' substitute the words 'either by certificates of origin and interest or certificates of interest, as the case may be.'

**No. 1994-D.**—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India of any copy of the pamphlet entitled "Roger Casement and India" issued by the Indian National Committee (European centre) and published by A. B. Dahlbergsforlags, Stockholm.

## CUSTOMS.

*The 29th December 1917.*

**No. 1990-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of the Notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 9954-W. II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India, whether by the parcels post or otherwise, of all goods from Argentina, Azores, Bolivia, Brazil, Canary Islands, Cape Verde Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Danish West Indies, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Faroe Islands, Greece, Guatemala, Hayti, Honduras, Liberia, Madeira, Mexico, Netherlands East and West Indies, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portuguese East and West Africa, San Salvador, Spain, Spanish West Africa, Tangier and the Spanish Zone of Influence in Morocco (*i.e.*, Larache, Tetuan, Alcazar and Arzila), Uruguay and Venezuela, unless Certificates of Interest in the form prescribed in the annexed schedule are presented to the Customs-Collector at the port of import in respect of such goods.

Provided that—

- (i) a single certificate may be used to cover any number of parcels of goods shipped by one consignor to one consignee on one vessel at the same time, provided that some means of identification is provided;
- (ii) nothing in this notification shall apply to—
  - (a) goods imported for the use of Government Departments;
  - (b) goods imported under a general or special licence granted by the Governor General in pursuance of the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation No. 2, as amended and extended by subsequent Proclamations;
  - (c) goods imported from an allied country by way of a neutral country on a through bill of lading or by through postal parcel;
  - (d) goods transhipped without breaking bulk in Indian ports or carried forward in the same bottom to destinations outside British India;
  - (e) *bond fide* personal and household effects of persons entering the country;
  - (f) consignments for Red Cross Societies;
  - (g) samples of no commercial value;



- (k) imports of Meat ; Petroleum and all products of petroleum ; and Sugar ;  
 (i) Postal parcels originating in Panama and the Canal Zone, Panama ;  
 (iii) the Customs-Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that the goods have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any goods imported from the above mentioned countries, even if unaccompanied by certificates of interest on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct ;  
 (iv) the Customs-Collector, in his discretion, may—  
 (a) detain goods in respect of which a certificate of interest has been duly furnished, pending the production of such further evidence of interest as he may consider satisfactory ; or  
 (b) release such goods on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct.

### SCHEDULE.

#### *Form of Certificate of Interest.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify that Mr. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Producer, Manufacturer, Merchant, Trader, etc.), residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
 in this town, has declared before me that the merchandise designated below is to be shipped from this town to \_\_\_\_\_, and consigned to (a) \_\_\_\_\_ (Merchant, Manufacturer, etc.), and that no person who is an enemy, or with whom trading is prohibited by any proclamation for the time being in force relating to trading with the enemy, or who figures on the list of persons with whom persons in the United Kingdom are for the time being prohibited from trading under "The Trading with the Enemy (Extension of Powers) Act, 1915," has any interest in such merchandise ; and that he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof.

Number and Description of Cases.	Marks and Numbers.	Weight or Quantity.	Total Value (b)	Contents	Name of Producer or Manufacturer.

The goods specified above, which must in no case exceed (c) must be shipped within (d) from the date hereof

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of person declaring.)

(Signature of Consular Authority  
issuing certificate and date.)

(Consular Fee Stamp.)

(a) If desired, the word "order" may be inserted here, instead of the name of the purchaser in India.

(b) This column may be left blank, if desired.

(c) Here insert in words the weight or quantity.

(d) Here insert number of days within which goods must be shipped.

### IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

*The 29th December 1917.*

**No. 1996-D.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made to the Schedule appended to the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

Insert as new items the following :—

(A) White Haricot beans

(A) Beans, White Haricot.

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

**ARMY DEPARTMENT.***Delhi, the 28th December 1917.***APPOINTMENTS.**

**No. 2235.**—Lieutenant S. S. Angelo, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Railway Transport Officer. Dated 15th December 1917.

**No. 2236.**—Second Lieutenant H. Banham, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding an appointment as Staff Captain. Dated 15th December 1917.

**No. 2237.**—Second Lieutenant John Sarkies Manook, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Adjutant of a Labour Corps Depot, dated 9th December 1917.

**INDIAN ARMY.**

**No. 2238.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1795, dated the 26th October 1917, against the name of Lieutenant Clifford Campbell-Harris, for "to rank from 16th August 1916" read "to rank from 16th June 1916."

**INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.**

**No. 2239.**—The undermentioned officers have been appointed permanently to the Indian Medical Service as Lieutenants by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, subject to His Majesty's approval. Their commissions will bear dates as noted against their names:—

Basil Cederic Ashton, M.B., [Lieutenant, R.A.M.C. (T.C.).]	} 23rd January 1917.
Joseph Godfrey Bird, M. B.	
William Maurice Crombie, M.B., [Lieutenant, R.A.M.C. (T.C.).]	
Robert Hay, M.B., [Captain, R.A.M.C. (S.R.).]	
George Arthur Stuart Ramsey, M.D., [Captain, C.A.M.C.]	
George Shanks, M.D., [Captain, C.A.M.C.]	} 8th August 1917.
Norman Briggs, [Captain, R.A.M.C. (T.C.).]	
Philip Verdon, [Captain, R.A.M.C. (T.C.).]	

**No. 2240.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants with effect from the dates specified:—

Suraj Narayan Kapur . . . . .	20th July 1917.
Samuel Newman Mukand . . . . .	29th August 1917.
Jugul Kishore Sharma . . . . .	26th November 1917.
Satindra Chandra Basu . . . . .	28th November 1917.
Padmanabha Rangappa Bhandarkar . . . . .	2nd December 1917.

**INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.***Sub-Assistant Surgeons' Branch.*

**No. 2241.**—The undermentioned Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeons, who are employed on temporary military duty, in accordance with paragraph 16, Army Regulations, India, Volume VI, are granted, while so employed, military rank as shown below:—

*Senior Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeons.**Temporarily ranking as Jemadars.*

296 Muhammad Ashan . . . . .	15th February 1917.
256 Aizad Bakhsh . . . . .	18th February 1917.

*Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeons**Temporarily ranking as Warrant Officers.*

909 Sukh Ram Das . . . . .	19th August 1914.
246 Bapuji Govindji Desai . . . . .	11th September 1914.
427 Chimanlal Premchand Kamdar . . . . .	23rd September 1914.

...	Umesh Chandra Mozumdar II	12th November 1914.
218	Ganpat Krishna Naidu	27th December 1914.
334	Jacob E. De Souza	27th December 1914.
...	Katish Chandra Das	28th December 1914.
952	Ram Chand	4th October 1915.
1033	V. P. Sivasambu	17th October 1915.
818	Sahib Singh	8th January 1916.
889	Bhagat Ram Puri	27th January 1916.
799	C. Achyudan	15th April 1916.
650	Gopalakrishna Subramanian	19th April 1916.
376	Abdul Razak Shaik Jugan	29th April 1916.
411	Ghanshamdas Karamchand Thadani	8th May 1916.
912	Piaraylal Bhargava	1st June 1916.
899	Sayed Ahmad Khan	1st June 1916.
500	Ramchandra Vithal Kulkarni	1st June 1916.
994	L. A. Ramaswami Ayyar	6th June 1916.
827	K. Kuppuswami Pillai	11th June 1916.
852	K. S. Sivarama Krishna Ayyar	18th June 1916.
...	Atuleswar Das Gupta	26th June 1916.
517	Ratilal Maneklal Bhogi	22nd July 1916.
946	Girdhar Datta	30th July 1916.
801	Fazl Ali	8th August 1916.
802	Jaswant Rai	10th August 1916.
815	Kesar Singh	13th August 1916.
802	Jaswant Rai	15th August 1916.
812	Jiwan Lal	14th August 1916.
816	Amar Nath Chopra	14th August 1916.
814	Thakar Das	14th August 1916.
434	Amir Khan	20th August 1916.
668	Abdul Rahman Khan	20th August 1916.
970	Balmokand	13th September 1916.
...	Navanitrai Purshotam Vyas	18th September 1916.
965	Sultan Singh	20th September 1916.
969	Datta Ram Mirg	21st September 1916.
966	Balwant Singh	23rd September 1916.
975	A. Muttuswami	23rd September 1916.
747	A. M. Arulanandam	23rd September 1916.
...	Manoranjan Ganguli	26th September 1916.
...	Banchhanidhi Mahapatra	28th September 1916.
...	Nathan Naik	30th September 1916.
810	Jai Dayal	1st October 1916.
...	Shrinibas Panigrahy	5th October 1916.
...	Kalyan Krishna Ghosh	14th October 1916.
363	Mahadeo Sitaram Sheorey	16th October 1916.
892	Ganga Ram	18th October 1916.
642	R. Swaminathan	19th October 1916.
513	Mohomed Ali	21st October 1916.
827	Gunga Prasad	21st October 1916.
903	V. V. Kannan Nayar	22nd October 1916.
...	Saiyid Wasi Ahmad	22nd October 1916.
821	Indra Lal Gangola	22nd October 1916.
586	Bihari Lall	23rd October 1916.
996	S. A. Ramdoss	23rd October 1916.
1027	G. Ramamurthi	26th October 1916.
392	James Mathura Prasad	28th October 1916.

627	Lal Bahadur	28th October 1916.
375	Ramji Dass Mehta	28th October 1916.
355	Attar Chand	29th October 1916.
581	Rustum Beg	29th October 1916.
640	Hans Raj Marwaha	29th October 1916.
...	Nityananda Mahanti	1st November 1916.
532	Shaikh Shamsuddin Shaikh Usiff	1st November 1916.
1039	A. P. Susaimarian	3rd November 1916.
688	Gyan Chand Mehra	4th November 1916.
654	N. Desikachari	9th November 1916.
644	N. K. Nair	10th November 1916.
945	Krishnaswami Ayyangar	10th November 1916.
...	Jadu Nath Panda	11th November 1916.
687	Sobha Singh	16th November 1916.
346	Manilal Nagardas Vora	21st November 1916.
369	Murlidhar Ratiram Johari	22nd November 1916.
1051	P. A. Nainar	23rd November 1916.
...	Shaikh Muhammad Abdul Hakim	25th November 1916.
1001	T. S. Ramchandran	26th November 1916.
...	Jogendra Nath De	1st December 1916.
664	Gurbakhsh Singh	1st December 1916.
938	K. Suryamarayana	2nd December 1916.
347	Benode Behari Ganguly	5th December 1916.
829	Govind Pershad	6th December 1916.
...	Abdur Rahman	8th December 1916.
1048	E. Gopala Nayar	11th December 1916.
364	Gangadhar Balwant Panse	14th December 1916.
820	Puran Chand	19th December 1916.
869	Rasik Behari Lal	21st December 1916.
339	Pareesh Nath Mukherji	21st December 1916.
...	Bimola Charan Das Gupta	9th January 1917.
...	Hemendra Chandra Deb Gupta	13th January 1917.
968	Malak Bodhraj	24th January 1917.
1007	T. S. Dakshinamoorthi	25th January 1917.
983	Vadali Lakshminarayana	30th January 1917.
890	S. Jagadisan	31st January 1917.
893	Chuni Lal	4th February 1917.
...	Bishnu Lal Dekshit	6th February 1917.
...	Heremba Lal Laskar	6th February 1917.
709	Pearay Lal	11th February 1917.
349	Ram Dayal Datta	12th February 1917.
946	S. Ramchandra Rao Nayudu	14th February 1917.
1037	N. A. Krishnaswami Ayyar	17th February 1917.
...	Surendra Prasad Das	21st February 1917.
949	Bishambar Das Sharma	22nd February 1917.
556	Mohammed Salim	25th February 1917.
656	Chandra Shekhar Sharma	25th February 1917.
...	Ghanashyam Bhowmick	28th February 1917.
...	Kharaiti Ram Sood	2nd March 1917.
356	Jatindra Nath Lahiri	10th March 1917.
797	Raja Ram	21st March 1917.
890	Munni Lal	22nd March 1917.
...	Kirit Narayana Lal	23rd March 1917.
760	Joti Sarup Tewari	23rd March 1917.
891	Pt. Sagar Chand Rikhi	24th March 1917.

788	Jagdish Ram	25th March 1917.
964	S. S. Subramanya Ayyar	27th March 1917.
166	Abdul Majid	28th March 1917.
290	Mirza Abdul Karim Beg	30th March 1917.
905	Syed Murad Ali	30th March 1917.
843	Ambika Pershad Dube	30th March 1917.
873	Mathura Pershad Saksena	30th March 1917.
893	P. Narasappaya	2nd April 1917.
344	Charles Daud Singh	3rd April 1917.
1028	S. S. Kanthimathinathan	6th April 1917.
296	Balwant Krishnaji Aloni	7th April 1917.
661	Hans Raj Rishi	7th April 1917.
860	S. Subha Rao	8th April 1917.
1029	D. Sivasubramanyam	9th April 1917.
...	Jogesh Caudara Halder	16th April 1917.
389	Vishwanath Laxman Kalkonde	20th April 1917.
993	Etaiyapuram Ranga Thirumalai Ayyanger	23rd April 1917.
...	Narayan Prashad Das	23rd April 1917.
597	A. S. Nair	25th April 1917.
602	Gauhar Din	25th April 1917.
587	Raghu Nath Rai	27th April 1917.
1032	B. Subba Rao	27th April 1917.
739	Gurditta Mal	29th April 1917.
...	Jagendra Nath Mukhati	30th April 1917.
1041	N. Moorthisarma	30th April 1917.
...	Madhu Sudan Guha Roy	1st May 1917.
358	Harendra Nath Chatterji	1st May 1917.
934	D. Mathurainayagam	4th May 1917.
803	Radha Mohan Lal	7th May 1917.
969	N. Gopalan	9th May 1917.
261	Ambika Prasad	10th May 1917.
...	Jogendra Nath Sen Gupta	13th May 1917.
984	D. Jagannatha Rao	15th May 1917.
971	K. Jagga Rao	15th May 1917.
896	Hardatt Pant	15th May 1917.
781	T. Maduraimuthu Pillai	15th May 1917.
...	Meghraj Chadda	16th May 1917.
898	Rikhab Chand	16th May 1917.
978	S. Krishnayya	16th May 1917.
1030	K. Ramachandran	17th May 1917.
...	Krishna Chandra Mishra	18th May 1917.
847	Har Sahai	19th May 1917.
943	P. J. Asiravatham Pillai	19th May 1917.
773	S. Ghulam Muhammad	19th May 1917.
432	Krishna Nand	20th May 1917.
594	R. T. Giriraji Aiyangar	22nd May 1917.
626	Ranchardas Pandya	22nd May 1917.
589	Bishan Dass	22nd May 1917.
1042	B. A. Sankaranarayana Pillai	22nd May 1917.
718	N. Sankara Iyer	23rd May 1917.
805	Ram Lal Shah	24th May 1917.
815	E. S. Francis	24th May 1917.
702	Tara Chand	26th May 1917.
669	Ata Muhammad	28th May 1917.
885	P. Chockalingam Pillai	31st May 1917.

912	Pearey Lal Bhargava	1st June 1917.
663	Bhag Singh	2nd June 1917.
342	Surendra Chandra Mitra	4th June 1917.
716	P. Raghavan	8th June 1917.
717	J. Mathan	9th June 1917.
...	Purna Chandra Ghosh	11th June 1917.
...	Kali Charan Patnaik	12th June 1917.
826	Gopal Sahai	13th June 1917.
923	Hamid Husain Quraishi	13th June 1917.
725	Asa Ram	14th June 1917.
485	Kodumal Hotchand Hasrajan	14th June 1917.
722	Sundar Lall Lumba	14th June 1917.
...	Dattatraya Gangadhar Tamhane	14th June 1917.
713	V. S. Harihara Iyer	15th June 1917.
723	Kapoor Singh	15th June 1917.
299	Balbhadra Sukul	15th June 1917.
...	S. S. Subramanya Iyer	15th June 1917.
721	Siri Ram	16th June 1917.
907	P. Ramalinga Nayar	16th June 1917.
..	Isaac Chandra Das	16th June 1917.
888	Khazan Singh	16th June 1917.
727	Kishori Lall	18th June 1917.
136	Baliram Dadaji Deo	18th June 1917.
556	Dattatraya Bhujang Sardesh Pande	18th June 1917.
535	Anantprasad Trimbaklal Mankodi	19th June 1917.
846	K. V. Dhavakoti Nayudu	19th June 1917.
909	S. Somasundaram Pillay	20th June 1917.
715	T. Raghavan Menon	20th June 1917.
896	K. Govindan	20th June 1917.
386	Dinkar Pandurang Lokhande	20th June 1917.
755	Abdul Aziz	21st June 1917.
...	Gregory Ropmay	23rd June 1917.
900	Chiranji Lal	23rd June 1917.
916	Sundar Lall Aggarwal	23rd June 1917.
787	N. Isaac	23rd June 1917.
684	P. K. Vaithilinga Iyer	24th June 1917.
451	Ganesh Bhikaji Purulekar	25th June 1917.
810	Dwarka Prasad Johri	26th June 1917.
809	Shib Dayal	24th June 1917.
720	P. Doraisawami	30th June 1917.
503	Firozud Din	30th June 1917.
779	Gaya Prasad Bharadawaj	1st July 1917.
796	Vidya Dhar Sharma	2nd July 1917.
812	Saghir Hussain	2nd July 1917.
816	Ali Abdulla Jafri	2nd July 1917.
...	Bhawani Prasahad Chakravarty	3rd July 1917.
809	K. Sankarnarayana	3rd July 1917.
1024	K. Kalyanarman	4th July 1917.
670	Amar Nath Sethi	5th July 1917.
1049	Meenakshi Sundaram Pichumoni Ayer	5th July 1917.
808	Dina Nath	5th July 1917.
298	Bhaskar Hari Bhawe	6th July 1917.
1015	P. S. Sankaranarayana Ayyar	6th July 1917.
546	Vithal Purushottam Wagle	9th July 1917.
681	V. Madhavan Nair	9th July 1917.

782	Nripendra Nath Bose . . . . .	9th July 1917.
864	Govindurajulu Naidoo . . . . .	10th July 1917.
388	Narayan Krishna Bhide . . . . .	10th July 1917.
505	Jivaji Vishwanath Hudli . . . . .	11th July 1917.
...	Benode Charan Mitra . . . . .	11th July 1917.
558	Dattatraya Annaji Bhure . . . . .	11th July 1917.
800	Ram Kishan . . . . .	12th July 1917.
545	Mahadev Venkatesh Satti . . . . .	14th July 1917.
491	Shrikrishna Ragunath Inglo . . . . .	15th July 1917.
513	Shankar Govind Kulkar . . . . .	15th July 1917.
507	Bulehand Chuharsingh Hingorani . . . . .	15th July 1917.
692	Krishna Iyengar Devevaram Samuel . . . . .	16th July 1917.
692	J. Venkataraman Naidu . . . . .	16th July 1917.
1608	W. Atchayya . . . . .	17th July 1917.
...	Dowel . . . . .	18th July 1917.
539	Krishnaji Sitaram Barsode . . . . .	20th July 1917.
973	N. Sakharan Rao . . . . .	22nd July 1917.
81	Madhusudan Das . . . . .	28th July 1917.
509	Mulchand Gianchand Gusai Lane . . . . .	3rd August 1917.
...	Mag Hanmal Shewram . . . . .	6th August 1917.
...	Taraknath Moholanabish . . . . .	9th August 1917.
321	Kritarth Kamal Sen . . . . .	10th August 1917.
486	Manghanmal Sadhumal Hasrajani . . . . .	10th August 1917.
511	Virchand Lavchand Doshi . . . . .	10th August 1917.
462	Dattatraya Gangadhar Khanapurkar . . . . .	11th August 1917.
533	Sadashiv Balawant Patki . . . . .	12th August 1917.
407	Ganesh Perashram Tendulkar . . . . .	12th August 1917.
536	Manilal Ganpatram Parikh . . . . .	16th August 1917.
538	Keshav Narayan Karbhase . . . . .	18th August 1917.
...	Detaram Gurdasmal Samani . . . . .	18th August 1917.
913	Komaadur Sesha Acharya . . . . .	20th August 1917.
700	Mata Prasad . . . . .	21st August 1917.
740	Vellapulli Padmanabhan Nair . . . . .	25th August 1917.
417	Kautik Kashiram Bhalode . . . . .	30th August 1917.
489	Narotam Valabji Adalja . . . . .	30th August 1917.
445	Chundulal Mahasukh Ram Bhatt . . . . .	30th August 1917.
849	Saran Sarup . . . . .	30th August 1917.
580	Lakshmi Narain . . . . .	3rd September 1917.
502	Parvatishankar Ramchandra Jetly . . . . .	4th September 1917.
...	Narayana Sowunny Pillai . . . . .	5th September 1917.
544	Chandulal Mathurdas Shah . . . . .	5th September 1917.
784	Jaya Nand Barthwal . . . . .	5th September 1917.
...	Shaikh Mobarak Ali . . . . .	5th September 1917.
...	Ramcharan Gupta . . . . .	5th September 1917.
618	T. Kothandapani Naidu . . . . .	5th September 1917.
742	S. Gurubatham . . . . .	6th September 1917.
745	T. C. Gopalan . . . . .	6th September 1917.
741	R. G. Vancheswara Iyer . . . . .	6th September 1917.
420	Parbhudas Somabhai Patel . . . . .	6th September 1917.
744	Sam Paul . . . . .	6th September 1917.
841	Narain Behari Lal . . . . .	6th September 1917.
743	L. R. Vaidyanath Sarma . . . . .	7th September 1917.
...	Pooran Chand Lakhsman Prashad . . . . .	7th September 1917.
864	Shivlal Dube . . . . .	8th September 1917.
528	Dilsukhrai Gangashankar Nanavati . . . . .	8th September 1917.

680	Hans Raj	8th September 1917.
148	Dasharath Balwant Dixit	9th September 1917.
311	Marghabia Manorbai Patel	10th September 1917.
863	Babu Prasad Gupta	10th September 1917.
1054	D. Ram Annamalai	10th September 1917.
917	Habibuddin Khan	12th September 1917.
...	M. P. Ramalingan	12th September 1917.
627	V. J. Dawson	13th September 1917.
732	V. Sundram	13th September 1917.
868	Alauddin	15th September 1917.
630	Gunpat Ram	15th September 1917.
487	Manishankar Laxmishankar Desai	16th September 1917.
658	M. C. Bhaktavatsala Chetty	18th September 1917.
668	Kirpal Singh	18th September 1917.
529	Mangesh Vinayak Palekar	18th September 1917.
375	Muhammad Saiyid Faraghat Ali Shah	19th September 1917.
...	Ram Nath Sarma	20th September 1917.
400	Vithal Keshao Tilve	20th September 1917.
454	Anand Ram Bhatt	20th September 1917.
547	Idanmal Hotchand Wadwani	24th September 1917.
...	Niladri Datta	25th September 1917.
381	Savilal Manilal Vyas	26th September 1917.
513	Pandurang Ramchandra Gunaji	27th September 1917.
560	Shivram Balwant Risbud	5th October 1917.
527	S. T. Seturama Ayyar	9th October 1917.
...	Madhu Sudan De	18th October 1917.
397	Laxman Vithal Phatak	20th October 1917.
...	Abu Muhammad Bashiruddin	22nd October 1917.
...	Bibhu Prasad De	24th October 1917.
395	Balabhai Kesarsing Sheth	1st November 1917.
466	Elias Piedade Pereira	2nd November 1917.
276	Damodar Maruti Jalgaonkar	2nd November 1917.
...	Jiban Krishna Chattaraj	2nd November 1917.
...	D. K. Chakravarti	6th November 1917.
770	Maqbul Husain	10th November 1917.
484	Manishankar Laxmishankar Desai	11th November 1917.
...	Mahendra Nath De	12th November 1917.
...	Jamini Kumar Mukherji	13th November 1917.
621	P. M. Chakravarti	15th November 1917.
...	Sudhir Chandra Sen Gupta	15th November 1917.
1031	J. M. R. Moses	22nd November 1917.
756	Habib Ullah	22nd November 1917.
911	Bhanwar Lal Sharma	22nd November 1917.
...	Nihal Chand	27th November 1917.

*Bengal Establishment.*

**No. 2242.**—Second Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon ranking as Jemadar Saiyid Nazim Ali, who was dismissed from the service *vide* Army Department Notification No. 419, dated the 23rd March 1917, is readmitted into the Subordinate Medical Department with effect from the 30th May 1917.

**FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.**

**CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.**

**No. 2243.**—Major R. Scott, Indian Army, Supernumerary List, has been granted leave on medical certificate for six months, under Article 308, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th October 1917; 1 month and 4 days being privilege leave.



## INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2244.**—The following officers are appointed to the Indian Army on probation, subject to His Majesty's approval, with a view to their permanent appointment, with effect from the dates specified :—

*To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Oliver Stephen Chaandler, 1-5th Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 6th May 1916.

Lieutenant Charles Louis d'Albani, 3rd Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, attached 123rd Outram's Rifles. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 15th May 1916.

Lieutenant Cecil Dunbar Newland, 3rd Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), attached 2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 15th May 1916.

Captain John Edward Redding, 7th Battalion, The King's (Liverpool Regiment), attached 35th Sikhs. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 22nd May 1916.

Captain Edward Venables Argles, Army Service Corps, attached 1-2nd Battalion, Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Dated 4th December 1917, but to rank from the 31st May 1916.

Lieutenant Nicolas Robert Coles, 6th Battalion, The East Yorkshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 9th June 1916.

Captain Edwin Cecil O'Brien, Army Service Corps, attached 3rd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 4th December 1917, but to rank from the 12th June 1916.

Lieutenant Henry Maurice Chambers, 3rd (Reserve) Garrison Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), attached 117th Mahrattas. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 25th June 1916.

Captain Malcolm John Stewart, 1st Lovat's Scouts, attached 2nd Battalion, 42nd Deoli Regiment. Dated 4th December 1917, but to rank from the 2nd August 1916.

Lieutenant Albert Edwin Phelps, 6th Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 14th August 1916.

Lieutenant Kenneth Hugh Noel, General List, attached 2nd Battalion, 107th Pioneers. Dated 16th September 1917, but to rank from the 2nd September 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant William Balfour Campbell, The Gordon Highlanders, attached 113th Infantry. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 4th September 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Frederick Ralph Honeyball, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), attached 3rd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry. Dated 22nd November 1917, but to rank from the 11th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Harold Denson Cornish, 1st Garrison Battalion, The Northamptonshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles). Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 26th October 1916.

Lieutenant Gordon Blackburne Kane, 7th Battalion, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), attached 41st Dogras. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 11th December 1916.

Lieutenant Herbert Stanley Secombe, 6th Battalion, The Worcestershire Regiment, attached 1st Battalion, 43rd Erinjura Regiment. Dated 22nd November 1917, but to rank from the 18th December 1916.

Lieutenant Herbert James Attwood Simpson, Machine Gun Corps, attached 2nd Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 7th January 1917.

Lieutenant Bernard Hull, 3rd Battalion, The Essex Regiment, attached 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles). Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 8th January 1917.

Lieutenant Norman Keith Bell, 11th Battalion (Cambridgeshire), The Suffolk Regiment, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 19th January 1917.

Lieutenant Charles Eric Rainy Pennington, Army Service Corps, attached 33rd Punjabis. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 10th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant Harold Shuker, Machine Gun Corps Cavalry, attached 3rd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 14th March 1917.

Lieutenant Kenneth Burrell, 4th Battalion, The Cheshire Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 23rd March 1917.

Lieutenant Thomas James Barnes, 2-5th Battalion, The Essex Regiment, attached 64th Pioneers. Dated 26th November 1917, but to rank from the 4th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Howard Frank Newman Powell, 3rd Battalion, The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), attached 66th Punjabis. Dated the 26th November 1917, but to rank from the 4th May 1917.

Lieutenant Charles Leopold Joseph McCarthy, 6th Battalion, The Connaught Rangers, attached 88th Carnatic Infantry. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 12th May 1917.

Second Lieutenant John William Alexander Babbie, 3rd Battalion, The Highland Light Infantry, attached 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 30th November 1917, but to rank from the 14th May 1917.

Lieutenant James Campbell, 2-5th Battalion, The King's Own Scottish Borderers, attached 74th Punjabis. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 21st May 1917.

Second Lieutenant Herbert McKinstry, General List, attached 1st Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 23rd May 1917.

Lieutenant Arthur Duncan Allott, 1-22nd (County of London) Battalion, The London Regiment (The Queen's), attached 3rd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 29th July 1917, but to rank from the 26th May 1917.

Lieutenant Kenneth Paterson, 4th Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, attached 2nd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 3rd December 1917, but to rank from the 2nd June 1917.

Lieutenant Wilfred George Holmes Wells, Army Service Corps, attached 1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 6th June 1917.

Lieutenant Frederick Oscar Edwards, Machine Gun Corps, attached 125th Napier's Rifles. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 9th June 1917.

Lieutenant Leslie Norman Douglas, 5th Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), attached 2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 26th November 1917, but to rank from the 25th June 1917.

Lieutenant James Morrison Stirling, 7th (City of London) Battalion, The London Regiment, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 2nd July 1917.

Lieutenant John Mayes Black, 4th Battalion (Queen's Edinburgh Rifles), The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), attached 121st Pioneers. Dated 3rd December 1917 but to rank from the 4th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Clarence Everett Caiger, 1st County of London Yeomanry, attached 36th Jacob's Horse. Dated 31st October 1917, but to rank from the 8th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Archibald Downie, 3rd Battalion, The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, attached 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment). Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 9th August 1917.

Second Lieutenant James Simms, 3rd Battalion, The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, attached 99th Deccan Infantry. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 9th September 1917.

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Second Lieutenant Stanley William Haylock, 18th Battalion, The London Regiment (London Irish Rifles), attached 82nd Punjabis. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 11th April 1917.

Second Lieutenant Edwin West, 7th Battalion, The Leicestershire Regiment, attached 47th Sikhs. Dated 23rd November 1917, but to rank from the 22nd August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Edward Albert Barden, 3rd Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment, attached 66th Punjabis. Dated 25th November 1917, but to rank from the 22nd August 1917.

Second Lieutenant Charles George Breton, 3rd Garrison Battalion, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, attached 69th Punjabis. Dated 5th November 1917, but to rank from the 11th December 1917.

**No. 2245.**—The following officers are admitted to the Indian Army on probation, from the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

*Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.*

Wilfred James Crocker, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs. Dated 5th December 1917, but rank from the 4th September 1916.

Curtis Wilson Folliott Scott, 2nd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 14th October 1916.

Arthur Reginald Nye, 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 29th April 1917.

*Lieutenants to be Second Lieutenants.*

Stephen Harold Mann, 8th Rajputs. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 19th January 1917.

Percy Ivor Vincent Rippon, 114th Mahrattas. Dated 5th December 1917, but to rank from the 19th June 1917.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 2246.**—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval.—

*Cavalry Branch.**To be Second Lieutenant.*

John Thomas Lloyd . . . . . Dated 22nd December 1917.

*Infantry Branch**To be Lieutenant.*

Edward Nevinson Bell . . . . . Dated 1st December 1917.

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Harry Linskill . . . . . Dated 26th November 1917.  
 Sam Lord Ashworth . . . . . Dated 8th December 1917  
 John Saunders . . . . . Dated 10th December 1917.  
 Godfrey Sutcliffe Marsh . . . . . Dated 20th December 1917.  
 John Syddall . . . . . Dated 22nd December 1917.

**No. 2247.**—James Young (Second Lieutenant, 13th Battalion, The Highland Light Infantry) to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, dated 2nd December 1917, but to rank from the 20th May 1916.

**No. 2248.**—Second Lieutenant Harry Linskill, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, while Commandant, Depot, Ford Motor Van Company, dated 26th November 1917.

**No. 2249.** In Army Department Notification No. 2077, dated the 7th December 1917, for "George Eyre Wilson" read "Gerald Eyre Wilson."

## LONDON GAZETTE.

**No. 2250.**—The following extracts are published for general information :—

*Supplement, dated the 17th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 16th October 1917, pages 10655, 10656 and 10663*

War Office,  
17th October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The under-mentioned appts are made :—

## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

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(Graded for purposes of pay as a Brig.-Maj. whilst 2nd in Command of an Officer Cadet Unit :—

Maj. G. N. S. Keene, Ind. Army 21st Sept 1917.

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The undermentioned temp. appts. are made at the War Office :

*G. S. Os.—*

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*3rd Grade.—*

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Maj. R. H. Howell, Ind. Cav., from a Flight Comdr., R.F.C., *vice* Capt. C. B. Krabbé, Yeo., T. F. 15th Sept. 1917.

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*Labour Corps.*

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Arthur W. Blake (Capt., Malabar Vol. Rif., Ind.) to be temp. Capt. 1st Aug. 1917.

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*Second Supplement, dated the 17th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 16th October 1917, pages 10679 and 10680.*

#### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office,  
St. James's Palace, S. W.,  
17th October, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, for valuable services rendered in connection with Military Operations in the Field, to be dated 4th June, 1917 :—

*To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order :—*

Col. (T./Brig.-Gen.) William Crawford Walton, C.M.G., Ind. Army.

Col. (T./Brig.-Gen.) Reginald Edward Harry Dyer, Ind. Army.

*Chancery of the Order of  
Saint Michael and Saint George,  
Downing Street, 17th October, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, for services rendered in connection with Military Operations in the Field, to be dated 4th June, 1917 :—

*To be Additional Members of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order :—*

Lt-Col. George Arthur Dale, Punjabis, Ind. Army

Maj. (T./Lt.-Col.) Charles Henry Brownlow Lees, Sikhs, Ind. Army.

*India Office,  
17th October, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, in recognition of the meritorious services of the undermentioned officers in connection with the War :—

*To be Additional Companions of the said Most Eminent Order :—*

Major Lewis Cecil Wagstaff, Indian Infantry.

Captain Cyril Penrose Paige, Indian Infantry.

*War Office,  
17th October, 1917.*

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for Distinguished Service in the Field, dated 3rd June, 1917 :—

*To be Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Maj (T/Lt.-Col.) E. C. Alexander, D.S.O., Rif., Ind. Army.  
Maj. V. E. Gwyer, Jats, Ind. Army.

*To be Brevet Major.*

Capt. C. H. G. H. Harvey-Kelly, Baluchis, Ind. Army.

*To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.*

Lt.-Col. Alan James Campbell, Inf., Ind. Army.  
Capt. James Alfred Collum, Cav., Ind. Army.  
Maj. (T./Lt.-Col.) George Lambert Farran, M.C., Cav., Ind. Army.  
Maj. (T./Lt.-Col.) Frederick Fraser Hunter, Ind. Army.  
Maj. Edward Leyborne Popham, Cav., Ind. Army.

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Capt. (T/Maj) Mucan Saunders, Sikhs, Ind. Army.

*Awarded the Military Cross.*

Capt. James McKenzie Anderson, Inf., Ind. Army.  
Capt. Alexander Dumaresq Bennett, Punjabis, Ind. Army.  
Capt. Lionel Edward Lang, Pioneers, Ind. Army.  
Lt. Kenneth John Thriepland Ridge, Ind. Army.

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S C.S.M. William Yule, Ind. Unattd. List, formerly R. Scots (now 2nd Lt., empld. Ind. Sig. Serv.).

*Awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.*

29 C.S.M. J. Butcher, Ind. Unattd. List, formerly R.H.A. (now 2nd Lt., empld. Ind. Sig. Serv.)  
S./Sjt J. A. Davies, S. and T. Corps, Ind. Army, late R.H.A. (now 2nd Lt., R.A.).

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Condr. H. R. Roffey, Ind. Wise List (now Asst. Commy. and Hon. Lt.).

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*Awarded the Meritorious Service Medal for valuable services rendered with the Armies in the field :—*

Condr. W. A. Darby, S. and T. Corps, I.A. (now Asst. Commy. and Hon. Lt.).

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1st Cl. Asst. Surg. W. T. Kidby, Ind. Sub. Med. Serv. (now Senior Asst. Surg. and Hon. Lt.).

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6874 R.Q.M.S., F. Russell, R.E. (now 2nd Lt., empld. Ind. Sig. Serv.).

35 Sjt. P. E. Shrubsall, Ind. Unattd. List, formerly K.R.R.C. (now 2nd Lt., empld. Ind. Sig. Serv.).

Condr. P. H. Watson, S. and T. Corps, Ind. Army (now Asst. Commy. and Hon. Lt.).

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Royal Red Cross decoration to the undermentioned lady, in recognition of her valuable services in connection with the War :—

Senior Nursing Sister Miss Mabel Anna Stroughill, Q.A.M.N.S. for India.

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*Third Supplement, dated the 18th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 16th October 1917, pages 10681 and 10686.*

War Office,  
18th October, 1917.

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#### MEMORANDA.

Lt.-Gen. Sir H. B. B. Watkis, K.C.B., Ind. Army, to be Gen., *vice* Sir M. H. S. Grover, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., *supern.* 1st Oct. 1917.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Lts. :—

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Temp. Engineer Sub.-Lieut. Frederick Grayson, R. Ind. Mar. 1st Aug. 1917.

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*Fourth Supplement, dated the 18th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 16th October 1917, pages 10705, 10706, 10712, 10713, 10715, 10729, 10731 and 10732.*

War Office,  
18th October, 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been pleased to confer the undermentioned rewards for gallantry and distinguished service in the field

The acts of gallantry for which the decorations have been awarded will be announced in the London Gazette as early as practicable :—

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#### AWARDED THE MILITARY CROSS.

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Capt. Sidney Stratton Whitaker, Ind. Inf.

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NOTE.—All awards of the Distinguished Service Order and Military Cross, conferred by Commanders-in-Chief in the field and notified to War Office up to 30th September, 1917, have now been announced in the London Gazette.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Military Medal for bravery in the field to the undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men :—

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3334 Sjt. E. Vogel, M.G. Corps (India).

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#### INDIAN ARMY.

42 Sjt. E. Simmonds, I.U.I.

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## AMENDMENTS.

The following are the correct descriptions of officers, non-commissioned officers and men upon whom rewards have recently been conferred :—

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Subadar Malik Aman (I.O.M. gazetted 17th April, 1917.)

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*Sixth Supplement, dated the 19th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 16th October 1917, pages 10741, 10744 and 10746.*

War Office,  
19th October, 1917.

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## MEMORANDA

Bt Col. (temp Brig.-Gen.) C. W. G. Richardson, Ind. Inf., to be temp. Maj.-Gen whilst empd. as D.Q.M.G., India. 1st Oct. 1917.

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*Labour Corps*

Brev Col. J. H. Balfour (Ind. Army) ceases to be empd. with the Corps. 14th Sept. 1917.

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*Memorandum.*

Maj. Sir J. L. Harrington, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., C.B. (ret., Ind. Army), late temp. Lt.-Col., comdg. Serv. Bn. S. Lan. R., to be granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 16th May 1916

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*Supplement, dated the 20th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 19th October 1917, pages 10817, 10819 and 10827.*

War Office,  
20th October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF :—

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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## INFANTRY.

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*Cam'n Hghrs.*—Lt. I. A. H. S. Monro, from Ind. Inf., to be Lt., and to be seed. for service on the staff. 5th Oct. 1917.

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*General List.*

E. V. Jones (late Ind. Army) to be temp. Capt. 24th Dec. 1915.

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*Third Supplement, dated the 29th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 26th October 1917, pages 11113, 11115 and 11116.*

War Office,  
29th October, 1917.

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lt., 1st Cl. —Hon. Brig.-Gen. G. H. Turner, ret. pay, Ind. Army, from a Draft Conducting Officer. 14th July 1917. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 17th Aug. 1917.)

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 2nd Cl.)—

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Lt.-Col. G. W. Priestley, ret. pay, Ind. Army, relinquishes his appt. 8th Oct. 1917.

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## MEMORANDA.

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Lt.-Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) F. A. Andrew, D.S.O., Ind. Army, retains his temp. rank whilst empd. as a Brig. Comdr. 13th Sept. 1917.

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The undermentioned 2nd Lts., Ind. Army, to be temp. Lts. whilst holding the appt. of Adjt. :—

W. E. H. Talbot. 22nd Sept. 1916.

H. V. Bartlett. 20th Oct. 1916.

F. P. G. Denehy. 1st Nov. 1916.

L. M. Combe. 11th Dec. 1916.

R. G. Woodward. 24th Feb. 1917.

F. L. Philpott. 11th June 1917.

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*Fourth Supplement, dated the 30th October 1917, to the London Gazette of the 26th October 1917, page 11138.*

War Office,  
30th October, 1917.

## TERRITORIAL FORCE.

## YEOMANRY.

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Maj. G. R. de H. Smith (Maj., ret., I. A.), relinquishes his commission in the T. F. on appt. to Remount Service, 31st Oct. 1917.

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*Supplement, dated the 31st October, 1917, to the London Gazette of the 30th October 1917, pages 11251, 11252 and 11254.*

War Office,  
31st October, 1917.

### REGULAR FORCES.

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

#### PERSONAL STAFF.

*A.D.C.*—Lt. W. R. H. Brown, attd. Ind. Inf., *vice* temp. Lt. the Hon. J. S. Parker, E. Afr. Protectorate Force. 1st Aug. 1917.

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#### A. G.'S AND Q.M.G.'S STAFF.

*A.A.G.s.*—Lt.-Col. A. Ward, D.S.O., Ind. Inf., *vice* Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) W. B. Roberts, D.S.O., Ind. Inf., who relinquishes his temp. rank. 19th July 1917.

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*D.A.Q.M.G.s.*—Maj. R. B. Graham, Ind. Inf., *vice* Maj. J. C. Philips, Ind. Inf. 22nd July 1917.

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#### SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as a G.S.O., 3rd Grade)—The date of the appt. of Maj. F. H. Norie, D.S.O., ret. pay, Ind. Army, is 17th July 1917, and not as in the Gazette of 24th Sept. 1917.

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#### ATTACHED TO IND.-QR. UNITS.

*Column Comdr.*—(Graded for purposes of pay as an A.A.G.)—Lt.-Col. R. T. I. Ridgway, C.B., Ind. Inf., and to be temp. Col. whilst so empd., *vice* Maj. (temp. Col.) H. F. L. Grant, D.S.O., R.A., who relinquishes the grading and temp. rank. 10th July 1917.

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#### MEMORANDA.

Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) J. A. Hannington, C.M.G., D.S.O., Ind. Inf., to be temp. Maj.-Gen., from 20th Jan. to 25th Feb. 1917. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 10th July 1917.)

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### PROMOTIONS.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### *Infantry.*

**No. 2251.**—The following relinquishments of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

##### *The Durham Light Infantry.*

Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. Mahoney, relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company. Dated the 6th December 1917.

##### *The Dorsetshire Regiment.*

Second Lieutenant (acting Captain) W. C. Race, relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to perform the duties of Adjutant of a Combined British Infantry Depot. Dated the 28th September 1917.

**No. 2252.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*The Royal Sussex Regiment.*

Serjeant Robert Victor Wilson. Dated 17th December 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

**No. 2253.**—The following acting promotions and relinquishments of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant L. L. Thwaytes to be acting Captain while commanding a squadron ; from 9th November 1917 to 11th November 1917, inclusive.

*2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Major) P. F. B. Bayly, M.C., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, reverts to acting Captain on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion ; dated 15th November 1917.

• Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. B. Canteno, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company ; dated 15th November 1917.

*13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).*

Major G. B. St. P. Bunbury to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion ; dated 26th October 1917.

Lieutenant H. V. Adams, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company ; dated 26th October 1917.

*14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.*

Lieutenant G. F. Bunbury to be acting Captain while commanding a company ; dated 19th November 1917.

*20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) F. Barclay, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company ; dated 31st October 1917.

*31st Punjabis.*

Lieutenant T. O. Corrin, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company ; dated 3rd November 1917.

*37th Dogras.*

Captain (acting Major) W. M. Marshall, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion ; dated 23rd March 1917.

Captain E. M. Hobday, 41st Dogras, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion ; dated 24th November 1917.

*44th Merwara Infantry.*

Lieutenant A. R. Waddams (since deceased), Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company ; dated 16th November 1917.

*45th Rattray's Sikhs.*

Army Department Notification No. 1338, dated the 17th August 1917, so far as it affects Second Lieutenants (now Lieutenants) C. W. W. Ford, 35th Sikhs, attached, and K. H. Preston, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, is cancelled, and the following is substituted :—

Lieutenant C. W. W. Ford, 35th Sikhs, attached, to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battalion ; dated 17th February 1917.

Lieutenant K. H. Preston, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company ; dated 17th February 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Major) C. W. W. Ford, 35th Sikhs, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion ; dated 28th March 1917.

Lieutenant C. W. W. Ford, 35th Sikhs, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company ; dated 28th March 1917.

*47th Sikhs.*

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding companies :—

Lieutenant F. M. S. Field, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached; dated 21st November 1917.

Lieutenant L. J. Fitzpatrick, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached; dated 24th November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. V. Rooth, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 6th November 1917.

*49th Bengalis.*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) A. L. Barrett, 126th Baluchistan Infantry, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion; dated 4th November 1917.

Major V. V. V. Sandiford, 62nd Punjabis, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion; dated 19th November 1917.

Lieutenant S. G. Taylor, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; dated 19th November 1917.

*51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).*

In Army Department Notification No. 1338, dated the 17th August 1917, after the words "temporary Major C. W. Lyon, 42nd Deoli Regiment, attached, relinquishes his acting rank" for "6th April 1916" substitute "7th April 1916."

Temporary Major (now Major) C. W. Lyon, 42nd Deoli Regiment, attached, to be acting Major while commanding a battalion; from 6th May 1916 to 23rd May 1916, inclusive.

The undermentioned relinquish their acting rank on ceasing to command companies :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) K. A. Garrett, M.C.; dated 3rd November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. N. Lushington, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, dated 3rd November 1917.

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding companies :—

Lieutenant F. V. R. Woodhouse, 55th Rifles, attached; dated 18th November 1917.

Lieutenant R. J. L. Tahourdin, 47th Sikhs, attached; dated 18th November 1917.

*53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. S. Culverwell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 19th November 1917.

*56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant N. B. Tapsell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; dated 18th November 1917.

*59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Lieutenant H. M. Hamilton to be acting Captain while commanding a company; dated 25th October 1917.

*73rd Carnatic Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) W. E. Godfrey, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 18th October 1917.

Lieutenant T. S. Conner, 88th Infantry, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; dated 3rd November 1917.

*83rd Allahabad Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant (acting Major) R. E. Greenhouse reverts to acting Captain, on ceasing to be second-in-command of a battalion; dated 11th November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) J. A. Robinson, attached, relinquishes his acting rank, on ceasing to command a company; dated 11th November 1917.

*87th Punjabis.*

Lieutenant S. H. Woolf, 19th Punjabis, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; dated 30th October 1917.

*91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) E. S. Berry, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 23rd November 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) G. H. A. Goldberg, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 30th November 1917.

*97th Deccan Infantry.*

Major J. D'Oyly, 119th Infantry, attached, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel while commanding a battalion; dated 18th November 1917.

*104th Wellesley's Rifles.*

Lieutenant W. F. Q. Shulldham, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; from 19th July 1917 to 20th September 1917, inclusive.

*108th Infantry.*

Lieutenant D. O. Nicolson, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; dated 24th October 1917.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) D. O. Nicolson, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 23rd November 1917.

Lieutenant F. J. Brandon, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; from 5th October 1917 to 8th October 1917, inclusive.

*119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).*

The undermentioned to be acting Captains while commanding companies :—

Lieutenant I. M. Orr, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached; dated 17th November 1917.

Lieutenant G. H. Knowland, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached; dated 17th November 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.*

Lieutenant A. B. Smith, 42nd Deoli Regiment, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company; dated 21st November 1917.

*125th Napier's Rifles.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. V. S. Page, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 24th November 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) G. M. Goodall, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated 9th November 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Captain (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) A. Neville Rolfe reverts to acting Major on ceasing to command a battalion; dated 16th November 1917.

*1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) B. A. Mc. H. Rice, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battalion; dated 28th November 1917.

*2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.*

• Army Department Notification No. 2151, dated the 14th December 1917, so far as it relates to Lieutenant M. H. H. Smith, is cancelled.

*2nd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.*

Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. J. H. Ross, relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a company; dated the 1st March 1917.

*Army Reserves.*

**No. 2254.**—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

*Lieutenant to be Captain.*

• Henry Lionel Cooper. 18th August 1917.

**No. 2255.**—Second Lieutenant Stephen Harris Covernton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while employed as Assistant Recruiting Officer, with effect from the 8th December 1917.

**No. 2256.**—The promotion of Lieutenant Alexander Edwin Baird, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to the temporary rank of Captain is antedated to the 13th March 1916, (but, without pay and allowances prior to the 10th April 1917).

**No. 2257.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1158, dated the 20th July 1917, against the name of Second Lieutenant William Pharoah Chowns, *after* the words "Dated 5th January 1917" *add* "but to rank from the 25th March 1916."

#### INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

##### SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

##### *Bengal Establishment.*

**No. 2258.**—The undermentioned 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon to be 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 27th October 1916 :—

No. 990.—Narayan Das.

#### ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

##### *Northern Army.*

**No. 2259.**—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Frederick James Utting to be Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval ;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Alexander Robertson to be Deputy Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval ;

Conductor William Wallingford, seconded, to be Assistant Commissary, seconded, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval ;

Supernumerary Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William Hicks to be absorbed ;

Sub-Conductor John Daniel McNamara, supernumerary on reversion to arsonal duty, to be Conductor and to be absorbed ;

*vice* Commissary and Honorary Major George Harding, supernumerary on attaining the age of 55 years ; with effect from the 8th December 1917.

#### NATIVE ARMY.

##### APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

**No. 2260.**—The following promotions are made :—

##### *35th Scinde Horse.*

Ressaidar Kartar Singh to be Risaldar with effect from the 4th October 1917,

Jemadar Nur Muhammad to be Ressaidar with effect from the 24th August 1917,

Jemadar Fanjdar Singh to be Ressaidar with effect from the 4th October 1917,

Jemadar Ghulam Akbar Shah to be Ressaidar with effect from the 30th October 1917,

Dafadar Muzaffar Khan to be Jemadar with effect from the 24th August 1917,

Kot-Dafadar Khuda Bakhsh Khan and Dafadar Dalip Singh to be Jemadars with effect from the 4th October 1917, and

Dafadars Nijabat Husain and Rab Nawaz Khan to be Jemadars with effect from the 30th October 1917 ;

to complete the establishment.

##### *29th Mountain Battery.*

Havildar Indar Singh to be Jemadar with effect from the 23rd October 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

*5th Light Infantry.*

Jemadar Abdul Aziz Khan to be Subadar with effect from the 30th June 1917, and  
Jemadar Muhammad Yar Khan to be Subadar with effect from the 1st July 1917;  
to complete the establishment.

*13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).*

Subadar Bhaktawar Singh, I.O.M., to be Subadar-Major, Jemadars Indar Singh and  
Rukum Singh to be Subadars, Colour-Havildar Hira Singh and Havildar Ballu Singh to be  
Jemadars, with effect from the 15th July 1917; to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.*

Jemadar Narayan Singh to be Subadar with effect from the 16th September 1917; to  
complete the establishment.

*30th Punjabis.*

Jemadar Sundar Singh to be Subadar with effect from the 25th July 1917,  
Jemadar Indar Singh (29th Punjabis) to be Subadar with effect from the 4th August  
1917;  
Jemadars Achhar Singh, Gurdit Singh, Hakam Singh and Wazir Singh to be Subadars  
with effect from the 19th October 1917, and  
Havildar Kaka Singh to be Jemadar with effect from the 4th August 1917;  
to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, 67th Punjabis.*

Colour-Havildar Wilayat Khan (74th Punjabis) to be Jemadar with effect from the  
9th October 1917; to complete the establishment.

*81st Pioneers.*

Colour-Havildar Karam Ilahi to be Jemadar with effect from the 6th November 1917; to  
complete the establishment

*2nd Battalion, The 101st Grenadiers.*

Jemadar Abu Talah to be Subadar with effect from the 1st October 1917, and  
Jemadar Dinkarrao Yadho to be Subadar with effect from the 12th November 1917; to  
complete the establishment.  
The promotion of both these Indian officers is antedated (without pay and allowances) to  
the 3rd February 1917.

*107th Pioneers.*

Colour-Havildar Jafar Ali (106th Hazara Pioneers) to be Jemadar with effect from the  
11th May 1915; to complete the establishment.

*114th Mahrattas.*

Colour-Havildar Shaikh Chand to be Jemadar with effect from the 1st December 1917;  
to complete the establishment.

*120th Rajputana Infantry.*

Jemadar Hamid Husain to be Subadar, Havildar Asghar Ali, Havildar-Major Govind  
Singh and Havildars Jawar Singh, Balu Ram and Inda Rawat to be Jemadars, with effect  
from the 1st December 1917; to complete the establishment.

*2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).*

Jemadar Gorla Gurung to be Subadar with effect from the 20th July 1917, and  
Jemadar Sanabir Gurung to be Subadar with effect from the 10th August 1917;  
to complete the establishment.

*1st Battalion, The 101st Grenadiers.*

**No. 2261.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1616, dated the 21st September  
1917, for “3rd July 1917” read “3rd February 1917.”

**No. 2262.**—The undermentioned retired Indian officers have been re-employed in the Indian Army, with effect from the dates specified against their names :—

Rank and Name.	Former regiment.	How employed.	Date of re-employment.
Subadar-Major Maria Cruz	2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.	2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.	1st September 1917.
Subadar-Major Hardayal .	99th Deccan Infantry .	Depôt, 99th Deccan Infantry.	30th August 1917.
Subadar-Major Bhowa Sarafdar.	108th Infantry . .	Depôt, 108th Infantry .	20th March 1917.
Subadar-Major Atmaji Rao Ghag	108th Infantry . .	Depôt, 108th Infantry .	21st January 1917.
Subadar Abdul Rahiman .	108th Infantry . .	Depôt, 108th Infantry	29th July 1917.
Jemadar Natha Singh .	1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.	Punjabi Christian Battalion.	1st September 1917.
Jemadar Jujhar Singh .	4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.	Garrison Company, Belari	23rd July 1917.

**No. 2263.**—In Army Department Notification No. 1615, dated the 21st September 1917, for "Subadar Imam Ali Khan" read "Subadar Alam Ali Khan."

#### REWARDS.

**No. 2264.**—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned warrant officer of the Supply and Transport Corps, in recognition of his services in India in connection with the present war :—

Sub-Conductor Herbert James Elliott to be Conductor; with effect from the 13th November 1917.

**No. 2265.**—The undermentioned warrant officer is awarded the Meritorious Service Medal, without annuity, for meritorious service and devotion to duty in the field :—

Sub-Conductor Richard Walker Jones, Indian Ordnance Department.

**No. 2266.**—The following corrections are made :—

In Army Department Notification No. 868, dated the 1st June 1917, under Indian Order of Merit, for "No. 759 Naik Ghulam Khan, Punjabis" read "No. 759 Naik Gulab Khan, Punjabis" and for "No. 2565 Lance-Naik Nawab Khan, Punjabis" read "No. 2567 Lance-Naik Nawab Khan, Punjabis."

In Army Department Notification No. 1358, dated the 17th August 1917, under Order of British India, 2nd Class, for "Subadar Gyan Singh, Pioncers" read "Subadar-Major Gyan Singh, Pioneers."

In Army Department Notification No. 1360, dated the 17th August 1917, for "Ressaidar Ashak Khan, Cavalry" read "Ressaidar (now Risaldar) Ashak Ali Khan, Cavalry" and for "No. 1395 Havildar Abdul Khan, Punjabis" read "No. 1395 Havildar Abdul Khai, Punjabis."

#### RESIGNATIONS.

##### INDIAN ARMY.

##### Army Reserve.

**No. 2267.**—Second Lieutenant Francis Collingwood Carrington, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles, is permitted to resign the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 24th December 1917.

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**INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.**

**No. 2268.**—Subject to His Majesty's approval, temporary Captain Sakrai Nath Chaudhuri is permitted to resign the service, with effect from 23rd November 1917.

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**INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.****SURMA VALLEY LIGHT HORSE.**

**No. 2269.**—Lieutenant Harold Lowther Bigge resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

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**JUDICIAL.**

**No. 2270.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct, in continuation of Army Department Notification No. 1665, dated the 28th September 1917, that in all future cases of enrolment of convicts for service with Porter and Labour Corps, etc., question 8 in Form No. III-D., published in Army Department Notification No. 700, dated the 4th May 1917, shall read as follows:—

‘8. Are you willing to be enrolled as a Labourer (Porter, Artizan, Dhobi, Gardener, Sweeper, Bhisti, Langri) with effect from the date of your leaving jail for Field Service?’

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**MARINE DEPARTMENT.**

*Delhi, the 28th December 1917.*

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**PROMOTIONS.**

**No. 81.**—Engineer-Lieutenant-Commander R. Vincent, Royal Indian Marine, is promoted to the grade of Engineer-Commander in the Royal Indian Marine Service, with effect from the 25th June 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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**RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.**

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

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**NOTIFICATIONS.**

*Simla, the 24th December 1917.*

**No. 1642-E.-17.**—Mr. V. Bayley, C.I.E., Executive Engineer, State Railways, on return from employment under the Indian Munitions Board, resumed his appointment of Assistant Secretary, Railway Board, with effect from the 4th December 1917.

*The 26th December 1917.*

**No. 1795-E.-17.**—Mr. R. McLean, Executive Engineer, on special duty with the Railway Board, is granted combined leave for 6 months, *vis.*, privilege leave for 3 months and furlough for 3 months under articles 233, 260 and 308, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th January 1918 or subsequent date.

**No. 1795-E.-17-1.**—With reference to Notification No. 1795-E.-17, dated 26th December 1917, Mr. F. S. Bond, Executive Engineer, Garhwal District Railway Survey, is placed on special duty with the Railway Board.

F. A. HADOW,  
*Secretary, Railway Board.*





**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.**

**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.**

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 27th December 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

1. A winter disturbance gave fairly widespread precipitation in Baluchistan and Kashmir and local falls in the north Punjab between the 21st and the 24th. At the close of the week another winter disturbance entered north-west India and occasioned fairly general rain in north Baluchistan and a few falls of rain and snow in the North-West Frontier Province and Kashmir. Elsewhere weather was dry except for a few falls of rain in south Madras on the 21st and 22nd, and in the Andamans on the 25th and 26th.

2. *Burma, including the Bay Islands.*—Rain fell at Port Blair and Victoria Point.

*North-east India, including Orissa.*—  
*The United Provinces, Central India* } Weather was dry.  
*and the Central Provinces.*—

*North-west India.*—Precipitation was nearly general on the 23rd in Kashmir. Rain fell locally in Baluchistan, the North-West Frontier Province and the extreme north of the Punjab.

*The Peninsula.*—There was local rain in the early part of the week in the south-east of the division.

3. The chief amounts of precipitation were as follows :—

December 21st. Negapatam 1·63".

" 23rd. Sonamarg 1·54", Murree 0·54", Chaman 0·38", and Pasni 0·39".

" 25th. Port Blair 1·35".

" 26th. Port Blair 0·90" and Fort Sandeman 0·45".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in excess in the Bay Islands, Kashmir, and Baluchistan; and was 20 per cent. or more in defect in Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Orissa, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore and the Madras Presidency. It was within 20 per cent. of the normal in Lower Burma and the North-West Frontier Province. No rain usually falls at this time of year in the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 30th November to date is 20 per cent. or more in excess in the Bay Islands, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan and Sind; and is 20 per cent. or more in defect in Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the Punjab South-West, Rajputana, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, Madras South-east and the Madras Deccan. The absence of rainfall is a normal feature of the weather at this season of the year in Bihar and Gujarat; in the remaining divisions rainfall differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 27TH DECEMBER 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 30TH NOVEMBER TO 27TH DECEMBER 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
							This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands . . . . .	2.8	1.2	+1.1	8.6	6.9	+1.7	+24	+11
Lower Burma . . . . .	0.1	0.1	0	0.6	0.7	-0.1	-14	-17
Upper Burma . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.5	-0.5	-100	-100
Assam . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.4	-0.2	-50	-33
Bengal . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.4	-0.4	-100	-100
Orissa . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.4	-0.4	-100	-100
Chota Nagpur . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Bihar . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0	+100
United Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	0.3	0	0	+50
Punjab, East and North . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.7	0.3	+0.4	+133	+250
Punjab, South-West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.3	-0.2	-67	-50
Kashmir . . . . .	0.3	0.5	+0.3	1.3	1.4	-0.1	-7	-44
N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	0.1	0.1	0	0.6	0.3	+0.3	+100	+150
Baluchistan . . . . .	0.4	0.1	+0.3	1.1	0.7	+0.4	+57	+17
Sind . . . . .	0	0	0	0.1	0	+0.1	—	—
Rajputana, West . . . . .	0	0	0	0.1	0.2	-0.1	-50	-50
Rajputana, East . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Gujarat . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central India, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Central India, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.3	0.4	-0.1	-25	0
Berar . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	0	0.5	-0.5	-100	-100
Central Provinces, West . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.4	-0.2	-50	-33
Central Provinces, East . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.3	-0.3	-100	-100
Konkan . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.1	-0.1	-100	0
Bombay Deccan . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.3	-0.3	-100	-100
Hyderabad, North . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Hyderabad, South . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.2	-0.2	-100	-100
Mysore . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0	0.5	-0.5	-100	-100
Malabar . . . . .	0.1	0.3	-0.2	1.3	1.4	-0.1	-8	+9
Madras, South-East . . . . .	0.5	1.0	-0.5	3.1	4.5	-1.4	-31	-26
Madras Deccan . . . . .	0	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.5	-0.4	-80	-75
Madras Coast, North . . . . .	0	0.2	-0.2	1.4	1.4	0	0	+17

GILBERT T. WALKER,  
Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 27th December 1917.

B. A. MANT,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

# Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 22nd December 1917.

**Burma.**—The week was practically rainless. Reaping of winter rice is progressing in Upper Burma. Sowing of pulses and other miscellaneous island crops and spring rice is proceeding. Harvesting of late sesamum, millet, groundnut and cotton continues. Standing crops are good. Livestock healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon has fallen and is normal. The market for white rice is quiet at rupees 235 for specials.

**Assam.**—The weather was seasonable. Sowing of mustard is nearly finished. Harvesting of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane continue. Plucking of cotton, harvesting of pulses, ploughing for autumn rice and jute and preparation of land for *jhum* cultivation are in progress. Prospects of crops are generally fair to good. Cattle disease is reported from three districts. Fall in price of common rice continues.

**Bengal.**—The week was rainless. Reaping of winter paddy continues briskly with good outturn. Spring sowings are still going on in places. Transplanting of summer rice has just commenced. The present conditions are favourable for the standing spring crops. The average price of common rice for the province is falling gradually.

**Bihar and Orissa.**—During the week light and scattered showers of rain fell in parts of Bihar and Chota Nagpur. There was no rain in Orissa. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane continue. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice is almost stationary as compared with that of the preceding week. Cattle disease is reported from several districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

**United Provinces.**—Light rain fell throughout the province and was beneficial to the crops. Irrigation and weeding and pressing of sugar-cane continue. Threshing of late rice is nearly complete. Prospects are good. Hail is reported from a few districts, but no damage has been done. Standing crops are doing well. There is very little cattle disease. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Prices are either stationary or rising slightly.

**Punjab.**—Except in the west light rain has fallen in nearly all the reporting districts. It was beneficial for standing crops. Picking of cotton and pressing of sugarcane continue. Yield of cotton is below normal and that of sugarcane is normal to good. Sowings of wheat and barley are in progress in some districts and are generally above normal. Standing spring crops are generally good. *Toria* is being reaped and the yield is normal. Stocks of food grains generally are sufficient. Cattle are healthy. Fodder is getting scarce in a few districts. Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat :—Ferozepore 7½, Lahore and Rawalpindi 8 and Ambala 8½ seers per rupee.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—During the week slight rain fell in Peshawar. Harvesting of autumn crops is proceeding normally. The outturn is average. Prices of wheat :—Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan 8½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—Rain fell in many parts. Prices are stationary. Wheat sells from 8 to 14 and maize from 14 to 28 seers per rupee. Condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in Ramban, Ramnagar, Kathua and Udhampur tahsils. Fodder is sufficient.

**Kashmir.**—Report not received.

**Rajputana.**—During the week the weather was cool. Sowing of spring crops continued. Prospects of autumn crops and condition of agricultural stock are fair. Prices are rising.

**Central India.**—The rainfall during the week was practically nil. The weather was clear and cold. Autumn crops are being harvested. Spring crops are being sown and irrigated. Cotton is being picked in Gwalior and Indore. Standing crops and probable outturn are fair to good. Agricultural stock is generally good. Prices are high.

**Central Provinces.**—The weather continues to be cool but occasionally cloudy. Jubbulpore and Mandla had a sprinkling of rain. Hail fell in parts of Jubbulpore and Damoh but did no damage. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops and picking of cotton are proceeding. Condition of spring crops is generally good, but a shower of rain would be welcome. Price of food grains remained stationary or fluctuated slightly.

*Feudatory States:*—Spring crops are faring well and prospects are favourable.

**Bombay.**—Standing crops are good. Autumn harvesting and spring sowings generally continue. Picking of cotton continues in Hyderabad, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Kathiawar. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Prices of food grains have risen slightly in parts of Sind and the Deccan generally but are steady elsewhere.

**Hyderabad.**—No rain fell during the week. Autumn crops are being harvested. The estimated outturn ranges from a quarter to three-fourths of a normal crop. Early rice is being harvested. The outturn is fair to good except in parts where crops have been damaged by blight. Spring crops are generally fair to good and are being weeded. Late rice lands are being prepared. Prices of grains are rising.

**Mysore.**—The week was rainless. Standing crops are generally good. Harvesting of wet crops is proceeding. Outturn is fair. Cattle are generally healthy. Prices are generally stationary.

**Coorg.**—No rain fell during the week. Rice is in good condition. Picking of coffee and cardamom continues. Cattle are generally healthy. Prices of food grains are high.

**Madras.**—The week was generally rainless in the south. Standing crops are fair to good generally. Harvest of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. Condition of cattle is generally good. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.  
PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 27th December 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 22nd December 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	DELHI	...	...	...
	Northern	Bombay City . . . . .	9	7
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	223	186
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	968	771
		Kaira District . . . . .	525	301
		Bulsar Port . . . . .	1	1
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	42	39
		Surat District . . . . .	57	32
		Broach Port . . . . .	4	9
		Broach District . . . . .	97	73
		Kalyan Port . . . . .	4	3
	Thana District . . . . .	3	3	
	Central	Ahmednagar District . . . . .	184	150
		West Khandesh District . . . . .	272	215
		Poona Town . . . . .	126	105
		Poona District . . . . .	256	188
		Nasik District . . . . .	676	574
		Satara District . . . . .	914	710
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	62	43
	Southern	Kolaba District . . . . .	3	2
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	3	4
		Ratnagiri District . . . . .	2	1
		Belgaum District . . . . .	259	177
		Huili Town . . . . .	1	2
		Dharwar District . . . . .	242	167
	Political Charges.	Mangrol Port . . . . .	16	12
		Bhavnagar Port . . . . .	31	23
		Mahuva Port . . . . .	7	7
		Kathiawar Agency . . . . .	383	306
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States . . . . .	461	337
		Bhor State . . . . .	10	9
		Bijapur Agency . . . . .	18	15
		Satara Agency . . . . .	49	43
Surat Agency . . . . .		9	6	
TOTAL			5,930	4,521

The following additions should be made in the return for

week ending 15th December 1917 {  
 Delhi City add 1 case, 1 death ;  
 Hyderabad District add 3 cases, nil death ;  
 Hyderabad City " 1 case, " "  
 Sukkur District " 39 cases, 10 deaths ;  
 Shikarpur City " 68 " 20 "  
 Upper Sind Frontier District add 22 cases, 6 deaths ;  
 Mahi Kantha Agency " 45 " 30 "

weeks ending 1st and 15th December 1917, add Panoh Mahals District 328 cases, 244 deaths ;

weeks ending 16th to 24th November 1917, add Palanpur Agency 37 cases, 37 deaths.

In the return for the week ending the 15th December 1917, 6 cases and 2 deaths shown against Karachi Town and Port are for the weeks ending 24th November to 8th December 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Anantapur District . . . . .	66 (a)	51 (b)
		North Arcot District . . . . .	50 (a)	41
		Bellary District . . . . .	678 (b)	342 (b)
		Coimbatore District . . . . .	116 (a)	78
		Mangalore Port . . . . .	5	8
		Kurnool District . . . . .	54	46 (a)
		Madhar District . . . . .	4 (a)	8 (a)
		Salem Town . . . . .	48	39
		Salem District . . . . .	54	38
		Visagapatam Port . . . . .	18	11
		Sandur State . . . . .	2	2
TOTAL			1,085	839
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	.....		...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA.	Patna	Patna District . . . . .	272	246
		Gaya Town . . . . .	26	26
		Gaya District . . . . .	222	150
		Shahabad District . . . . .	258	221
	Tirhut	Saran District . . . . .	258	254
		Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	68	59
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	26	19
		Darbhanga District . . . . .	185	110
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District . . . . .	201	286
		Bhagalpur District . . . . .	11	11
	Ranchi	Palaman District . . . . .	1	1
TOTAL			1,578	1,838
UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District . . . . .	33	26
	Agra	Aligarh City . . . . .	25	15
		Mainpuri District . . . . .	39	28
	Bohilkhand	Bijnor District . . . . .	6	6
		Moradabad District . . . . .	12	18*
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City . . . . .	15	15
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	49	46
		Etawah District . . . . .	8	78
		Cawnpore City . . . . .	11	11
		Cawnpore District . . . . .	31	31
		Fatehpur District . . . . .	119	91
		Allahabad City . . . . .	37	37
		Allahabad District . . . . .	231	261
	Jhansi	Jhansi District . . . . .	47	42
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	183	135
	Benares	Benares City . . . . .	16	18
		Benares District . . . . .	81	73
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	153	125
		Mirzapur District . . . . .	52	45
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	603	615
		Ghazipur District . . . . .	439	325
		Ballia District . . . . .	490	490
	Gorakhpur.	Gorakhpur City . . . . .	...	3
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	815	646
		Basti District . . . . .	166	83
		Amangarh District . . . . .	766	605
	Lucknow	Lucknow City . . . . .	18	9
		Lucknow District . . . . .	71	71
		Unao District . . . . .	35	208
		Rae Bareilly District . . . . .	91	78
		Sitapur District . . . . .	58	42
		Hardoi District . . . . .	36	52
		Kheri District . . . . .	12	9
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District . . . . .	21	19
		Gonda District . . . . .	81	78
		Bahraich District . . . . .	3	3
		Sultanpur District . . . . .	58	34
		Partabgarh District . . . . .	154	110
		Bara Banki District . . . . .	122	104
TOTAL			5,609	4,663

(a) One imported (b) Two imported.  
In the return for the week ending 15th December 1917, the following corrections should be made :—

Moradabad District read 10 deaths for 14 deaths.  
Gorakhpur " " 120 cases " 138 cases.  
Bara Banki " " 122 deaths " 102 deaths.

\*Including one death for previous week.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala .	Hissar District . . . . .	19	2
		Karnal District . . . . .	1	1
		Ambala District . . . . .	23	23
	Jullundur .	Kangra District . . . . .	4	...
		Hoshiarpur District . . . . .	14	14
		Jullundur District . . . . .	158	113
		Ludhiana District . . . . .	113	57
	Lahore .	Lahore City . . . . .	52	35
		Lahore Cantonment . . . . .	2	...
		Lahore District . . . . .	159	138
		Amritsar District . . . . .	4	4
		Gurdaspur District . . . . .	17	11
		Gujranwala District . . . . .	23	21
		Jhelum District . . . . .	3	3
	Rawal-pindi.	Rawalpindi District . . . . .	55	61
		Attock District . . . . .	4	2
		Montgomery District . . . . .	25	18
	Multan .	Patiala State . . . . .	36	30
		Kapurthala State . . . . .	83	53
		TOTAL . . . . .	791	593
BURMA.	Pegu .	Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	12	10
	Irrawaddy.	Bassein Town . . . . .	1	1
	Tenasserim	Taungoo District . . . . .	2	2
	Magwe .	Minbu District . . . . .	14	13
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town . . . . .	161	140
	Meiktila	Meiktila District . . . . .	41	27
		Yamethin District . . . . .	4	2
		Myingyan District . . . . .	30	27
		TOTAL . . . . .	265	222
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town . . . . .	42	35
		Nagpur District . . . . .	25	19
		Bhandara District . . . . .	63	38
		Wardha District . . . . .	58	42
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town . . . . .	9	4
		Jubbulpore Cantonment . . . . .	4	2
		Jubbulpore District . . . . .	91	66
		Saugor District . . . . .	176	159
		Damoh District . . . . .	41	31
		Seoni District . . . . .	65	48
		Mandla District . . . . .	20	13
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District . . . . .	70	43
		Nimar District . . . . .	48	36
		Narsimhpur District . . . . .	129	104
		Betul District . . . . .	3	1
		Chhindwara District . . . . .	10	9
	Chhattis-garh.	Raipur District . . . . .	12	10
		Bilaspur District . . . . .	9	5
	Berar .	Amraoti District . . . . .	118	87
		Yestmal District . . . . .	49	34
		Akola District . . . . .	106	64
		Buldana District . . . . .	50	32
		TOTAL . . . . .	1,208	882

In the return for the week ending 15th December 1917, the following corrections should be made :—  
 Kangra District, read one death for nil death.  
 Lahore " " 181 cases " 100 cases.



Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague measures.	Plague deaths.
ASSAM	...	...	...	...
COORG	...	...	...	...
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	...	...
		Bangalore City	...	...
		Bangalore District	...	...
		Mysore City	...	...
		Mysore District	...	...
		Hassan District	...	...
		Kadur District	...	...
		Shimoga District	...	...
		Chitaldroog District	...	...
		Tumkur District	...	...
		Kolar Gold Fields	...	...
		Kolar District	...	...
TOTAL			...	...
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Aurangabad District	48	38
		Bir District	187	102
		Nander District	13	13
		Gulbarga District	85	111
		Baichur District	69	50
		Ummanabad District	105	102
		Bidar District	115	86
		Medak District	22	28
		Nizamabad District	...	1
		Warangal District	19	16
		Parbhani District	50	44
		TOTAL		
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	64	59
		Indore State	143	180
		Indore Residency Bazars	2	1
		Mhow Cantonment	2	2
		Dewas Town	84	26
		Sehore Cantonment	4	7
		Bhopal State	101	76
		Dhar State	13	13
		Bailana State	13	9
		Jhabua State	8	6
		Kewa State	15	8
		Jaora State	47	30
		Panna State	9	5
		Sambhar State	10	6
		Barwani State	2	1
		Rutlam City	5	5
		Narsinghgarh State	5	3
TOTAL			482 (b)	380 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer City	...	...
		Ajmer District	...	...
		Alwar State	...	...
		Jaipur City	...	...
		Jaipur State	...	...
		Bharatpur State	...	...
		Jhalawar State	...	...
		Kotah State	...	...
		Mewar State	...	...
		Tonk State	...	...
		Murwar State	...	...
		Kushalgarh State	...	...
		Shahpura State	...	...
		Deoli State	...	...
		Banswara State	...	...
		Sirohi State	...	...
TOTAL			...	...
N.-W.F. PROVINCE	...	...	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	...	...
TOTAL			...	...
BALUCHISTAN.	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL			17,651	14,022

\* Return not received.

(a) From the 10th to the 16th December 1917.

(b) For the week ending 15th December 1917.

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